



2020 Uwharrie District UMW

Virtual Annual Meeting

August 28, 2020

The Vision of United Methodist Women

Turning faith, hope and love into action on behalf of women, children and youth around the world.

Living the Vision

We provide opportunities and resources to grow spiritually, become more deeply rooted in Christ and put faith into action. We are organized for growth, with flexible structures leading to effective witness and action. We equip women and girls around the world to be leaders in communities, agencies, workplaces, governments and churches. We work for justice through compassionate service and advocacy to change unfair policies and systems. We provide educational experiences that lead to personal change in order to transform the world.

Purpose of the UMW

United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose purpose is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church.

Be Strong and of Good Courage

2020 Uwharrie District Annual Celebration

Conference Treasurer Remarks	Nancy Reigel, WNCC UMW Treasurer
Greetings & Invocation	Julia Willis, WNCC UMW President
Welcome & Announcements	Cathy Ward, President, Uwharrie District
UMW Purpose	Vickie Brown, Parliamentarian
Prayer Calendar	Betty Hunt, Spiritual Growth
Mission Moment	Andrea Mohammad, Mission Education & Interpretation (Hands on Mission Project: school kits, hygiene kits, new clothes for kids ages 2-14)
Scripture Lesson	Layla Mohammad, Historian, Joshua 1:9
Devotion	Cheri Barker, Program Resources
Love Offering	Diane James, Treasurer, Andrea Mohammad MEI (A Gift to Mission Honoring & Affirming Clergywomen: Past, Present and Future)
Special Music	Rescue by Lauren Daigle, Becky Wall, Norwood First Methodist (during Love offering)
Prayer Dedication	Andrea Mohammad MEI
Introduction of Speaker	Sarah Lee, Vice President
<i>Be Strong & Of Good Courage</i>	Barbara Brooks, President UMW, First Methodist Myrtle Beach, S.C.
Litany: God is in Control	Helen Shore & Vanessa Brooks
<i>Business Section</i>	<i>Opening</i> <i>Cathy Ward, President, Uwharrie District</i>
Minutes/2019 Annual Meeting	Elizabeth Lookabill, Secretary
Treasurer's Report (Proposed 2021 Budget)	Diane James
Report of Committee on Nominations	Pat Jarvis, Chair, Committee on Nominations
Election of Officers	Cathy Ward, President & Pat Jarvis, Chair Nominations
Recognitions	Jane Ellickson, Communications, Diane James,
Special Music	Be Strong In the Lord by Linda Lee Johnson/Tom Fettke Kim & John Thompson, Norwood First Methodist
Benediction	Rev. Laura Auten, Missional Strategist & Superintendent Uwharrie District



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Robert's Rules of Order

A. General Information

Meetings shall open and close at the times stipulated in the official program.

B. New Business

1. All new business that has not been considered by the Executive Committee of the District shall be presented in writing to the Secretary (7) days prior to being considered by the voting delegates.
2. Proposed Resolutions must be submitted in writing to the Conference President sixty (60) days prior to the beginning of the District Annual Meeting.

C. Motions

1. All motions except on matters of procedure shall be written and signed by the maker and furnished to the Chair before action is taken.
2. The Secretary, unless directed otherwise, shall not record motions ruled out of order, points of order on which no appeal is taken, or trivial matters of privilege.

D. Debate

1. In seeking recognition from the Chair, a member must stand to address the Chair and, upon being recognized, state his or her name before making comment or motion.
2. The maker of a motion in preference to any other delegate shall be entitled to the floor immediately after the motion is stated.
3. Debate shall be limited to fifteen (15) minutes per topic.
4. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than two (2) minutes at one time without consent of the body.
5. General consent shall be required if additional time is to be given.

E. Voting Membership

The voting body of the Uwharrie District shall be composed of local unit members in attendance.

F. Quorum

A quorum shall be a simple majority of the membership present representing the units of the District.

G. Parliamentary Authority

1. *Robert's Rules of Order*, Newly Revised Edition, shall be the parliamentary authority.
2. A two-thirds (2/3) vote of the delegates is required to suspend or amend the standing rules.

2019 President's Report

Cathy Ward,

President Uwharrie District

The Uwharrie District had a very exciting and challenging year. Starting off as a new President along with being the 2019 Hostess District for our three Conference events: Spiritual Growth, Mission U and Annual Celebration, we immediately started planning. With the help of our local units and the District Team we put on our Red aprons and began to work. I have never been prouder of a group of ladies that came together to make our hostessing year such a success. People from everywhere graciously contributed, food, money and gifts. We were even given the nickname "Hostess with the Mostess" by our Conference Team which Webster defines as the most dedicated hostess willing to please everyone. I would have to say that is certainly what the Uwharrie team did.

Sarah Lee, our Chairperson for MNO, set up mission walks in Randolph County, Salisbury, Lexington and Monroe, N.C. We collected \$3,709.36 which surpassed our goal set for the year.

Andrea Mohammad our MEO, collected hands on mission project of school kits, health kits, hygiene kits, cleaning kits and shoeboxes for Armenia. Our total mission giving was \$6,943.00.

Our Mission Study "What About Our Money" was held at Bethlehem UMC in Waxhaw on March 9th. Our speaker was our very own Dixie Tyson who did an outstanding job.

Since it was our 150th Anniversary year we decided to celebrate. We had a celebration on March 23rd at Pfeiffer University. We presented a skit "That Handful of Women" that showed those 7 brave women who came together to form the Woman's foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Our own Vanessa Brooks represented Theresa Hoover who was an outspoken advocate for women and children. She was the first African American chief executive of United Methodist Women. Afterwards, we went on a mission walk around the campus and then gathered for cake and ice cream.

Our Prayer Breakfast was held at First United Methodist Church in Asheboro on April 13th. Our speaker was Rev. Lynda Ferguson who spoke on "Transforming Lives Together". Following the speaker, we had a short memorial service for those UMW who had lost their lives in the past year.

Our Annual Celebration was held at Bethany UMC in Lexington on August 17th. Our speaker was Anne Finch who spoke about her Guatemala Sewing Mission. A short business meeting followed with the installation of new and returning officers as well as recognition of our outgoing officers.

We ended the year with our training session of local officers at Bethany Church in Albemarle on November 16th. Our final team meeting for the year followed with a delicious lunch provided by Bethany Church.

I have enjoyed this year serving as your Uwharrie District President and cannot wait to see what 2020 will bring.

Cathy Ward

Uwharrie President 2019

Uwharrie District United Methodist Women
2019 Annual Meeting
August 17, 2019

The 2019 Uwharrie district United Methodist Women's Annual Meeting was held at Bethany United Methodist Church. Uwharrie District President Cathy Ward opened our meeting with everyone saying the UMW Purpose. Martha Tussey, Bethany UMW's President welcomed everyone. Rev. Benny Clodfelter, Senior Pastor, Bethany UMC gave the invocation.

Julia Willis, Western North Carolina Conference UMW President, thanked the Uwharrie District for serving as host district for the conference this year at Spiritual Growth and Mission u. She expressed her appreciation for the work all the Uwharrie District UMW members did. The cookies and refreshments at Mission u were great. She had on her scarf with the two pennies in the ends that were given to attendees at Mission u.

Our opening Hymns "We Are Standing on Holy Ground" and "Give Me Jesus" were sung by Ashley Woodard. Ashley is a member of Summit Church in Kernersville. She has produced two CD's "Welcome Home" and "Amazed by Grace".

Betty Hunt, Spiritual Growth, Uwharrie District, highlighted the birthdays from the Prayer Calendar.

Andrea Mohammad, Mission Education and Interpretation, gave an update on our mission kit giving in 2019. At the 2018 Mission Study we collected 250 health kits, at the Prayer Breakfast, 273 health kits, and today, 50 Agape shoe boxes, 24 school kits and 9 health kits and \$283 to cover shipping cost. This year we assisted the Missional Engagement Team with a hands-on mission project at the District Laity Council training at Pfeiffer that resulted in over 650 school supplies for kits distributed to the Uwharrie district.

Layla Mohammad, Uwharrie Historian read our Scripture Lesson from Proverbs 3:5-6 and 2 Peter 3:18.

Cathy Ward, President, Uwharrie District, gave a short devotion "Trust His Guidance".

Ashley Woodard sang "Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone".

Cathy Ward introduced our speaker Anne Law Finch. Anne grew up in Bishopville, South Carolina, and graduated from Coker College and the Duke School of Medical Technology. She worked for 42 years at the Durham VA Medical Center in Hematology/Oncology. She was married for 30 years to the late Charles Finch of Thomasville and has two daughters and two grandchildren. Anne is a member of Aldersgate UMC, UMW.

Anne began her mission work in 1972 taking medical supplies to Guatemala. Guatemala has the 4th highest rate of malnutrition in the world. She wanted to do something to help the people. In 1987 the Guatemala Sewing Mission was started with the purchase of one foot-pedal Singer sewing machine. The sewing school, located in San Juan Ostuncalco, provided an opportunity for women to learn a skill that they can use to help the living conditions for their families. Fifty percent of the people live on less than \$2 a day. The women had to travel 2 ½ hours down the mountain and back up to take classes. A second school was built on the mountain in the remote village of Las Barrancas. 900 women have received their certificates. A short video of the mission completed her program.

Special music "Shout to the Lord" was sung by Ashley.

Andrea Mohammad received the Love Offering.

Vanessa Brooks, Uwharrie District Nominations, closed the program with the Responsive Reading.

After a short stretch break the business session began.

The Annual Business Meeting of the Uwharrie District was called to order by Cathy Ward, President. Cathy called attention to the 2018 Legacy 150 Commitments found on page 14.

Carolyn Thompson, Secretary, directed attention to the minutes of last year's Annual Meeting, located in the program book.

Diane James, Treasurer, reviewed the 2018 Summary of Giving found in the program book on page 7. Undesignated Giving for 2018 was \$59,565.00 which included the Walk to Mission moneys; and Designated

Giving for 2018 was \$13,101.34 for Total Giving of \$72,666.34.. One correction was made to the 2017 Actual Pledge it should have been \$59,870 instead of \$55,870. We exceeded our 2018 pledge, for the first time since we became the Uwharrie District.

Diane presented the Proposed 2020 Budget. The Executive Committee recommended a budget of \$5,500 for A&MD for 2020. The budget was accepted. The Executive Committee recommended the Pledge to Mission for 2020 be \$51,500. The Pledge to Mission for 2020 was adopted as recommended.

“Sis” Bowers, Chairperson of the Committee on Nominations, presented the report from her committee. Officers to be elected are: Vice President, Sarah Lee, Norwood; Secretary, Elizabeth Lookabill, Lexington; Nominations Chair, Pat Jarvis, Pisgah; Nominations Class of 2023, Gay Smith, First Lexington; Nominations Class of 2023, Wanda Craven, St. Stephens; Nominations Class of 2023, Cheri Murray; Membership Nurture & Outreach, Carolyn Thompson, Linwood; Treasurer, Diane James, Milford Hills, 3rd 2 year term. Officers Continuing terms: President, Cathy Ward, Central Denton; Communications Coordinator, Jane Ellickson, Marshville; Social Action, Helen Shore, First, Asheboro; Mission Education & Interpretation, Andrea Mohammed, Milford Hills; Spiritual Growth, Betty Hunt, New Union; Secretary of Program Resources, Cheri Barker, Central, Monroe; Nomination Class of 2022, Lee Harris, Central, Asheboro; Nominations Class of 2020, Dixie Tyson, Central, Monroe. The 2019 officers were installed by “Sis” Bowers and Pat Jarvis.

Special recognitions pins for outgoing officers were given by Diane James and Carolyn Thompson to “Sis” Bowers, Nomination Chair, Sarah Lee, Membership Nurture & Outreach, and Carolyn Thompson, Secretary.

Sarah Lee, Membership Nurture & Outreach, thanked everyone who participated in the Walk for Missions this year. The totals for each walk for this year: Lexington: \$600; Dan Nicholas: \$500; Randolph: \$425; Monroe: \$600. The Walk for Mission total so far is \$3395.36. Only \$104.64 left to make our goal! WE got \$50 today before our meeting which makes \$3445.36 which is only \$54.64 away from our goal of \$3500. There are still some units that have not turned in their money so we should make our goal. The drawing was held for a recognition pin from the units which had the most walkers at each of the four walks. The winner was Providence, Salisbury.

Rev. Laura Auten, Uwharrie District Missional Strategist and Superintendent gave the benediction.

Carolyn Thompson, Secretary
Cathy Ward, President

2019 Uwharrie Summary of Giving

Undesignated Giving	56,751.12
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Pledge to Mission	40,481.65
Special Mission Recognition	2,625.00
Gift to Mission	3,626.41
Gift in Memory	1,380.00
World Thank Offering	4,428.70
Walk for Mission / Other	4,209.36
Designated Giving	13,317.09
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Call to Prayer & Self Denial	3, 860.76
Supplementary Gifts	4,498.36
Legacy Fund	4,397.97
Other Designated Gifts	560.00
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2019 Total Giving	70,068.21

2018 Total Giving	\$72,666.34
2017 Total Giving	\$71,920.09
2016 Total Giving	\$74,136.75
2015 Total Giving	\$74,207.50
2014 Total Giving	\$77,942.64
2013 Total Giving	\$83,695.62

Pledge Status

All Undesignated Giving counts toward our total pledge.

2019 Pledge	\$51,500	Actual	\$56,751
2018 Pledge	\$55,000	Actual	\$59,565
2017 Pledge	\$74,000	Actual	\$59,870
2016 Pledge	\$83,000	Actual	\$63,997
2015 Pledge	\$83,000	Actual	\$66,312
2014 Pledge	\$83,000	Actual	\$68,340
2013 Pledge	\$96,000	Actual	\$73,783

Uwharrie District

2021 Proposed Budget

	2019	2020	2021
Pledge to Mission	\$55,500	\$51,500	\$51,500
A & MD			
Officer Expense:			
Postage	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$375.00
Supplies	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$125.00
Telephone	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Travel (mileage)	\$700.00	\$600.00	\$550.00
Printing (letters, handouts)	\$400.00	\$300.00	\$250.00
TOTAL OFFICER EXPENSE	\$1,600.00	\$1,400.00	\$1,300.00
Meeting Expense:			
District Annual Meeting	\$700.00	\$600.00	\$750.00
District Prayer Breakfast	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
District Officer Training	\$750.00	\$750.00	\$400.00
Other District Events	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$500.00
TOTAL MEETING EXPENSE	\$1,650.00	\$1,550.00	\$1,750.00
Other Expenses:			
Newsletter – Printing	\$1,600.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,250.00
Newsletter - Postage/permit	\$600.00	\$500.00	\$200.00
Resources and Literature	\$100.00	\$50.00	\$100.00
SMR, GTM, & GIM	\$300.00	\$400.00	\$400.00
Local Women Stipend	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$450.00
Miscellaneous	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES	\$3,000.00	\$2,550.00	\$2,500.00
2019 A&MD TOTAL BUDGET	\$6,250.00	\$5,500.00	\$5,550.00

2020 A&MD Budget 5,500.00

2019 A&MD Budget - \$6,250

2018 A&MD Budget - \$6,600

2017 A&MD Budget - \$6,250

Committee on Nominations Report

Officers to be Elected

President	Cathy Ward, Central, Denton	2 nd 2 Year Term
Communications Coordinator	Jane Ellickson, Marshville	2 nd 2 Year Term
Mission Education & Interpretation Coordinator	Vickie Brown, Central Denton	1 st 2 Year Term
Social Action Coordinator	Helen Shore, First, Asheboro	2 nd 2 Year Term

Officers Continuing Term

Vice President	Sarah Lee, Norwood	1 st 2 Year Term
Secretary	Elizabeth Lookabill, Tyro	1 st 2 Year Term
Treasurer	Diane James - Milford Hills, Salisbury	3rd 2-Year Term
Membership, Nurture & Outreach Coordinator	Carolyn Thompson, Linwood	1 st 2 Year Term
Program Resources Coordinator	Cheri Barker, Central, Monroe	2 nd 2 Year Term
Spiritual Growth Coordinator	Betty Hunt, New Union	2 nd 2 Year Term
Nominations Chair	Pat Jarvis, Pisgah	1 st 2 Year Term
Nominations	Vanessa Brooks, St. Luke, Asheboro	Class of 2021
Nominations	Leigh Harris, Central Asheboro	Class of 2022
Nominations	Gay Smith, First, Lexington	Class of 2023
Nominations	Wanda Craven, St. Stephen, Lexington	Class of 2023
Nominations	Cheri Murray, First, Lexington	Class of 2023

President Appointed

Historian, TBD
Parliamentarian, Deborah Matthews, Empire Charge
Legacy Fund Representative, Lissell Currie, Central Monroe
Conference Representative, Julia Willis, Bethlehem, Climax

2019 Mission Today Units

The purpose of promoting a Mission Today Unit is to: Energize United Methodist Women to be more involved in mission through prayer, study and action. Increase contacts between units and mission personnel and mission projects so the United Methodist Women understand where their money goes. Encourage the use of mission resources through United Methodist Women. Expand concepts of mission, including social justice as mission.

How Do You Become a Mission Today Unit? In order to be recognized as a Mission Today Unit, UMW groups must complete a minimum of twelve of the criteria, including six marked with an asterisk (*). Criterion #1, "The Unit will make and meet its Pledge to Mission," is not optional and must complete to become a Mission Today Unit.

Congratulations to the following Mission Today Units for 2019:

Bethany, Albemarle	First, Lexington	St. Luke
Bethlehem, Waxhaw	First, Norwood	St. Stephen
Central, Asheboro	Jordan Memorial	
Central Denton	Milford Hills	
Central, Monroe	Mt. Carmel	
Christ	Mt. Vernon	
Empire Charge (Piney Ridge, Pleasant Hill, Stout's Chapel`	New London	
First, Asheboro	Pisgah	
	Providence	
	Rockwell	

2019 Units Participating in Mission Studies

We are Educated to Transform

Bethany, Albemarle	Jordan Memorial, Ramseur	New London
Bethlehem, Waxhaw	Linwood	Pisgah
Central Denton	Love's Grove, Stanfield	Pleasant Hill, EC Seagrove
Central Monroe	Marshville	Prospect Monroe
First Asheboro	Matton's Grove, Richfield	Providence, Salisbury
First Lexington	Milford Hills, Salisbury	St. Luke's Asheboro
First Norwood	Mount Tabor, Salisbury	St. Stephen, Lexington
Gray's Chapel, Climax	Mount Vernon	

2019 Justice Today Units

GOLD UNITS

Bethlehem, Waxhaw
 Central Denton
 Jordan Memorial, Ramseur
 Milford Hills, Salisbury
 Prospect, Monroe
 St. Luke, Asheboro

SILVER UNITS

Bethany, Albemarle
 Central Monroe
 Empire Charge (Piney Ridge,
 Pleasant Hill, Stouts Chapel)
 First Asheboro
 First Norwood
 Mt. Carmel, Lexington
 Mt. Vernon, Polkton
 New London
 Pleasant Hill, Seagrove
 St. Stephen Lexington
 Stony Hill, Albemarle

BRONZE UNITS

Central Asheboro
 Christ, Salisbury
 First Salisbury
 Mt. Tabor, Salisbury
 Mt. Zion, Norwood
 Olivet, Lilesvill
 Olivet, Lilesville
 Pisgah, Asheboro
 Providence, Salisbury
 Rockwell
 Shiloh, Granite Quarry
 Tabernacle, Trinity

2019 Membership Recognition & Report

Membership as of January 1, 2019	New Members	Members Lost	Membership as of December 31, 2019	Net Loss
1809	81	89	1801	8

Membership at the end of 2015 - 2119

Membership at the end of 2016 – 2082

Membership at the end of 2017 – 2143

Membership at the end of 2018 - 1809

Congratulations to the following units who had a net growth in membership in 2019

Bethlehem, Waxhaw

Central Asheboro

Central Monroe

Chapel Hill, Denton

First Lexington

Liberty, Gold Hill

Love's Grove, Stanfield

Marshville

Mount Carmel, Lexington

Mount Tabor, Salisbury

Oakboro

Providence, Salisbury

St. Luke, Asheboro

Tabernacle, Trinity

Units Giving in all Five Channels

*Made and Met a Pledge to Mission • Gift to Mission • Gift in Memory
Special Mission Recognition • World Thank Offering*

Bethany, Lexington
Bethel (New London)
Bethlehem (Waxhaw)
Central (Asheboro)
Central (Denton)
Central (Monroe)
Central (Spencer)
Chapel Hill (Denton)
Christ (Salisbury)
Cotton Grove (Lexington)
Fairview (Denton)
First (Asheboro)
First (Lexington)
First (Norwood)
First (Salisbury)
First Street (Albemarle)
Friendship (Albemarle)
Gilboa (Marshville)
Gray's Chapel (Franklinville)
Jordan Memorial (Ramseur)
Linwood
Macedonia (Lexington)
Main Street (Salisbury)
Matton's Grove (Gold Hill)
McCrary Chapel (Ramseur)
Milford Hills (Salisbury)

Morven
Mount Carmel (Lexington)
Mount Tabor (Salisbury)
Mount Vernon (Polkton)
Mount Zion (Norwood)
New London
Olivet (Lilesville)
Palestine (Albemarle)
Piney Ridge (Seagrove) EC
Pisgah (Asheboro)
Pleasant Hill (McFarlan)
Pleasant Hill (Seagrove) EC
Prospect (Monroe)
Providence (Salisbury)
Rockwell
Salem (Albemarle)
St. Luke (Asheboro)
Stony Hill (Albemarle)
Wesley Chapel
Wingate

Units Meeting or Exceeding Pledge to Mission in 2019

“Working with United Methodist Women, we – *you* – helped to make safe, affordable child care a reality for hundreds of working women across this country. We made educations possible for scores of women here at home and in other countries of the world. We made growing and harvesting crops possible by supplying farm tools, so that women can feed their families and communities. We ministered to those on the margins, as Jesus did. We advocated for fair treatment, fair laws and just considerations for thousands – all in the name of Jesus. And we will not rest.” ~ *Martha Sherman Knight, Treasurer and CFO United Methodist Women*

The Following Units Exceeded their Pledge to Mission!!

Bethlehem, Waxhaw	Morven	Rockwell
Central Albemarle	Mount Vernon, Polkton	Salem, Albemarle
First, Lexington	Olivet, Lilesville	Shiloh, Granite Quarry
Franklinville`	Palestine, Albemarle	St. Luke, Asheboro
Jordan Memorial, Ramseur	Pleasant Hill, Seagrove	Wesley Chapel, Misenheimer

The Following Units Met their Pledge to Mission!!

Bethany, Albemarle	First Wadesboro	Mount Carmel, Lexington
Bethany, Lexington	First Street, Albemarle	Mount Tabor, Salisbury
Bethel, New London	Flag Springs, Asheboro	New London
Brower’s Chapel, Asheboro	Friendship, Albemarle	Piney Grove, Denton
Central Asheboro	Gilboa, Marshville	Piney Ridge, Seagrove
Central Denton	Gray’s Chapel, Franklinville	Pisgah, Asheboro
Central Monroe	Green Memorial, Norwood	Prospect, Monroe
Central Spencer	Linwood	Providence, Salisbury
Christ, Salisbury	Love’s Grove, Stanfield	Randall, Norwood
Cleveland	Macedonia, Lexington	Rehobeth, Ramseur
Cotton Grove, Lexington	Main Street, Salisbury	St. Stephen, Lexington
First Asheboro	Marshville	Stony Hill, Albemarle
First Norwood	Matton’s Grove, Gold Hill	Tabernacle, Trinity
First Salisbury	Milford Hills, Salisbury	The Arbor, Salisbury
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2019 Legacy Commitments

Thank you for your commitment to the Legacy 150 Fund! Gifts to the Legacy Fund endowment will lay the financial foundation for future generations of United Methodist Women. We make mission possible with our undesignated giving and our Legacy Giving. While some have made donations through the District and Conference, others have made donations directly to the National Office. The record below is what you reported giving in your Annual Reports.

	One Time	First Time	Continuing	150 Pin
Bethany, Albemarle	1			
Bethlehem, Waxhaw	1		5	
Central Asheboro	1			1
Central Denton	1		1	
First Asheboro	1		1	
First Norwood	1			
Gilboa	1			
Matton's Grove			1	1
Milford Hills			3	3
Mt. Vernon	1		3	3
Mt. Zion			1	
New London	1			
Pisgah			2	2
Providence			18	18
Shiloh		2	4	
Stony Hill	1			3
Tabernacle	1			

2019 Reading Program Recognitions

The Reading Program encourages members to think critically about current issues through an annual selection of member-reviewed books. It offers an excellent opportunity to deepen your spirituality and to broaden your understanding of our mission work.

The Reading Program Leads to Action!

Remember that children's books count!!

<i>Total Number of Adult Readers</i>	<i>2016 - 97</i>	<i>2017 - 144</i>	<i>2018</i>	<i>85</i>
<i>Total Number of Children/Youth Readers</i>	<i>2016 - 9</i>	<i>2017 - 26</i>	<i>2018</i>	<i>0</i>

NAME OF UNIT	PLAN I	PLAN II	PLAN III	PLAN IV	Child Youth
Bethany, Albemarle	7				
Bethlehem, Waxhaw	12	5	1	3	
Central Denton	1				
Central Monroe	2	1	0	1	
First, Asheboro	1				
First, Lexington	2			1	
First Norwood	1				
First, Salisbury	2				
Flag Springs	5				
Franklinville			2		
Gray's Chapel			2		
Jordan Memorial	1				
Linwood	1				
Love's Grove	2				
Milford Hills	1	1			
New London	1				
Oakboro	2				
Prospect Monroe	2	1			
Providence	2				
St. Stephen, Lexington		1			1
TOTAL NUMBER OF READERS IN EACH PLAN	45	9	5	5	1

2019 Special Mission Recognition Recipients

Bethany, Lexington

Martha Tussey

Bethel, New London

Susan Wicker

Bethlehem, Waxhaw

Kathy Starnes

Central Asheboro

Doris Pennington

Central, Denton

La Rue Cook

Central, Spencer

Ruth Elium

Judy Patton

Chapel Hill

Thomas Frizzell

Christ

Michael Humphries

Sue Pinkston

Tom Shoaf

Wayne Smith

Judy Zirt

First, Asheboro

Donna Nance

First Lexington

Amanda Bostic

Kathy Conner

Judy Hench

Suzanne Niver

Gay Frances Smith

First, Norwood

Irene Honeycutt

Friendship

Teresa Lowder

Grays Chapel, Franklinville

Edith Coble

Barbara Fahy

Billie Hall

Green Memorial

Cindy Dry

Jordan Memorial, Ramseur

Ed and Shirley Mitchell

Love's Grove

Tammie Morgan

Macedonia, Lexington

Tammy Talbert

Main Street, Salisbury

Laurie Ridenhour

Matton's Grove, Misenheimer

Sue Sells

Milford Hills, Salisbury

Liz Slate

Morven

Morven United Methodist Church

Mount Carmel, Lexington

Rev. Larry Scott

Mount Tabor, Salisbury

Sarah Walton

Mount Vernon

Johnatha Wright

Mount Zion

Casey Coley

New London

Pastor James L. Pyatt

Janet Pyatt

Palestine

Susie Bowers

Pleasant Hill (McFarlan)

Lois Cox

Pleasant Hill, Seagrove, EC

Rev. Phyllis Coates

Providence

Amy Vestal

Rockwell

Worth Roberts

Salem

Nadine Bowers

John Lowder

St. Luke

Vanessa Brooks

St. Stephen, Lexington

Mercedes Perkins

Stony Hill

Valerie Putnam

Tabernacle, Trinity

Taylor Ferko

Union Chapel

Lucy Little

Sarah Little

Carter McConnell

Bobby Pearce

Vickie Veatch

Uwharrie District UMW

Sis Bowers

Sarah Lee

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Wesley Chapel

Jack Rummage

Emery Culp

2019

Gifts in Memory Honorees

Bethany, Albemarle

Joe Calloway
Tim Lowder
Deane B. Morgan

Bethany, Lexington

Alice Bruff
Ralph Hedrick
John Saunders
Maude Tysinger

Bethel, New London

Grover (Rick) Rogers

Bethlehem, Waxhaw

Doris McLean
Arlie Starnes

Central, Asheboro

Ida Ruth Alman
Juanita Kearns
Juanita Thomas
Peggy Woodruff

Central, Denton

Frances W. Yelton

Central, Monroe

Jo Bell
Joanne Dawkins
Carolyn Ferguson
Helen Hancock
Johnsie Hernig

Central, Spencer

Pat Harmon
Julia Spear

Chapel Hill

Grace Corder
Edgar Frank
Tammy Query

Christ, Salisbury

June Hall

First, Asheboro

Edith Burkhead
Evelyn Campbell
Dalia Lee Jamieson
Kate Moore
Donna Nance
Nancy Patram
Inez Pillsbury
Lucretia Smith

First Lexington

Ruth Fritts Carlton
Alicia Greer
Jessie Ingram

First, Norwood

Ruth Heafner

First Street, Albemarle

Theodore & Dorothy Earnhardt

Friendship

Kathryn Hatley

Grays Chapel, Franklinville

Willa Ballard
Roger Lambert
Pam Lineberry
Jimmie Routh
Lula Mae Routh
Russell Routh

Green Memorial, Norwood

Grovene Dry

Jordan Memorial, Ramseur

Michelle Blake
Colleen Bodsford

India Craven

Ruth Foust
Aileen Gilliland
Betty Jo Leonard
Joanne Luck

Linwood

Susan Mauldin

Love's Grove

Tom Barrett

Macedonia, Lexington

Allan Godwin
Martha Godwin
Keith Linman
Ann Schaefer
Joan Vining

Matton's Grove, Misenheimer

Hazil Almond
Elsie Lowder
Bonnie Parker

Milford Hills, Salisbury

Joan Christy
Paul Kelly
Keri Meeks
Judy Steel

Morven

Zona Adams

Mount Carmel, Lexington

Jackie Braswell
Paul Floyd
Elsie Jenkins

Mount Tabor, Salisbury

Dot Whitley

Mount Vernon, Polkton

Ruth Biles
Buck Powell

New London

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Catherine M. Rogers

Palestine, Albemarle

Charles Cagle
Charles Leroy Tucker

Pisgah, Asheboro

Helen Francis Cagle
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Dwight Floyd

Rockwell

Hazel Stokes

Salem

Jeanette Eudy
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Phyllis Shue

St. Luke

Faye Bynum
Julia Hardy

Stony Hill

Bobby J. Mills

Tabernacle, Trinity

Peggy Rogers
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The Arbor, Salisbury

Dollie Pinkston
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Wesley Chapel, Misenheimer

Bill Mullinix, Sr.

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Mother of Pat Jarvis

2019 Gift to Mission Honorees

Bethany, Albemarle

Deane Morgan

Bethany, Lexington

Susan Black

Alan McWethy

Vickie Starr

Susan Story

Pam Tysinger

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Christ

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Mary Stegall

Providence

Donna Agner
Patrick Broadway
Evelyn Eller
Ann Kesler
Sylvia Sofley

Rockwell

In Honor of UMW turning 150

Salem

Cleona Lowder
Ree Phillips

St. Lukes

Nancy Lowdermilk

Stony Hill

Clarence & Joann Mills
David and Pat Mills
Henry & Bonnie Springer

The Arbor

Ricky Goodman
Cletus Livengood

Wesley Chapel

Founding Women of Wesley
Chapel UMW

Uwharrie District

Rev. Laura Auten
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Bethlehem Waxhaw UMW

Sis Bowers

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Alma Flint
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Linwood UMW
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God is in Control Litany

"Do not fear, for I am with you, do not be afraid, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my victorious right hand." -Isaiah 41:10

In an attitude of prayer and gratitude, may we lift our voices as one through this responsive reading.

Leader: Loving God, You know our lives have changed over the past few months in ways we would have never imagined. Yet, in the midst of uncertainty, loneliness, sickness, and loss...

All: You are in Control

Leader: This world-wide pandemic is frightening, Lord. As we continue to do what is necessary to stop the spread of the virus, help us as Your people to remain calm, yet vigilant and keep in mind that...

All: Our God of Healing and Mercy is in Control

Leader: We are grateful that as we strive each day to find new ways to continue the mission and advocacy work we do in Your name we know that...

All: Our God of Justice is in Control

Leader: As we provide support for the vital mission work of our National Mission Institutions across the United States, we know we can say...

All: Our God of Abundance is in Control

Leader: We know, Dear Lord, that you bless and sanction the work of our Regional Missionaries, retired missionaries and deaconesses, and active deaconesses and home missioners.

All: Our God of Love and Service is in Control

Leader: We know that in the development of each of our mission education resources...

All: Our God of Wisdom is in Control

Leader: We pray that through our leadership development programs, and in each decision we make to support and lift-up the faithful work of our members we remember that...

All: The God Who Leads Us All is in Control

Leader: As we diligently work for racial justice, maternal and child health, and the care of Your glorious creation...

All: Creator God, We Know You are in Control

Leader: We are grateful that in all our advocacy work for the needs of women, children, and youth...

All: Our Mighty God is in Control

Leader: God, in all our efforts to put our faith, hope and love into action help us remember that...

All: Our Loving God of Action is in Control

Leader: As we walk through our collective journeys, You lead us, guide us and comfort us and with each step we know that...

All: Our God of Guidance is in Control

Leader: And, God, as hard as it is for us to sometimes let go of trying to control every detail of our own lives, we know we can and should because...

All: The God Who Gives Us Choice is in Control

Leader: As we meet today and each time, we gather to connect, plan, and do Your work we are blessed to know that You, God, are in Control.

All: Enable us to let go of our worry, fear, and self-centeredness and let You, God, be in Control.

Leader: Amen

--Deaconess Christi Campos, executive for donor relations, United Methodist Women

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Sung by Becky Wall, soloist, member of Chancel Choir of Norwood First United Methodist Church

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Soloist, John Thompson, accompanied by pianist & Music Director at Norwood First United Methodist Church--Kim Thompson

Barbara Brooks, Featured Speaker

Barbara (Barb) Brooks, born in Evansville, Indiana, is commissioned deaconess in the United Methodist Church. A member of the First United Methodist Church in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, she is presently serving as President of the United Methodist Women. In addition she has served as Vice-President & is now President of the Marion District United Methodist Women.

She graduated from the University of Evansville with a major in physical education and a minor in English. She holds a master's degree from Indiana University and taught school for several years prior to her acceptance by Global Ministries as a U.S-2. She was assigned to Camden, South Carolina, where she taught for 13 years. She later spent a year with United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) following the Great Flood of 1993. Barbara, who speaks fluent Spanish, has also worked in Cali, Colombia, S. A., where she taught kindergarten through fifth grade. She has served on mission teams to Zimbabwe, Honduras and Colombia. In 2018 she led the Ubuntu Journey to Bolivia.

She has a second-grade reading buddy at the local elementary school and does arbitrations with juveniles. She loves to watch sports, travel and enjoys scrapbooking, but she said, "I don't have enough time for any of them.

You don't want to miss hearing about Barb's many ways of being strong & courageous as she has worked with women, children & youth around the world.



Barb with the ladies of Bolivia

Thank You!

A special note of thanks to...

- Rev. Laura Auten, Missional Strategist and Superintendent
- Musical talent of Lauren Daigle, Becky Wall, Linda Lee Johnson, John Thompson, Kim Johnson, Tom Fetke
- Lynne Gilbert for hosting our Virtual Annual Meeting
- Our speaker, Barbara Brooks
- The leadership of the Uwharrie District Team
- All the United Methodist Women of the Uwharrie District-for doing what you do best...Making mission happen for women, youth and children in our communities and around the globe.
- Julia Willis, WNCC President, UMW

For Your Calendar

Annual Celebration Zoom Webinar	September 26, 27	2:00 p.m.
UBUNTU Day of Service	October 10	Various Sites TBD
Uwharrie Local Officer Training	November 14	Milford Hills, Salisbury

Mission Projects for 2020:

No Agape Christmas shoe boxes this year. We will be doing Project AGAPE which is collecting children's clothing size 2-14. Needs to be new clothing with tags.

We are also collecting school kits and hygiene kits for UMCOR.

The WNCC Resource Center is reopening on August 1.
Bryan Mateer 704-714-2340, bmateer@wnncumc.org is our contact person for the mission response center.

During the week of September 28th-October 2nd; school kits, hygiene kits, as well as the children's clothing will be picked up for UMCOR. Location to take items is at Memorial UMC, 101 Randolph Street, Thomasville, N.C. Phone number is 336-472-7718. Ask for Susan (Church secretary).

For listing of supplies go to: umcmmission.org/umcor

Any further questions please contact Andrea Mohammad at 910-264-2225, AHope4UsAll@gmail.com **OR**
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For information about registering for our annual celebration, or to print an agenda, program book or other handouts go to:
<https://wnccumw.org/districtcelebrations/>

“Be Strong and Of Good Courage”

2020 Uwharrie District Annual Meeting

Evaluation

Is this your first Annual Meeting? Y/N

Did you learn something **NEW** about the **UMW**? Y/N

How did you like having the Annual Meeting in a webinar format on zoom? What did you like most about the meeting?

Did the Annual Meeting meet your expectations? Y/N

If no, please

explain: _____

How would you feel about future meetings being held via webinar on zoom? Would you attend?

If no, please

explain: _____

Is there anything that we as a District can help/explain to you or your church? |

Would you recommend this meeting to others? Y/N

If no, please explain:

What other topics of interest would you recommend to the committee? _____

Return evaluation responses to Sarah Lee @accnurse@rocketmail.com or 40645 Mt. Zion Church Rd. Norwood, NC 28128