## **WNCC UMW**

2015 Seminar Program

Sunday-Wednesday,

May 3-6

The Conference Executive Team invites you to participate in a seminar on immigration reform at the General Board of Church and Society building in Washington, DC. Equip yourself to go beyond awareness to advocacy by learning the tools needed to reach out to the vulnerable population in your area.

TOTAL COST: \$450

Includes transportation, lodging, seminar program and all breakfasts and lunches. Travel meals and dinners on your own.





Global Migration and Immigration Rights

United Methodist Women's immigration initiative is part of our commitment to racial justice and to civil and human rights. United Methodist Women seek to welcome the stranger and to advocate for just immigration policies.





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Immigration Reform Seminar GBCS Washington DC May 3-6, 2015 Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by this some have entertained angels without knowing it. (Hebrews 13:2)

Immigration is one of the most complex and controversial issues of our time. In the New Testament, we are called to welcome strangers. Jesus taught his followers how they treat a stranger is how they treat Him (Matt. 25). Romans 13 instructs followers to "be subject to the governing authorities" that God has established. Scripture guides us to advocate for solutions that are both welcoming to immigrants and which respect and restore the rule of law.







Please fill out the registration form, available online at the conference website (wnccumw.org) or below and submit it to:

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