## The District Annual Celebrations for Western North Carolina Conference United Methodist Women will be held ONLINE, via ZOOM Meeting, as follows:

Appalachian Saturday, August 21, 2021 – 2:00pm Blue Ridge Saturday, August 14, 2021 – 10:00am Catawba Valley Saturday, August 21, 2021 – 10:00am Saturday, August 28, 2021 – 10:00am Metro Northern Piedmont Sunday, August 22, 2021 – 3:00pm **Smoky Mountain** Saturday, August 28, 2021 – 2:00pm Uwharrie Saturday, August 21, 2021 – 9:00am Yadkin Valley Saturday, August 14, 2021 – 2:00pm

## Instructions for Joining District Annual Celebrations:

You will need to access the following:

- 1. An emailed link OR a link on our website where you can register for the meeting through ZOOM. You MUST register in order to participate. Once you are registered, you will receive a unique link to the meeting from Zoom. Having a Zoom account is optional. Each participant who wants to vote must be signed in on a separate device. If you have or decide to sign up for a Zoom account, you may use a free account. The registration links for each district will be shown on our website at <a href="https://www.wnccumw.org/districtcelebrations2021/">www.wnccumw.org/districtcelebrations2021/</a>.
- **2.** Link to the page of our website where a PDF version of the Agenda & other information for each district will be available at <a href="https://www.wnccumw.org/districtcelebrations2021/">www.wnccumw.org/districtcelebrations2021/</a> along with Instructions for Using Zoom.

## Agenda of the District Annual Celebrations:

- Welcome by District President
- Greeting from Conference President, Julia Willis
- Quick Overview of technology by member of our tech team
- District business and program with District President presiding

## Flow of the District Celebrations:

This year's District Annual Celebrations will take place via ZOOM Meeting, which will allow us to carry out the necessary business items requiring a vote, and share together in some other program items that you would expect at an Annual Celebration. Please see the ZOOM meeting document for assistance logging on. This will be ZOOM Meeting – you will be able to see other attendees, interact with other attendees as we gather, and participate in the chat. All members of United Methodist Women in a particular district may vote at their Annual Celebration.

- 1. You will want to have a copy of your district Agenda available to you as you view the webinar. It will be available for download on the conference website at <a href="https://www.wnccumw.org/districtcelebrations2021/">www.wnccumw.org/districtcelebrations2021/</a>.
- 2. Leadership will be provided by your District President and other district team members, Julia Willis, Conference President, and others providing technical support.
- 3. **Voting** will take place via online polling. The poll will appear and voting members are invited to select their answers. In order to vote you must be logged in via a computer or on the ZOOM app on a smartphone or tablet. Audio callers cannot vote.
- 4. The results of the polling will then be shown on screen.
- 5. If you need to ask a question, please use the chat feature. These questions will be moderated by our tech team and only those relevant to current business will be brought forward.