

# Mission Trees



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Newsletter for Conference UMW – August 2009

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## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Buffet. What does the word buffet mean to you? Does it conjure up images of unlimited choices and quantities? Perhaps a church pot luck supper? Perhaps being able to take more than usual - or needed? One of the discussions from the Food and Faith study asks what our reaction is to persons who take (or request) too much. Do we read into that, "more than they deserve"? Who determines someone's need?

God provides a buffet every day that provides for all our physical and spiritual needs. Do we load our "plate" with "empty calories"? Do we include everyone? I encourage you to continue this discussion in your local unit, with your family and friends and in your larger community.

Speaking of larger community – I hope you are making plans to attend Assembly 2010 in Saint Louis, MO. Join with thousands of other United Methodist Women in communion, praising God with worship and song; buffets of workshops, exhibits and program resources; celebrating and learning about the positive difference United Methodist Women make possible every day in lives around the world. There is more information about registration in this newsletter. Spread the word. Register early and get the special discount.

Thank you for your commitment and support to help make the world a better place for women, children and youth through United Methodist Women. See you in East Greenwich, RI in October.

Blessings,  
*Cindy*

**Change of address.** When you have a change of address (snail mail or e-mail or phone number, please notify Arlene Mackie, Marcia Hoyt and Carla Ganter and be sure to include which District you are in along with your old address and new address so we can find you. Thanks!

*Ability is what you are capable of doing. Motivation determines what you do. Attitude determines how well you do it.*

- Lou Holtz

## REMINDERS FROM YOUR VICE PRESIDENT

Ginni Wright

Have you marked your calendar and sent in your reservation for our Annual Meeting to be held at the East Greenwich United Methodist Church in East Greenwich, Rhode Island on Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup>? Registration deadline October 1<sup>st</sup>.

Come enjoy a day of fellowship, spiritual renewal and education as our speaker Valerie Bell tells us "Why Christians Should Care About Climate Change"

Valerie is the Environmental Justice Coordinator for the New England Conference, a teacher, as well as a well known authority on the environment on Cape Cod.

The new East Greenwich Church celebrated their first anniversary in their new church on August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 after leaving a church building that had been their home for 175 years. In their newsletter they wrote..."The narthex is a welcoming space that is even more inviting than we imagined. The sanctuary with the wonderful blend of stained glass, warm tones, sacred symbols, flexible space, excellent acoustics and high tech audio-visual capability, is a sensory delight. The Education area is designed for easy flow into and out of the sanctuary, and the room decorations and Bible verses remind us who we are and whose we are."

**Local Units** - Each unit is asked to bring an environmental display to be set up on a card table.

For those planning to stay overnight or those who live locally, we will meet at the Cowesett Inn, 226 Cowesett Avenue, West Warwick, RI for a "Dutch Treat" dinner between 6:30-7:00 pm on Friday night, October 23rd.

Reservations to me by 10-15 either by e-mail - [gwright@capecod.net](mailto:gwright@capecod.net). Phone 1-508-430-1087, or snail mail - Ginni Wright, PO Box 146, S. Harwich, MA 02661.

Enjoy a relaxed dinner with our United Methodist sisters. When you make your reservation I will send directions or you can go on the Internet [www.Cowesettinn.net](http://www.Cowesettinn.net)

Deadline for those requiring overnight accommodations at Comfort Suites is September 18<sup>th</sup>. Telephone number 1-401-826-1800. - e-mail - [gm.r1016@choicehotels.com](mailto:gm.r1016@choicehotels.com)

More info on back of registration form.

**ASSEMBLY 2010 - APRIL 30-  
MAY 2, 2010  
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI**

**SAVE THE DATE!**

## **Treasurer Tidbits**

Were you able to attend a School of Christian Mission this summer? If you were, you learned about how food nourishes us spiritually as well as physically. You learned about the causes and concerns about the future in Sudan or how our Native American brothers and sisters are coping with over nearly 400 years of oppression within our own country. You also learned about how your mission dollars work to bring hope and peace to the oppressed.

When you send your mission dollars to your district treasurer, she forwards 100% to me, the conference treasurer. I retrain a percentage of those funds for conference A&MD and forward the rest to Women's Division. Some of the money reaching Women's Division is kept for their A&MD budget. The remainder is divided equally between missions in the United States and missions outside the United States. The money retained within our conference is used to support programming in your district, the conference programs, leadership training for conference, district, and local officers, and the Schools of Christian Mission within our conference. The retention percentage is presented each year at the Conference Annual Meeting and voted upon by all those who are present along with the conference budget. The percentage is only applied to pledge to mission dollars. 100% of the funds for SMR pins, Gifts in Memory, Gift to Mission Cards, and the World Thank Offering is forwarded to Women's Division. If you have any questions about where your mission dollars are going, or about the portion being spent by your district and/or conference teams, please contact your district treasurer or me. If we don't know the answer, we will find someone who does,

I want to thank all of our District and unit Treasurers who have worked diligently to provide clear and accurate records. I know how hard you all work. You truly live the purpose of United Methodist Women in your selfless giving of time and talent.

Roberta Bragan

## **Are you Online????**

Getting SpiritNET Online

If you already receive the other conference electronic communications such as UMCatalyst etc., online you will receive an online subscription notice.

NEW subscribers or those that do not receive electronic newsletters can subscribe to SpiritNet Online by visiting [www.neumc.org/spiritnet](http://www.neumc.org/spiritnet) and click on "Subscribe Now." Keep informed!!!!

**Online Community Update!!!**

**Are you ONLINE?? The UMW ONLINE??**

We now have 7081 Members of the UMW ONLINE Community!  
Are you one of them?

Please join us on United Methodist Women's own social networking site, <http://umwonline.org>, to engage more fully in the discussion and mission of UMW. Lots of ideas!! Check it out!

Carla Ganter  
NEC Secretary

## **Are you on Facebook???**

Did you know that the UMW is on Facebook?

The UMW is everywhere!!!

If you are familiar with Facebook...be sure to check it out...

<http://www.umwmission.org>

<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=36880545136>

Carla Ganter  
NEC Secretary

**Online Sites!!! Check them out!!!!**

**<http://www.umwmission.org>**

**<http://www.umwonline.org>**

**<http://www.twitter.com/umwomen>**

**<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=36880545136>**

**Carla Ganter**  
**NEC Secretary**

## School of Christian Mission Update

The Schools of Christian Mission at Farmington, ME and Manchester, NH have ended and still to look forward to are the School at Camp Aldersgate, North Scituate, RI (Sept. 17-19) and the One-Day School in Quincy, MA (Oct. 3). There is still time to register for both and registration information and registration forms are added and/or linked to this update.

The One-Day School in Quincy is different from past schools. It incorporates ideas that have come to us from Bishop Weaver and womSen from VT who are looking forward to uniting with our New England Conference next July. In addition to the all-day study on Sudan is a pot-pourri of all three of this year's studies (2 hours of each): *The Beauty and Courage of Sudan*, *Why a Dream of Peace is Possible*, *Food and Faith*, and *Giving Our Hearts Away: Native American Survival*. We are also offering a children/youth study, *Piecing Together Peace for Sudan and Food, Faith and Me*. **Please spread the word.** We are trying to reach out to men, women, children and youth who haven't been able to attend our three-day schools as well as give a taste of our programs to people who have never or seldom attended the three-day schools. We also welcome those persons who have attended a School of Christian Mission this year, as the studies will be shortened and led by people who may not have been study leaders in the school you attended.

Thank you to all persons who submitted evaluation forms at the Farmington and Manchester schools. I have compiled all of your information and at this time would like to share with you some of the thoughts that were shared:

- First, let me say that the study leaders received high scores. People found them engaging and knowledgeable. On a scale of 1 to 6, the majority of attendees scored the study leaders as a 5 or 6. Many thanks to Linda Borio, Spring Hanna, Pastor Han Sung Kim (Korean study), Arlene Mackie, Rev. Garvin Warden, Rev. Margaret Bickford, Cat Janson, Becky Michaud, Liz Janson, and Jennifer Jacques for leading our studies; also for Peg Swett and Kim Gontarz, registrars for the two schools. If you were in Linda Borio's class at either school, you should have received a recipe

booklet Linda put together from favorite recipes brought to her classes. It was a lot of work, but what a treasure to keep!

- Rating the highest score at Farmington was the site location, followed by the accessibility around the site, dorm rooms and classrooms.
- Rating the highest score at Manchester was the meals—dinner with linen table cloths and napkins, and food that showcases the school's culinary arts program. Also very popular was the presence of the Korean school, especially of the joint worship service with the Korean ladies and study leader.
- Thankfully the past concern of time and free time was addressed at Farmington by having classes in the new education center. It decreased the time between studies and was wonderful for our aging bodies.
- Time was a problem at our first experience at Southern New Hampshire University. Due to another group using the facility, registration was moved to a later time. The result was a lot needing to happen in a lesser amount of time. Although all of the classes were in the same area—often the same room—there was little time for reflection, study, meditation, singing familiar songs we all love, etc. Sorely missed was musical accompaniment, e.g. keyboard or CDs.
- Thanks to those who have volunteered to help next year and to the many people, although they don't have children, acknowledged the joy in having the children and youth present and noted that they know other families that are interested in attending SOCM next year and that they would like to bring their grandchildren. They also realize that young families and children are vital to School of Christian Mission.

Planning is about ready to begin for next year. The leadership for those schools will be Pat Tebbetts, Dean, and Cindy Edgerly, Asst. Dean. Studies for 2010 are *For the Love of God: John's Letters*, *Mission and Evangelism*, and *Sudan*. As you may have already read, in the years ahead we face special challenges and opportunities—the downturn of the economy, rising facility expenses, the wonderful addition of Vermont church, and the possible link with other ongoing Conference workshops and events. We may be looking at different models for our schools and different sites.

## School of Mission Update (cont.)

If you haven't participated in the survey and have ideas for the future, please feel free to share them with Pat, Cindy or me. We'll see that they get shared with the planning committee and I'll share some of the ideas in the next newsletter. To echo a few comments from the evaluation forms, "It's time to be creative—'outside the box'". "We all need to work harder on promotion. SOCM is the best kept secret in the United Methodist Church."

"Promote—don't just send the material—'sell' the material...optimism and effort!" Please contact us with your "selling" ideas.

Blessings.

Rev. Barbara Schreier, Dean, SOCM

## **SCHOOL OF MISSION**

### **Camp Aldersgate, North Scituate, RI September 17- 19, 2009**

Registrar: Virginia Ahart, 27 Fomer  
Road, Southampton, MA 01073

**Residents (No single rooms)  
Commuters**

Two nights lodging plus six meals. \$160.00  
Recreational Vehicle Rate is \$125.00 including 4  
meals.

No childcare or programs for children and youth  
provided. **Registration Due By August 19, 2009**

**Featured studies and study leaders:**

- ❖ *Food and Faith* – Spring Hanna, Rockford, ME
  
- ❖ *The Beauty and Courage of Sudan: Why a  
Dream of Peace is Possible* – Rev. Garvin  
Warden, Dorchester, MA
  
- ❖ *Giving Our Hearts Away: Native American  
Survival* – Rev. Margaret Bickford, Rumney, NH

Study books are not included in the above fees.  
They may be obtained at the School or from the  
Mission Resource Center (800) 305-9857 or  
[www.missionresourcecenter.org/wdstore](http://www.missionresourcecenter.org/wdstore).

**If registering after the deadline, please contact your  
registrar for space availability.**

**If available, please include a \$10.00 late fee.**

**Full refund is provided only if requested prior to registration  
deadline.**

**If registering youth or children, required consent forms will  
be sent to you by the registrar.**

**Resident participants, please bring your own linens  
and towels.**

**All fees must be paid in full two weeks before the  
study.**

## ***Korean School of Christian Mission One Day Event***

Twenty five Korean UMC members joined the  
2009 New England Conference UMW School of  
Christian Mission. It was held on Saturday, July 25,  
2009 at Southern New Hampshire University in  
Manchester, New Hampshire. For the last 3 years,  
the Korean school was held separately on a  
different day, It became very significant and  
meaningful for Korean members to join with the  
NEC-UMW group.

The theme of the study was "Together at the  
Table." The Spiritual Growth study was "Food and  
Faith" led by the Rev. Han Sung Kim (Vision UMC  
pastor) who was an excellent study leader. We all  
had valuable learning and sharing time.

At lunch break-time, we introduced each other and  
also approved and announced the nominated  
executive members for the coming two years for  
National network of Korean UMW.

During the communion and pledge worship service,  
a gospel music song with body-motion dancing was  
presented by Korean UMW members. We had time  
for special mission giving for Sudan.

Korean members also had a fund raising event  
(Walk-A-Thon) on June, 2009 and \$ 500 was  
contributed to New England Conference UMW as  
undesignated mission giving on this day.

In our evaluations, we will continue to participate  
more actively. Korean executive team members will  
attend the 2009 annual UMW meeting which will be  
held Oct. 24, in R.I.

*Esther Chung,  
Korean language coordinator*

**NEW!!!!**

**New England Conference School of Christian Mission One-Day Event**

**Saturday, October 3, 2009**

**at**

**Quincy Community United Methodist Church, Quincy, Massachusetts**

**9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**Missed the 3-day School of Christian Mission? Never been before? Then this is for you!**

**Choose from below (Please check one):**

**A comprehensive study (six hours) on Sudan with Rev. Garvin Warden**  
 **Children/Youth study on *Food and Faith* and *Sudan* with Cat Janson and staff**

**A pot pourri (two hours each) of the three studies offered this year:**  
***Sudan, Food and Faith, and Native American Survival***  
**Rev. Garvin Warden, Rene Wilbur, and Pat Parent, Study Leaders**

**Continental breakfast and literature sales begin at 8:45 a.m.**

**Please register in advance so that handouts and lunch will be available.**

**Mail form to Quincy Community UMC, 40 Beale St., Quincy, MA 02170, Attn. Margaret Buckley  
or e-mail at [gcumc2@comcast.net](mailto:gcumc2@comcast.net) or Fax (617) 773-3321**

**Please enclose non-refundable payment of \$40.00 for each registration (price includes luncheon).  
Walk-ins - \$45.00. Checks are payable to UMWSOCM. Total Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Some scholarships are available. Please contact Margaret (see above) for details.**

**(Please Print)**

**Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_**

**Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_**

**State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_**

**Church \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_**

**Special Dietary Needs (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Please check below if you will be purchasing the textbooks at registration. You can also obtain the books in advance from Mission Resource Center at 1-800-305-9857 or [www.missionresourcecenter.org/wdstore](http://www.missionresourcecenter.org/wdstore).**

**Adults:**

***The Beauty and Courage of Sudan* by Linda Beher (#M0360, \$10.00)**

***Food and Faith* by Wendy Whiteside (#M3030, \$7.00)**

***Giving Our Hearts Away: Native American Survival* by Thom White Wolf Fassett (#M3015, \$10.00)**

**Children and Youth:**

***Piece Work/Peace Work-Working Together for Peace and Sudan* by Martha Bettis Gee (#M3063, \$8.00)**

***Food, Faith and Me* by Kelly Martini (#M3055, \$8.00)**

**For more information contact Margaret Buckley, Registrar at [gcumc2@comcast.net](mailto:gcumc2@comcast.net) or (617)773-319 or Rev. Barbara Schreier, dean, at [bstks@sbcglobal.net](mailto:bstks@sbcglobal.net) or (860)928-0308**

## New England Conference UMW Nominations Committee Report Slate of Officers for Year 2010 Executive Team

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Nominations Committee		
	<b>2010</b>	
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	<b>2011</b> – June Carter	329a Summit Avenue, Brighton, MA 02135 617-734-6109, <a href="mailto:olivecarter27@yahoo.com">olivecarter27@yahoo.com</a>
	<b>2012</b> – Nancy Bond	19 Manor Drive, #10 Corinth, ME 04427

## United Methodist Women Assembly 2010

Are you coming? Coming where? To the **Assembly in St. Louis, MO from April 30 -May 2, 2010.**

This Conference engages thousands of Christian Women in Fellowship for Mission under the theme of **“Faith \* Hope \* Love in Action”**.

This is a three-day conference hosted by United Methodist Women celebrating and empowering women of faith in mission for women, children, and youth. Assembly 2010 will build a constituency capable of generating bold action across the globe.

Just imagine...8,000 to 11,000 Christian women are attracted to this quadrennial event that has taken place since 1942, and has always been a gathering place to rejoice and mobilize women in mission for women, children and youth.

**“How do I find out more information?”**, you might ask. Well, you’ve asked the right question. Simply log onto **“[www.umwmission.org](http://www.umwmission.org)”** and on the right side of the screen, click on “Assembly 2010”

Registration is taking place entirely online. If you register prior to November 30, 2009 (midnight PST), you can save \$35.00! Early online registration fee is only \$215. Regular online registration is \$250.00 beginning December 1, 2009.

**“What if I encounter problems trying to register online?”** You can email your questions to me, Linda Borio at [umwlindab@aol.com](mailto:umwlindab@aol.com), or telephone me at “860-749-6727” and I shall try to help you with your registration.

**“I don’t have a computer, how do I register if all registration is entirely online?”**

While registration is encouraged online, paper mail-in forms are available, however, you will not receive your early registration discount when you register via mail. In an effort to reduce our impact on the environment, be better stewards of mission money and streamline the Assembly registration process, we are encouraging the online registration and will not be printing Assembly packets. All information will be processed electronically online including your registration, print resources, and event confirmation and updates.

**“What does the Assembly registration include?”** Your registration fee includes all plenary sessions and worship; full access to exhibits, workshops, panel discussions and performances; and a limited-edition tote bag with Assembly materials such as an Assembly Program Book and Assembly 2010 commemorative pin.

I hope I have piqued your interest and you will log onto [www.umwmission.org](http://www.umwmission.org) for further information and responses to frequently asked questions.

Join us in St. Louis in 2010. This is an event that may change you forever.

Peace & Blessings,  
Linda Borio [“umwlindab@aol.com”](mailto:umwlindab@aol.com)  
Conference Assembly Liaison

### **Can You Help?**

Response is working on series of articles about Assembly leading up to the event (the first will appear in the October issue) and I’m looking for more stories, specifically stories of women attending Assembly with their family members.

I’d like your help in identifying women to interview for this article. I’m looking specifically for women who attended Assembly with their daughter, mother, grandmother, granddaughter, aunt, niece, cousin, pet, etc. And if you are one of these women and would be willing to be interviewed, please e-mail and let me know.

Send me any and all ideas for interviews!

I look forward to hearing from you.

Barbara

Barbara Wheeler  
Editor/Response Magazine  
United Methodist Women/Women's Division  
475 Riverside Drive, Room 1501  
New York, NY 10115  
212-870-3628 or 212-870-3755

## New England Conference United Methodist Women Assembly Scholarship Application

Please type or print clearly!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Check applicable box:

Conference Officer

Young Women (age 35 or younger)

Teen Member

District Officer

UMW Member

The New England Conference United Methodist Women have a sum of money set aside to help defray the cost of UMW members attending the Assembly to be held April 30 – May 2, 2010 in St. Louis, MO. Scholarship amounts are typically less than \$100. The money set aside is divided among those women that apply for a scholarship. Once the deal line is reached and the money is divided up, the funds will be gone. It is not possible for late applicants to receive money. Due to the small size of the scholarships, we would ask that those who can otherwise afford to attend Assembly consider that others may not be able to attend without scholarship assistance.

If for some reason you are unable to attend Assembly after you have received scholarship money, it would be necessary for you to return the scholarship funds to the NEC UMW Treasurer.

**Applicant Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

Applications must be legible and completely filled out to be considered.

**Please mail completed application to:  
Roberta Bragan  
5 Harding Circle  
Enfield, MA 06082**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2010**

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Official Use Only: Check No: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Paid: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

# WHY CHRISTIANS SHOULD CARE ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE

New England Conference United Methodist Women  
Annual Gathering ~ Saturday, October 24, 2009

E. Greenwich United Methodist Church  
1558 South County Trail ~ E. Greenwich Rhode Island 02818

**Directions:**

Take Route 95S from the North to Exit 8 (Quaker Lane / Route 2).  
From the South take 95N to Exit 8A (Quaker Lane / Route 2)

We are located on Route 2 in East Greenwich on the east side of the road. We're just south of the Showcase Cinema and Dave's Market.



## Speaker ~ Valerie Bell

Environmental Justice Coordinator ~ New England Conference

### Annual Gathering

9:00 am Registration, 9:15 am Hymn Sing, 9:30 to 4:30 Session - including lunch

**Each unit is asked to bring an environmental display**

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### REGISTRATION FOR ANNUAL GATHERING

Deadline is October 1, 2009

*Please print legibly*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Church \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

Street or PO Box City State Zip

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

UMW office: Local unit \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Conference \_\_\_\_\_

Special food considerations \_\_\_\_\_ Child care needed (ages of children ) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you need a translator? (please circle) Korean, Spanish, American Sign

Would you volunteer to translate (please circle) Korean, Spanish, American Sign

Annual Gathering (meeting) with lunch is **\$12.00** – Checks payable to: NEC UMW

Send to Ginni Wright, PO Box 146, South Harwich, MA 02661 by 10-1-09

*Hotel information on reverse side*

Hotel Accommodations:

Comfort Suites, 10 Keyes Ways, W. Warwick RI 02893

Telephone - 401-8826-1800

- Our rate:** \$93.50 + tax for 1 King bed
- \$106.25 + tax for 2 Queen beds (cost per room with sitting area, can sleep more)
- Free full breakfast
- High speed internet
- Indoor pool

Directions to Hotel:

From the North---Route 95S to Exit 8 in Rhode Island

Left off the Exit to the next lights

Turn left onto J.P. Murphy Highway.

Hotel is ¼ mile down on the right on Keyes Way

From the South---Route 95N to Exit 8B

At the second set of light take a left onto J.P. Murphy Highway

Hotel is ¼ mile down on right on Keyes Way.

Hotel is 2 miles from the church and easy to find

**DEADLINE for this hotel rate is September 18, 2009**

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**D A T E S T O R E M E M B E R . . .**

September 17 – 19: School of Mission, Camp Aldersgate

October 3 – One Day School of Mission, Quincy, MA

October 24: Conference UMW Annual Meeting, Rhode Island

April 29 – Ubuntu Day of Service, St. Louis

April 30 - May 2 : UMW Assembly, St. Louis

Arlene Mackie  
127 Shady Brook Lane  
Springfield, MA 01118



MISSION TREES

Address Correction Requested