

Internationally,
Mission Giving funds
support 107 programs
carried out by
107 organizations
in more than 110 countries.

These programs are all designed so
that each life touched is improved
and, in turn, that woman or child is
empowered to reach out in a positive
way in the local community.



**Nearly 90 National Mission
Institutions in the United States**
supported by United Methodist
Women's giving are empowering
women, caring for children, educating
and building youth, looking after the
neglected, advocating for social justice
issues, creating economic
opportunities and changing
neighborhoods.

2021 Conference Love Offering

Our Conference Love Offering gifts are
above and beyond District and individual
pledges. Such undesignated offerings are
applied toward the Conference Pledge and
become part of the monies used by United
Methodist Women to create and support
projects around the world to better the
lives of women, children and youth.

In adherence to our Bishop's admonition
"Do no harm", WNCC United Methodist
Women will continue to avoid in-person
meetings through September 2021. That
means we will not be able to receive your
2021 Love Offering in person.

**There are two convenient ways you can
support this 2021 Love Offering.**

You can send it directly to:

Nancy Reigel, Conference Treasurer
WNCC United Methodist Women 375 Troy
Norris Road
Boone, NC 28607

Please make checks payable to:
Treasurer, WNCC UMW

Or you can give safely online. Go to our
website, www.wnccumw.org. Just
click on the "DONATE NOW" icon in the
Love Offering section by Dec 31st.

Note: Please do not send your Love Offering
to your District Treasurer.

**Thank you for your support
of the 2021 Conference
Love Offering!**

United Methodist Women Western North Carolina Conference



2021 LOVE OFFERING

*A Gift to Mission in honor of
our members' Faithful
Commitment to Mission Giving,
through good times and
pandemic times*

Annual Celebration

Virtual

September 11-12, 2021

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2020

The Year Behind Us

2020 was indeed a year of disruption, uncertainty, fear and loss.

A year during which in-person gatherings were either cancelled, rescheduled or converted to virtual at every level: Circles, Units, District and Conference.

That means no in-person offerings were taken at gatherings:

- Most Call to Prayer and Self Denial Observances
- Walks for Missions
- District Prayer Breakfasts and Days Apart
- Local and District Mission Studies
- Mission u
- District and Conference Annual Celebrations
- Leadership Development Days
- Other Local Gatherings and Services

A Gift to Mission
In honor of our members' Faithful Commitment to Mission Giving, through good times and pandemic times



Yet, You Still Supported our Missions

Total Undesignated Giving from the eight Districts:
\$604,339

Special Offerings
\$18,927

The Result?

WNC Conference United Methodist Women sent a total of **\$530,217** in Undesignated Giving to the National Office in support of Missions.

- **\$5,217 OVER our 2020 Pledge of \$525,000**
- Western NCC United Methodist Women **led the nation** in Mission Giving in 2020.

In Addition...

- A total of **\$55,905** of Designated Giving was received and forwarded to those Missions
- A total of **\$3,335** was received and distributed in support of Local Missions in the Conference