



# 2018 Annual Conference Lay Leadership Events

June 3-6, 2018

TD Convention Center | Greenville

## Orientation for First-Time Attendees

**Sunday, June 3, 2018**

First Session 4-4:45 p.m. | Second Session 5-5:45 p.m.  
Rooms 102 A-B | TD Center

Learn what Annual Conference is and why we do it. Hear about behind-the-scenes activities, get to know conference staff and district lay leadership, and ask questions. You may not walk away knowing everything about Annual Conference, but you will understand it a better and meet a lot of new people!

## Laity Conversations: Sharing Your Successes

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First Session 4-4:45 p.m. | Second Session 5-5:45 p.m.  
Room 102C | TD Center

A new session with the objective of sharing your church's successes in three specific areas: Forward Focus, Young Adult Ministries, and Missions. Churches, no matter the size, are working! This idea-sharing session is sure to be one that you do not want to miss!

## Mission Expo

**Monday & Tuesday, June 4-5, 2018**

Noon-2 p.m. each day  
Hall 1 | TD Center

The Lay Leadership Executive Team is pleased to offer a Hands-On Mission Expo this year! Join us Monday and Tuesday, when six different mission projects will be demonstrated by the churches that operate them:

**Monday**

- ◆ **Plarn Ministry** – Virginia Wingard UMC, Columbia
- ◆ **Dresses for Girls Ministry** – Wesley UMC, Ladson
- ◆ **Early Response Team/Disaster Relief** – Different methods to secure a disaster site

**Tuesday**

- ◆ **Jack Meeks Memorial Wheelchair Ramp Ministry** – St. John UMC, Aiken
- ◆ **B.E.D.S. (Better Education Deserves Sleep) Ministry** – Central UMC, Florence
- ◆ **Reusable Hygiene Kit Ministry** – Aldersgate UMC, Greenville