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UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2019
MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND!

October 12—Annual District Meeting (9:45*), Little River UMC District Executive Meeting
October 25-26-Conference Annual Meeting (3:00), Buncombe UMC, Greenville
November 7- Killingsworth Gala (6:00), Seawells, Columbia
November 9- District Officers Training (8:30-2:00), Ashland UMC, Columbia
PRESIDENT’S REPORT

To All Cluster Leaders:
Please make sure the presidents in each of your local units has a copy of the Local Unit President’s Report and understands they are to complete it and send it to Barb Brooks, District President, before September 1 (or as soon as possible). This form is included in this issue of The TIE.

Thank you for continuing to serve the Marion District as a Cluster Leader. Your ability to get information to and from the local units, and holding a general meeting once a year, is creating a stronger district membership.

Yours in Christ’s service,
Barb

MNO
By Sarah Woods

“I have shown you in every way, by laboring like this, that you must support the weak. And remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He said, ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’” Acts 20:35

Thank you for sending in your 2018 Census Report data. I appreciate your efforts in collecting the information and getting it in by March 30, 2019. It takes effort and time to complete these tasks which is evidence of your “good work”.

I did not receive final data from the Census Report which was due to me by June 15. As of March 29, twenty-three churches reported or confirmed their 2018 Census Report online. Total membership for the Marion District was 778. There are ninety (90) United Methodist Churches in the Marion District.

The following churches reported as of March 29, 2019:
- Aaron Temple
- Aynor
- Bowling Green
- Brown Swamp
- Duncan Memorial
- Ebenezer
- First (Conway)
- First (Marion)
- First (Myrtle Beach)
- Herbert Memorial
- Latta
- Little River
- McCoy Chapel

- Saint Paul’s (Pawleys Island)
- Saint Stephen (Dillon)
- Smyra
- St. James
- Surfside
- Trinity (Andrews)
- Trinity (Bennettsville)
- Trinity (North Myrtle Beach)
- Wayne
- Zoan
United Methodist Women Local Unit President’s Report for 20___:

Church: ______________________________        President:  ______________________________
Address:  __________________________________
Phone:  __________________________________

1) Tell me about your unit membership:
   Number of Circles _______________   How often do you meet as a Unit _______________
   Membership Total _______________   Average age of membership _______________
   Did you invite a District Officer to a General Meeting during the year? ______ No ______ Yes

2) Did your Unit make a Pledge to Mission? ______ No ______ Yes    Amount $____________

3) Does your budget include $5 per member for Wallace Family Life Center? _____ Yes _____ No

4) Does your local unit support Mission Giving locally? _____ No _____ Yes
   What Local Missions do you support with your treasury?
   __________________________________________________________________________________

5) Actual amount sent through the District Treasurer for all Mission Giving channels $___________
   Gift to Mission $_________    Gift in Memory $_________    World Thank Offering $_________
   Special Mission Recognition $_________    Prayer & Self Denial Offering $_________
   Wallace Family Life Center $_________    Bethlehem Center Spartanburg $_________
   Columbia Bethlehem Center $_________    Killingsworth $_________

6) Participation: (# in attendance from your local unit)
   Officer Training: ______    Mini Mission u: ______    Legislative Day: (Columbia) ______
   Day Apart Spiritual Growth: ______    SCC Spiritual Growth: (Lake Junaluska) ______
   SCC Mission u (Spartanburg) ______    District Annual Meeting ______
   SCC Annual Meeting ______    Other: ______

7) Reading Program Participants: ______ Subscriptions to Response Magazine ______
   Circle/Unit using Program Book: _____ No _____ Yes
   Circle/Unit using Prayer Calendar: _____ No _____ Yes

8) Will your local unit qualify as a MISSION TODAY Unit this year? _____ No _____ Yes

9) Will your local unit qualify as a Diamond Unit (Charter for Racial Justice)? _____ No _____ Yes

10) Any other information about your local unit I should know?
    __________________________________________________________________________________
    __________________________________________________________________________________
    __________________________________________________________________________________

Please complete this report and send to the District President by September 1 ……… Thank You!

Barbara Brooks, 706 62nd Avenue North, Myrtle Beach, SC 29572   Phone: (843) 945-9783
As we celebrate the 150th anniversary of the formation of United Methodist Women, let us consider the following from a brochure entitled “United Methodist Women Social Action Campaigns”: “These bold foremothers advocated to end lynching, improve women’s health, raise women’s status in society, organize for fair wages and benefits for workers and families and adopt the Charter for Racial Justice.” A century and a half later, we continue to advocate for many of the same issues! At the Social Action table at the SCUMW annual conference in October, I will be joining other district coordinators to promote an Equal Rights Amendment letter writing campaign. It is our goal to have South Carolina become the 38th, and therefore, final state necessary to ratify the federal amendment.

As “Mass Incarceration/Criminal Justice” is one of the primary focuses of our district, I have followed the progress of two bills introduced by Senator Gerald Malloy who addressed our UMW Legislative Advocacy Day in February. The bills, namely S0046 which would require separate confinement of juvenile offenders under the age of 18 and S0047 which would prohibit the death penalty or life imprisonment if an individual was under the age of 18 at the time of the crime, were both in committee at the conclusion of the legislative session in May.

REMINDER: the completed submissions for the Charter for Racial Justice Diamond Unit Award are due to me no later than the 15th of September. Adherence to this deadline is dictated by a deadline of September 18th for the submission of the listing of the unit award recipients for inclusion in the SCUMW Annual Conference Program Booklet. To date, I have only received two completed forms. If you have any questions, please contact me at 585-770-4182 or wflemingsbu@gmail.com

Marion District United Methodist Women ---Calendar 2019

October 12  Annual District Meeting (9:45*)
District Executive Meeting
Little River UMC

October 25 & 26  Conference Annual Meeting (3:00)
Buncombe UMC,
Greenville

November 7  Killingsworth Gala (6:00)
Seawells, Columbia

November 9  District Officers Training (8:30-2:00)
Ashland UMC, Columbia

*Marion District Meetings start with Registration and refreshments at 9:15
## Charter for Racial Justice Diamond Units

The Diamond Unit certificate is awarded at each District Annual Meeting to each unit that completes three or more activities from the list below that demonstrates the unit’s commitment to the ideals in the Charter for Racial Justice. At least one of the diamond-marked activities must be included. You are to send a copy of this completed form to your District Social Action Coordinator by **September 15th** in order to be recognized at your district annual meeting and receive the Diamond Unit certificate.

### Name of Church:________________________

### Contact Person & Phone:______________________________

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<td>1. _______________</td>
<td>1. ▽ Watch a video related to the Charter for Racial Justice</td>
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<td>2. _______________</td>
<td>2. ▽ Give a book report on a Reading Program Book selected from the Social Action area</td>
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<td>3. _______________</td>
<td>3. ▽ Share articles from <em>Response</em> and <em>New World Outlook</em> or <em>UMW Action Alerts</em> relating to racism</td>
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<td>4. _______________</td>
<td>4. ▽ Supply each member with a copy of the <em>Charter for Racial Justice</em></td>
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<td>5. _______________</td>
<td>5. ▽ Present a program using the Charter for Racial Justice</td>
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<td>6. _______________</td>
<td>6. Use a program on racial justice/human rights from the UMW Program Book</td>
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<td>7. _______________</td>
<td>7. Participate in a UMW Social Action/Human Rights Mission Study</td>
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<td>8. Give a report to the unit about an experience of attending a musical or theatrical performance by person(s) of a different race, culture, or ethnic background</td>
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<td>9. _______________</td>
<td>9. Send at least one member to Capital Day (Legislative Day)</td>
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<td>10. _______________</td>
<td>10. Participate in postcard-writing which encourages legislation favorable to the economically deprived or challenged (or email)</td>
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<td>11. _______________</td>
<td>11. Experience worship, Bible study, or UMW unit program/activity with an ethnic group different from your own (All Marion District UMW gatherings)</td>
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<td>12. _______________</td>
<td>12. Attend or host an international tasting party, culture fair, or other international event</td>
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<td>13. _______________</td>
<td>13. Participate in a Bible Study on Racism</td>
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<td>14. _______________</td>
<td>14. Celebrate Black History Month in February</td>
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<td>15. _______________</td>
<td>15. Suggest and plan with your pastor a pulpit (or Choir) exchange with a pastor of another race</td>
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<td>16. _______________</td>
<td>16. Plan an event with a unit of a different race or ethnic background (a celebration, worship, Vacation Bible School, Service of Prayer and Self Denial)</td>
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<td>17. Other – (Collect Items/funds for UMCOR Kits -- Collect items for other community social welfare/educational purposes)</td>
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Marion District United Methodist Women
POTENTIAL LEADER’S INFORMATION FORM
TO BE COMPLETED BY POTENTIAL LEADER

Type or print (attach additional sheets as needed)  Date: ________________

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Professional Skills, Job Experience

Office(s) held in United Methodist Women:

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Additional experience on the local, district, conference or general church level (other than United Methodist Women) or in the community:

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AREAS OF SPECIAL INTEREST “I” AND/OR CONCERN “C”

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Other talents or skills specify: ______________________________________________________

Which office(s) on the United Methodist Women's Leadership Team would you most like to hold if given the opportunity to serve?

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Why are you interested in the position(s) and what qualifications do you feel you have for the office(s) of choice?

________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________

Would you be able to use your gifts and talents to uphold and strengthen United Methodist Women through the PURPOSE of the organization? ________

Is it possible for you to be away from your home or employment for:

Full day _______ Weekend _______ Extended time _______

Yes or No Yes or No Yes or No

_______ I am sorry but I am unable to accept an office

_______ Please keep my name on file and contact me ________ year

Please give any other information you feel is pertinent: ______________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

Return a Copy to: Marion District Nominations Committee

Garvin Gilley
176 Burr Circle
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576

or

Email: prtz1950@gmail.com
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<td>October 23-24</td>
<td>SCCUMW Annual Meeting 12:30 p.m.</td>
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<td>District Officers’ Training – 8:30-2:00</td>
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**CON-Bennettsville Cluster**
- Chairs: CON-Bennettsville Cluster
- Presidents: Katie D. Harrington
- Secretaries: Kari Summarin
- Treasurers: Pam King
- Historians: Paul Bonarski

**CON-Georgetown Cluster**
- Chairs: CON-Georgetown Cluster
- Presidents: Jane Thomas
- Secretaries: Jane Thomas
- Treasurers: Jane Thomas
- Historians: Jane Thomas

**CON-Horry Cluster**
- Chairs: CON-Horry Cluster
- Presidents: Alyssa R. Graves
- Secretaries: Alyssa R. Graves
- Treasurers: Alyssa R. Graves
- Historians: Alyssa R. Graves

**CON-Marion Cluster**
- Chairs: CON-Marion Cluster
- Presidents: Mirandia Page
- Secretaries: Mirandia Page
- Treasurers: Mirandia Page
- Historians: Mirandia Page

**DISTRICT UMM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS**
- District Superintendent: Rev. Jim Rogers
- Wallace Ex. Dr.: Dean McCord
- Member CON: Dean McCord
- SCC Program Resources: Velva Elledge
- SCC Social Action: Velva Elledge
- SCC Past President: Jane Crawford

This page will be updated after the Annual Meeting!!

Barbara Brooks, President  brooksie_32@hotmail.com

Lynn Bowman, Editor  lynnbowman630@yahoo.com
## NOMINATIONS REPORT

### 2020 Slate of Officers

#### Marion District UMW

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Mission Today Action Form

Unit President _____________________________________________ Date________________

Unit Name & Location_________________________________ Number of members in unit____

Units, which include all circles, must complete at least 10 of the following items. All units must complete #1.

___1. Made and met its Pledge to Mission.

___2. Used the Prayer Calendar at each General Membership Meeting of the unit to pray for people in mission and for our mission work with women, children and youth.

___3. Added at least one or more members to its roll.

___4. Had at least one member who subscribes to Response Magazine.

___5. Had at lease one member (other than a Conference or District Officer) attend Mission u or a district or local mission study.

___6. Had at least one member (other than a Conference or District Officer) attend the District Annual Meeting.

___7. Had at least one member (other than a Conference or District Officer) attend the Conference Annual Meeting.

___8. Had at least two members who wrote to at least five people listed in the Prayer Calendar at least once during the year.

___9. Participated in the Campaign for Children.

___10. Is a Five Star Unit, contributing to all five channels of Mission Giving.

___11. Had at least one person complete one of the plans in the Reading Program.

___12. Invited a District or Conference Officer, other than a member of the unit, to one meeting during the year.

Your unit, circle, or subgroup

___13. Included a Response Moment where an article from Response Magazine was lifted up as a way to tell the mission story in at least three meetings.

___14. Had at least two programs from the Program Book.

___15. Implemented the Charter for Racial Justice Policies in at least two ways.

Send form by September 20, 2019 to:

Ruthann Wooten, District E&I Coordinator
116 N. Dew Street
Latta, SC 29565
wootenra@att.net

Barbara Brooks, President
brooksie_32@hotmail.com

Lynn Bowman, Editor
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MARION DISTRICT 47th ANNUAL MEETING
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019

LITTLE RIVER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
1629 Highway 17 North, Little River, SC 29566
9:15 – 9:45 Registration

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Fill out Registration and send with payment to Beth Davis, 342 8th Avenue, Aynor, SC 29511
Make checks payable to Marion District UMW
Deadline October 7, 2019

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Check if you are:
- Conference Officer ___  District Officer ___  Clergy ___  Under 40 ___  First Timer ___

___ Number of person(s) @ $13.00 each   Total $ ___
___ Unable to stay for lunch @ $5.00 each   Total $ ___

(List additional names and phone numbers on separate sheet and enclose with registration)
**47th South Carolina Conference United Methodist Women Annual Meeting**

October 25 - 26, 2019

Buncombe Street United Methodist Church 200 Buncombe Street Greenville SC 29601

For registration information contact Diane Talley, Registrar at (864) 419-6463 or email talleydiane@bellsouth.net

Theme: “Celebrating 150 Years of Limitless Possibilities”

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Check all of the following that apply:
- [ ] First Timer
- [ ] Under 40
- [ ] Age 14-30
- [ ] Nursery needed: Number of children / ages / 

In case of emergency, contact __________________________ Phone __________________________

Will you be at dinner Friday night ______ Will you be at lunch Saturday? ______

*Note meals require a meal ticket from your registration packet.

****Workshops****

Select your first, second & third choices for Friday afternoon, you will be assigned one of your selections!
- [ ] Prayer Walking Our Cities
- [ ] UMW Through the Years
- [ ] Public Education Impact on the Community
- [ ] Reclaiming the Mount: Soteria
- [ ] The Trail of Your Pledges
- [ ] SWITCH: Combating Human Trafficking
- [ ] Free on the Inside: Experiencing God’s Forgiveness & Grace in Prison
- [ ] Limitless
- [ ] Communicating Your Vision
- [ ] CIRCLES USA: Helping Hand Out of Poverty

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**Friday, October 25th**

Registration: 11:00 am - 3:00 pm (follow signs) **Late registration will be available prior to Communion Service**

Optional: Pre-Conference activities and a tour of the Triune Mercy Center will be available during registration.

**Session 1**

2:45 pm Opening Ceremonies / Bible Study (Rev. Redonia Thomas) - Sanctuary
4:15 pm Workshops
5:30 pm Dinner (MEAL TICKETS REQUIRED)
6:45 pm Buncombe Street UMC Choir
7:00 pm Keynote Speaker (Harriet Jane Olson) / Communion - Sanctuary
8:30 pm Afterglow and Fellowship

**Saturday, October 26th**

Registration: 8:00 am - 9:00 am (follow signs)

**Session 2**

9:00 am General Business, Information Moments, Memorial Service, Special Music - Sanctuary
10:30 am Break
10:45 am President’s Report, Adoption of Budget, Love Offering, Past Conference Presidents Greetings
12:15 pm Lunch (MEAL TICKET REQUIRED)

**Session 3**

1:15 pm Election and Installation of Officers / Closing - Sanctuary

Mail with $35.00 fee payable to SCCUMW to: Diane Talley 47 Jones Creek Circle Greer, SC 29650

**Registration deadline: October 15th- registrations postmarked after October 15th and on-site fee is $45.00**
# Hotels for the SCCUMW 47th Annual Meeting

**October 25-26, 2019**

**Host church:** Buncombe Street United Methodist Church,
200 Buncombe St., Greenville, SC 29601

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| **Comfort Inn – Haywood Mall**                    | $110.00   | Plus tax
Cut-off date: October 4, 2019
Group code: SCCUMC 2019 Women’s Conference
Distance from church: 4.2 miles               |
| **Hampton Inn Greenville I-385/ Haywood Rd**      | $115.00   | Plus tax
Complimentary breakfast
Cut-off date: September 26, 2019
Group code: SCUMW
Distance from church: 4.1 miles               |
| **Home 2 Suites Greenville Downtown**             | $189.00   | Plus tax
This is a valet-only parking hotel with a daily fee of $15.00
Cut-off date: September 24, 2019
Group code: SC United Methodist Women
Distance from church: 0.3 miles               |
| **Hilton Greenville**                             | $149.00   | Plus tax
Rooms are subject to availability until the event date arrives.
Group code: SC Methodist Women’s Conference
Distance from church: 4.3 miles               |
| **Hyatt Place Greenville/Haywood**                | $129.00   | Plus tax
(Maximum occupancy 4 people per room; breakfast included in room rate)
Cut-off date: September 26, 2019
Group code: SC United Methodist Women’s Conference
Distance from church: 4.6 miles               |
MARION DISTRICT
UNITED METHODIST WOMEN
2020 Mini-Mission U

“Radical Disciples Then and Now”

Saturday, January 25, 2020
9:15am - 2:15pm

Brown Swamp United Methodist Church
47258 Highway 501 West
Conway, SC

Courses of Study:

Spiritual Growth Study - “Practicing Resurrection: The Gospel of Mark and Radical Discipleship”

Mission Study - “Women United for Change: 150 Years in Mission”

Registration Deadline: January 17, 2020

Name: ____________________________________________

Address:___________________________________________

Phone:______________________Church________________

_____Persons @$13.00 each (Lunch included)  Total $______

Make Checks payable to Marion District UMW and mail to:

Jane Crawford
1230 Judge Road
Dillon, SC 29536

For any other info: call  843-774-4129
CALLING ALL UNITED METHODIST WOMEN!!

Do you remember attending a United Methodist Women’s meeting with your mother or grandmother? Was it “United Methodist Women,” “Women’s Missionary Society,” or one of the other predecessor organizations? Perhaps you are a member of a brand new unit. We want to know about you!

You are being challenged to find out the history of the United Methodist Women’s unit at your church! Dig into the file cabinet in the corner of the church office or look at old pictures that may have identifying dates and names of ladies who are attending a United Methodist Women’s meeting (or from a predecessor organization). Look high and low to find dates for when your unit was organized. We are looking to CELEBRATE the OLDEST UNIT from each district at the Annual Meeting in Greenville next October. This will give you some time to do some research to find the origins of your unit.

OR,

Perhaps you are in a BRAND NEW unit. We want to CELEBRATE with you too.

NOW WHAT?

After you have done the research and know when your unit was organized, send a copy of the picture, the charter, whatever gives proof of the age of your unit to Sue Owens, Conference United Methodist Women’s Historian.

WHAT TO INCLUDE WHEN SENDING INFORMATION TO SUE:

1. Name of church and District
2. Name of unit (whether United Methodist Women, or one of the predecessor organizations).
3. Visual proof of the age of the unit. This may be a copy of the charter, minutes of church council where it is mentioned that a unit has been formed, pictures of women at a meeting with a visual date, etc. Let your imagination lead you to some possibilities of where this information may be found.
4. Name and contact information of the person making the report
5. The name of the contact person from the church and how to get in touch with her.

Please send this information to:
Sue Owens, 1286 Montview St. Spartanburg, SC, 29307
buttermilk116@att.net
The next issue of The Tie will be December 1, 2019. Please send all information by November 15, 2019.

This is my final issue of the newsletter. I have enjoyed serving you and am confident that your new Communications Coordinator will do an excellent job. Please welcome her as you have welcomed me! Thank you for entrusting me with this task for the last 5 years. It’s been a blast!! Take care, be blessed and continue to be great United Methodist Women!!

Much love!!

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OUR PURPOSE

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.