



## KANSAS WEST CONFERENCE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

# NEWS & VIEWS

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### Save the Date

Sept. 18 Mini School of Christian Mission, Registration  
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Newton Salem UMC, Newton  
Oct. 2-3 Mini School of Mission, Camp Lakeside  
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Nov. 1 News & Views Reports *due*  
Nov. 20-22 Leadership Training Event, St. Louis, MO

**April 29-May 2 2010 ASSEMBLY, St. Louis, MO**

Conference U.M.W. website:  
<http://www.kswestumc.org/page.asp?PKValue=502>  
or <http://www.gbgm-umc.org/umwkw/>

Those of you with  
email/Internet access, please  
make issues available to other  
in your units.  
Thank you.

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Please make this newsletter  
available to all current  
officers.

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## **President**

"Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God."  
Hebrews 13-16 What a summer UMW has had.

**June:** Forty-one young ladies and six sponsors boarded the bus in Wichita to travel to the northeast, experiencing and doing Mission work. These girls are eager and willing to share their experience with units. If your unit did not send a girl, there is likely one close that went, so check with your District Youth Activities person for name and address and give them the opportunity to share their joy and experience of their trip.

**July:** 106 adults 23 children and 8 youth attended the School of Missions in Salina. One grandmother brought seven grandchildren to the school. WOW! Look for the picture in "Response" magazine, October or November issue. Wonderful studies, teachers, fellowship with old friends, making new friendships, and life in the dorm. You will eat and think very differently about Food and Faith after studying this book, excellent study. Thursday night the food staff prepared a wonderful Sudanese meal for us that was delicious. If you were not there, we missed you and now you have a second chance, Mini School at Lakeside, October 2-3. This is a beautiful time at the camp and time to see the wonderful new kitchen-dining hall and refurbished Lodge and Baker Cabin.

**August:** Conference Executive Board met in Great Bend and held a training session for the District officers and coordinators.

Our Annual Meeting will be September 18-19 at Newton Salem UMC in Newton. Come join us for a fun evening on the 18th. Dinner will be served from the Hutchinson Food Trailer followed by music and program, "Railroad: Track with Christ", by Rev. Ron Lowry. Remember Newton is known for the railroad. This meeting is for all UMW members and friends, Local, District and Conference. This is your "Business Meeting."

You can see your Conference staff is very busy serving you. We are here to help in any way we can. We travel, visit, answer questions or will find the answer if we don't know it. It is a joy and privilege to be the President of Kansas West Conference UMW.

Grace and Peace.....Thelma

## **Standing Rules**

### **STANDING RULES OF KANSAS WEST CONFERENCE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN (Revised 2009)**

Standing rules have been revised. A complete copy of the revised edition is available on the Kansas West Conference United Methodist Women web site. <http://www.gb-gm-umc.org/umwkw/>

Ardena Matlack, Chair, Ethel Counts, Louise Schultz, and Meaghan Burr, Standing Rules Committee

## **Kansas West Conference UMW Annual Meeting**

Salem United Methodist Church,  
115 Old Main, Newton, KS,

Sat., Sept. 19, 2009

Peace Connections: Cultivating Justice,  
Nonviolence & Well-being!

A representative from Newton's Peace Connections will provide information on The Circles™ Initiative, which is striving to transform communities by building relationships that inspire and equip people to end poverty and to fulfill the vision that everyone in America should have access to the reasons, relationships and resources they need to thrive. Circles™ recently received a grant from the Kansas West Board of Church and Society of the United Methodist Church.

Rose Roberts, Hutchinson Dist.

## **Social Action**

On August 5-8, 2009, I attended and completed the Women's Division UMW training of trainers, "Hands That Heal: Human Trafficking." This is a human rights issue, social action. I learned that children are sold and rented daily. Commercial sexual exploitation is prostitution of our children. Children under the age of 18 are used for pornography prostitution. 85% prostitution takes place on computer. It is a 12 billion dollar industry. [The Nest Foundation](#), is a link to a video called "Playground," click on film trailer.

The Elements of trafficking:

**The Act** (what is done -- recruitment, transportation)

**The Means** (threat or use of force, coercion, abduction, fraud, deception, abuse of power or vulnerability, or giving payments or benefits to a person in control).

**The Purpose** (for the purpose of exploitation, sexual exploitation, forced labor, slavery or similar practices)

The Factors of trafficking are:

Sex (Who are these girls -- sexually abused as children; incest -- which is the boot camp for prostitution; and poverty - economic resources).

Labor

Sales of Organs (kidney, sperms, etc.)

Drugs

Migration

Highest Exploitations Areas:

Atlanta, Georgia

California

Texas

Las Vegas, NV

New York

Florida

What Do We Need To Do:

Get Legislative Reforms

Raise Awareness

Educate our families, community and region

Eliminate DSP (Demand, Supply, Profit)

Build Relationships and identify Resources & Issues

Generate Solutions & Decide What to Do

Create an Action Plan & Budget

Understand Culture and Trauma

**SAVE THE DATE:** Tuesday, February 9, 2009 –

The Legislative Event for Advocacy in Faith. We are eagerly looking forward to a great day for all who will attend the Legislative Event for Advocacy In Faith (LEAF) at First UMC in Topeka on Tues. Feb. 9, 2009.

If your registration is postmarked by January 15, 2010, the fee is \$20. The late registration fee is \$25. A scholarship is available for youth and young adults ages 15-21. Posted is a LEAF registration form and information on how to apply for the scholarship.

We must stay alert to issues that are particular concern to us. To find your representative or state senator, click on this web site: <http://maps.kansasgis.org/demograph/ims/myelect.cfm>, and keep zooming on the map until it is your area. Click the radio button at the top that says Find My Elected Official and click on your area. It will tell you who represents you or go to [www.kslegislature.org](http://www.kslegislature.org). We need to contact our individual representative and also committee leadership. <http://www.kslegislature.org/legsrv-portal/redistricting.do>, provides access to committee memberships and minutes. Have a look at the new Virtual Committee service – watch or listen to the live proceedings from the House and Senate committee rooms. To reach your Washington lawmakers go to <http://www.senate.gov>. To reach your representatives from Kansas go to <http://www.house.gov>. During the legislative session the handy Legislative Hotline number is 1-800-432-3924. You can ask question about legislative matters or leave a brief messages for legislators.

Please take time to read and act. Contact your Senators or on an issue that is important to you because your opinion matters. Stay involved.

Janice Elmore, Social Action

## **Program Resources**

Do you all feel the anticipation in the air as we approach both the Annual Conference meeting and the District Annual meetings? As Secretary of Program Resources I am looking forward to the new resources that will soon be coming out. The new program book, the Prayer Calendar, reading list books and other resources should be available in time for our annual meetings. I have had a sneak peak at the 2010 Reading List and there are some wonderful titles included for next year.

There are a lot of valuable resources that all UMW members should be aware of on the UMW Online Community website: <http://umwonline.org>. You never know what you might find when you log on—worship resources, news items, Power Point presentations, questions with answers about how to improve your UMW meetings, skits, devotions, and much more. The website changes constantly, so keep checking for new information.

I recently discovered on the website some additional resources for the *Food and Faith* study. This is a link that lists Bible verses mentioning food: <http://umwonline.org/faith>. Another link that explores the spiritual dimension of eating food is: <http://new.qbqm-umc.org/umw/foodfaith>

Now is the time to take advantage of a special opportunity for Reading Program members—the chance to participate in an online “Book Club” in the UMW Online Community. Over the next several months there will be discussions over the following books on the 2009

Reading List: *They Poured Fire on Us From the Sky, Why, Hard Line, and What Keeps Me Standing?* The first live chat will take place on August 29<sup>th</sup>.

If you haven't had a chance to read these books, now would be a good time to do it. Then join other UMW women from around the country for a lively online discussion. I am looking forward to seeing you at our annual meeting in Newton. Stop by the Resource Room, say hello, and check out our new 2010 resources.

Susan Carlson, Program Resources,  
[carlsr@tctelco.net](mailto:carlsr@tctelco.net)

## **Women's Division Director**

Where in the world has our director been?

After doing a Native American ministries Sunday service at Downs UMW and a UMW Sunday service at Portis UMC, she was off in June to Midwest Regional School in Fargo, ND. To get to Fargo, she flew to Chicago and nearly missed her flight to Fargo due to late departure from Wichita. As a women's director, Betty Hodson was assigned to do leadership development and officer update for Education and Interpretation mission coordinators. Like our South Central Jurisdiction, the North Central Jurisdiction has fifteen conferences. It was great meeting United Methodist Women from these conferences. From there, she went to Billings, MT via Denver and stayed two nights before she went on to Pacific Regional School in Powell, WY. To get there, Betty rode in a farm truck which was hauling golf carts on a long trailer for the school in Powel, 90 miles from Billings. Are United Methodist Women resourceful or not? Once again, it was so wonderful meeting women from eight conferences in the Western Jurisdiction. These women hail from Alaska, Hawaii, California, etc. Her assignment here was the same as in the Midwest Regional School. Betty attended the meeting the Western Jurisdiction president conducted with all the conference presidents. She learned that in this Jurisdiction, conferences allow three days in some cases for executive or annual meetings and talk of driving over mountains. It was a wonderful experience in the eleven days she was gone from home!

In July, she attended the wonderful summer tea sponsored by the Valley Center UMW and was honored to hear Lorna Anderson Moore speak. Then Betty was off to School of Christian Mission which had a fantastic attendance of 167. In September, she will join the UMW in Ness City for a joint mission study with other units and then do UMW Sunday services at First UMC in Great Bend. In October, Betty will team teach the Native American study with June Thomas at Mini School; attend a Women's Division meeting in Stamford, CT; attend the Dodge City District meeting and do a workshop; and then travel to the New Mexico Conference Annual Meeting in Albuquerque, NM to be key note speaker.

It is a joy to serve the Lord!  
Betty J. Hodson  
Women's Division Director  
Kansas West Conference

## **Education and Interpretation**

Dear Education and Interpretation Coordinators,  
It was good to meet with the District E & I's in Great Bend and good, also, to have Betty Hodson meeting with us. You will be interested to know of a few changes that the Conference Executive approved:

On #8 of the criteria for Mission Today Units, Mini-School was added. (At least one member of the unit other than a conference or district officer will attend the Conference or District School of Christian Mission.)

Also, it was decided that any unit who sends their Mission Today report will be recognized in the Mission Today report with their name printed along with the units who have qualified for being a Silver, Gold, or Platinum unit.

It seems like time goes so fast, so please don't forget to work on the criteria for being a Mission Today unit for 2009. Your District E&I and also I have more information on becoming a "Green" U.M.W. unit and about holding a Mini-Spiritual Growth retreat.

We do hope many more units are working on becoming a Mission Today Unit and that we will meet our goal of 60% of the units in our conference being a Mission Today unit.

Shirley Snider Education and Interpretation

## **Youth Activities**

Do you want to know what is going on in the mission field northeast of the Kansas West Conference? The METour girls are available to show you! Do not miss an opportunity to see UMW growing right before your eyes. If you need help finding a girl to come to your unit, YOUTH GROUP or church, call Erica Arb at 785-577-6460 or email at [tearb@yahoo.com](mailto:tearb@yahoo.com). A Power Point will also be available soon, call Stephanie Anglemeyer if you have questions about it. Her phone number is 1-620-222-8172 or at [stephangle@att.net](mailto:stephangle@att.net)  
Make sure to look up your District Youth Activities Representative at your annual meeting this fall!

Erica Arb, Youth Activities

## **Wichita West District**

Our annual meeting will be October 17 at Wichita West Heights UMC. Our theme is "Come to the Table". We will have two focus groups one "Food and Faith" will be a panel of those faith based groups who are living the teaching of Jesus to do unto the least of these. The second focus group will be on how to have a "Mission Today Unit". Our keynote speaker will be Mary Lou Reese, wife of Bishop Scott Jones. Anyone who would like to hear her speak is welcome to attend the meeting or come for her talk at 9:30 a.m. If you wish to register, contact Shirley Ross at 316 651-0544 or [shrsteach@yahoo.com](mailto:shrsteach@yahoo.com).

Diane Thompson, Wichita West District President

## **Membership Nurture & Outreach**

11,007 Kansas West Conference UMW members in 2008! Our membership is dropping. Yet, there are many, many women in our churches and communities that are not involved in UMW. Host a bring a friend event! Ideas - invite your neighbor, someone who recently retired, a young mother, a college student, an empty nester, the business executive!

Local MN&O's - please attend your Officer Training offered at the District Meetings! We have new forms and there is confusion about completing them. The District MN&O's will share with you information on how to complete them. EVERY member counts! If you have any questions, please contact me [sandersue@hotmail.com](mailto:sandersue@hotmail.com)

Walk in Sunshine,  
Susan Sanders

**2010 Kansas West Conference United  
Methodist Women Mission Team  
Slate of Officers Presented by the KWC  
Nominations Committee**

The following is a list of Officers for the Kansas West Conference to be voted upon at the Annual Conference September 18-19, 2009 at Newton Salem United Methodist Church, Newton, KS :

Vice President - Sandra Jellison-Knock  
Treasurer - Elaine Heskett  
Education and Interpretation - Diane Thompson  
Secretary of Program Resource - Belinda Hunt  
Communication Coordinator - Anita Jost  
Chairman of Nominations - Betty Eckman  
Chairperson on Youth Activities - Sherri Ewertt  
Historian - Carol Benninga

Thanks to all that have stepped forward to fill the positions. God is all knowing and loving God!

Betty Eckman, Chr. Nominations

**Assembly 2010**

**FYI**

Room rate for Assembly

Per room

1 King \$98.79

2 Full --can hold 4 persons \$96.57 -- These prices include taxes.

Tentative Bus price \$135 @ (round trip, includes driver fee & tip---- subject to change depending on number going)

2 pick up locations planned --- Wichita and Salina

Registration Fees

\$250 by mail (any time)

\$215 if done on-line before Nov. 30, 2009

Pre Conference day \$50 Thur. Apr. 29 (Bus will leave Wed. Apr. 28 return Sunday May 2)

Complete bus and room information will be sent to each person that has signed up after September 1, 2009

**Spiritual Growth**

***O Lord, my God! When I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds they hands have made  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy power through-out the universe displayed.***

I found myself singing the words of this song as I gazed at the majestic mountains and the crashing waterfalls as I was hiking along the fjords of Norway. Of course, when alone I assume I am singing in perfect pitch.

The majesty of your creation surrounds me in all directions. Your creativity is in the mountains, lakes, rivers and the rolling prairies. Your detail of trees, flowers plants and the diversity of animal life are so amazing.

The cares of this world fade away when alone and I am in communion with God. To think he loves me and will help in any circumstances that come my way. It is in moments like this that I feel regenerated and no matter how difficult life becomes, God is always beside me and I only need to ask for him to carry my burden.

***Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee;  
How great thou art, how great thou art.  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee;  
How great thou art, how great thou art!  
Amen and Amen.***

Shirley Ade, Spiritual Growth

## **Kansas West Conference UMW Annual Meeting**

Open Table... Brokenness to Wholeness

"Be not forgetful to entertain strangers: for thereby some have entertained angels unawares."-  
Hebrews 13:2

All are invited to our Kansas West United Methodist Women Annual Meeting being held September 18-19, 2009 at Salem United Methodist Church in Newton, Kansas. This event is for all United Methodist Women at the local, district and conference levels, including all our pastors who we welcome into our midst whenever we gather together. Our Friday evening meal will be served by the Hutchinson District Hot Foods Trailer and we ask that everyone dress in casual comfort. Our evening entertainment will be music provided by *Spirit Group* from McPherson and "Railroad: Track with Christ" presented by Rev. Ron Lowry.

Saturday morning we will hear from our keynote speaker Rev. Pat Ault-Duell of Hutchinson Trinity UMC. Pat is a former Hays District Superintendent and is known as an inspiring preacher and a pastor who emphasizes hospitality. Along with the business meeting there will also be time for you to attend a focus group. You can choose to tour Youthville's Newton Campus and see the many ways they live out the mission of "Giving Children Back Their Childhood." There will also be a tour of Asbury Park Retirement Community with an emphasis on the Green House® Homes which are a new concept of living for the elder in need of health care to live in a residential setting for a group of ten. At the Salem UMC we will offer a focus by Peace Connections, a non-profit organization dedicated to providing opportunities for individuals and groups to care for themselves and to connect to others in ways that create more personal, local, national and global peace. Our final focus is an opportunity for teen, university and young women (ages 12-39) to tour Youthville and be a part of our Annual Meeting for a reduced price of \$10 which includes meetings and meals.

For more information see the registration form included in this newsletter. In-gathering information for Youthville and Asbury Park, as well as hotel suggestions and a map to help you find Salem UMC are included with the form. I look forward to seeing all of you at the table.

Blessings, Sandra Jellison-Knock, KWC UMW Vice President

# **ASSEMBLY 2010**

## **DATES:**

**APRIL 29-MAY 2, 2010  
ST. LOUIS, MO**

## **THEME:**

**FAITH. HOPE.  
LOVE. IN. ACTION**

## **VISION STATEMENT:**

**As United Methodist Women who are disciples of Jesus Christ we are called to share...**

## **Assembly Scripture:**

**Colossians 1:3-6  
(New Standard Version)**

**Offering: Offering will help fund organizations and projects focused on global health and environmental justice issues that affect women, children and youth in the United States and internationally.**

## **REGISTRATION FEE:**

### **Assembly Registration**

**\$215 Early Registration on line only before 11/30/09**

**\$250 Registration after November 30, 2009**

### **Registration Fee:**

**\$50 Ubuntu Mission Day**

**Assembly registration will include badge, program book and tote bag.**

**Ubuntu Mission Day registration will include transportation, lunch T-shirt and information packet.**

### **Ubuntu Mission Day:**

**Attendees can do mission work at various projects in the St. Louis area.**

## **Major Program features will include:**

### **o Ubuntu Mission Day**

- **Plenary, Panel discussions,**
- **Seminars, Symposiums,**
- **Town Hall gatherings**
- **An Assembly Action,**
- **Speech Contest,**
- **Dynamic /Inspiring Presentations,**
- **Renowned Speakers**

## **Assembly 2010**

### **Get Involved**

Call for stories, talents and skills at Assembly 2010  
This is your opportunity to get involved!

### **Tell Your Story**

Do you have a story about your own personal transformation, your involvement in United Methodist Women, and how Faith \* Hope \* Love in Action inspires your call to mission?

At Assembly 2010 we will celebrate the power of United Methodist Women.

Please submit a summary of your story and your contact information to [getinvolved2010@gbgm-umc.org](mailto:getinvolved2010@gbgm-umc.org) by September 15, 2009.

### **Showcase Your Talent**

Do you write prose or poetry, sing or play an instrument, or do dramatic interpretation or dance?

Share your talents via Word document, audio (.mp3) file, or video (.AVI) file (less than 8 MB). Video files can be sent via links from YouTube, Vimeo, etc.

All content should be original material created by the submitter and in the public domain. Please submit talents to [getinvolved2010@gbgm-umc.org](mailto:getinvolved2010@gbgm-umc.org).

### **Volunteer**

We're calling on you to volunteer at Assembly 2010.

Volunteer for several hours or the entire event.

We're looking for:  
Local Travel Assistance  
On-site Translators  
Workshop and Mission Trip Facilitators

Registration Assistance  
Resource Distributors  
Administrators with Clerical and Organizational Skills  
Writers  
Hospitality Assistance  
Greeters  
Host a House Party

### **Host a House Party**

House parties to promote Assembly will be taking place nationwide on two specific dates: October 20, 2009 and February 23, 2010. Be a host and select several of your United Methodist Women friends to help you co-host. House Parties are an opportunity to learn more about Assembly and how to register. To learn more about House Parties, get scripts and sign up to host, click on listed addresses.

Thank you in advance and please don't hesitate to email me with any questions you may have ~ [sewing@gbgm-umc.org](mailto:sewing@gbgm-umc.org).

Selby Ewing  
Director of Communications  
Women's Division, United Methodist Women

# Open Table ... Brokenness to Wholeness

## Kansas West United Methodist Women Annual Meeting

Salem United Methodist Church  
115 Old Main, Newton, Kansas

September 18-19, 2009

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strangers: for thereby some have  
entertained angels unawares."

Hebrews 13:2

Friday, September 18

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm-Registration

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm-Dinner served by Hutchinson District Hot  
Foods Trailer (dress casual)

-Music by *Spirit Group*

-Railroad: Track with Christ by Rev. Ron Lowry

Saturday, September 19

8:00 am - 8:45 am-Registration & Complimentary Continental Breakfast  
(*Gathering for congregational singing with the meeting to begin at 9:00 a.m.*)

### Keynote Speaker: Rev. Pat Ault-Duell

*Ingathering items for Youthville & monetary donations for Asbury Park will be collected.*

*(See back of form for Youthville wish list, hotel recommendations & a map to the church.)*

Fill out and return the form below- registration deadline September 11. No refunds after September 11.

### REGISTRATION FORM

Please print legibly. Place an X by your name if this is your first time at Annual Conference.

Name Send registration by September 11 to:

Jan Swickard

Church 903 E. Broadway

Newton, LS 67114

District phone: 316-283-0343

e-mail: [jlswickard@cox.net](mailto:jlswickard@cox.net)

**No refunds after Sept. 11**

Focus Groups – mark preferences 1 and 2 (You will only attend one.)

Circles Initiative by Peace Connections (At the Salem UMC)

A Tour of Youthville

Teen, University and Young Women (Ages 12-39)

A Tour of Asbury Park

Registration (\$5)..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Friday Evening Meal (\$10)..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday Luncheon (\$8)..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Teen/University/Youth Woman (\$10), includes meeting/meals... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Please make checks payable to Kansas West UMW.)

Babysitter Needed – ages \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ (Please bring a sack lunch.)

For more information log on to [www.kswestumc.org](http://www.kswestumc.org) or [www.gbgm-umc.org/umwkw/](http://www.gbgm-umc.org/umwkw/)

**Together at the Table**

**2009 Schools of Christian Mission Theme**

For generations the table has been an important symbol for the gathered community. It is around the table that food is shared, discussions are held and decisions made. As Christians, we are reminded of the significance of the table in Jesus' life and ministry. He shared meals with his friends. In the temple he overturned the tables of injustice. On the eve of his death, with his disciples, he broke bread and set forth a means of grace for all who would believe.

**Spiritual Growth: Food and Faith**

**Geographic: Sudan** The Beauty and Courage of Sudan

**General Issue: Giving Our Hearts Away: Native American Survival**

**Kansas West Conference UMW  
Mini-School of Christian Missions**

October 2-3, 2009

Lakeside United Methodist Camp

Scott City, Kansas

**Registration Friday 9:00 a.m.-10:45 a.m.**

Opening Plenary 11:00 am

Closing Worship: Sat. 3:00 p.m.

**Registration Deadline: September 19, 2009**

**Cost of Registration:** \$45, which includes meals and room. A room for Thursday night can be arranged with the registrar for an additional \$17.50 along with breakfast on Friday morning for \$5.50. Commuter, the cost of meals are breakfast \$5.50, lunch \$6.50, dinner \$8.00. Decide how many meals you will be eating. Please send that amount in with your registration. That will be your only cost other than book and study material.

**Study Materials and Books are at your expense.**

These are available at the school or may be ordered from the service center:

1-800-305-9857 or [www.missionresourcecenter.org](http://www.missionresourcecenter.org)

**Make Registration checks payable to Kansas West Conference UMW**

**Send registration and check to**

**Marilea Beougher, Registrar**

**Box 48, 190 Elm**

**Grainfield, KS 67737-0048**

**785-673-4832**

**Please be aware of deadlines.**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DISTRICT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CHURCH:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_ **Please include your e-mail address if you have one.**

## UMW T-SHIRT ORDER FORM

This t-shirt is for all Kansas West Conference United Methodist Women. The navy t-shirt with "sunflower gold" printing will have a pocket-sized sunflower and Kansas West Conference United Methodist Women on the front and the Purpose of UMW on the back. The cost is \$10.00 payable to KWC UMW. Orders will be taken at School of Christian Mission in Salina and Officer Training in Great Bend. If you wish to order by mail, send the order form and check to Barbara Wright, Box 615, Syracuse, KS 67878 by September 1. T-shirts will be delivered at the Annual Meeting at Salem UMC in Newton, KS on Sept. 18-19.

### UMW T-SHIRT ORDER FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Size

Small \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Large \_\_\_\_\_ Ex-Large \_\_\_\_\_

2XL \_\_\_\_\_ 3XL \_\_\_\_\_ 4XL \_\_\_\_\_

Send order form and check for \$10.00 made out to Kansas West Conference United Methodist Women to Barbara Wright, Box 615, Syracuse, KS 67878.

## Ingathering Items to be Brought to the Kansas West United Methodist Women Annual Meeting:

**Youthville**-gloves, hats, coats, gift cards, craft kits (jewelry, crocheting), art & craft supplies (markers, pencils, crayons), sketch books, poster board, stationery, socks (all sizes, male & female, must be new), clothing (for youth 10-18 years of age), white t-shirts, water bottles, personal hygiene products, towels, CD players, AA batteries, plastic hangers, notebooks (not spiral bound), MP3 players, hair accessories, books (teenage novels, comics, magazines), DVDs rated PG & under (inspirational, educational, discovery), outdoor games & equipment.

**Asbury Park**-monetary donations

## Hotel Recommendations

Days Inn-Newton (newly remodeled)  
105 Manchester/I-135  
(I-135 & 1st Street Exit 31)  
Newton, KS 67114  
Phone: 316-283-3330  
Fax: 316-284-0602  
[www.daysinn.com](http://www.daysinn.com)

Best Western Red Coach Inn  
1301 East 1st  
Newton, KS 67114  
Phone: 316-283-9120  
FAX: 316-283-4105  
[www.bestwesternkansas.com](http://www.bestwesternkansas.com)

