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## FIRELANDS DISTRICT UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

### 2019



“On fire with the spirit, we go forth to share the  
love of Christ with other women.”

### THE PURPOSE

The organized unit of the 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.

## BECOME A MISSION TODAY UNIT

East Ohio Conference and Firelands District United Methodist Women 2019 Mission Today Unit Goals.

### Section A: Complete at least *four* of the following:

- \_\_\_1. Use the *Prayer Calendar* at each meeting to pray for mission workers and projects.
- \_\_\_2. Make and meet the unit's Pledge to Mission.
- \_\_\_3. Add at least one member to the unit's roll.
- \_\_\_4. Have at least 2 members subscribe to *Response* magazine.
- \_\_\_5. Use at least 2 programs from the *UMW Program Book* each year.
- \_\_\_6. Conduct at least one mission study each year from the current or previous year *Mission u* studies.
- \_\_\_7. Implement the Charter for Racial Justice Policies in at least one way during the year. Suggestions:
  - A. Plan a joint unit meeting with a unit of a different racial/ethnic background and use programs from the *UMW Program Book*.
  - B. Develop bi-racial or multi-racial cultural Koinonia (Christian Fellowship) groups.
  - C. Hold a joint Vacation Bible School and/or pulpit exchanges.
  - D. Share joint worship services on special occasions.
  - E. Encourage the church to sponsor a refugee family.
  - F. Other (Explain) \_\_\_\_\_

### Section B: Complete at least *four* of the following:

- \_\_\_8. Have at least one member (other than district or conference officers) attend a UMW Mission u.
- \_\_\_9. Have at least one member (other than district or conference officers) attend the District Annual meeting or Conference Annual Celebration.
- \_\_\_10. Have at least one member join the UMW Action Network. Register online [www.umwmission.org](http://www.umwmission.org), click on "Act" or via mail: Washington Office of Public Policy, GBGM-Women's Division, 100 Maryland Ave. NE, Room 530, Washington, DC 20002, (Request UMW Action Network and include name, address, phone, Congressional District, Conference, and District.

\_\_\_11. Have unit members write to at least 5 persons listed in the *Prayer Calendar* each year.

- \_\_\_12. Participate in the Campaign for Children (Campaign for Children-UMW Phase III #3223) in at least one way. Suggestions:
- A. Help sponsor a church or community program related to the needs of children and youth.
  - B. Sponsor a Children's Sabbath, promoted by the Children's Defense Fund by using the *National Observance of Children's Sabbath Handbook-Repairers of the Breach #3224*
  - C. Get involved with children by mentoring, tutoring, Big Sister Program or Ohio Reads Program.
  - D. Write, email, or call Congressional representative and/or others in government regarding children's issues.
  - E. Visit local schools and/or attend a school board meeting.
  - F. Other (Explain) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_13. Be a Five Star Unit by contributing to all 5 channels of Mission Giving (Pledge, Special Mission Recognition, Gift to Mission, Gift in Memory, and World Thank Offering).

\_\_\_14. Include a *Response* moment at every meeting.

\_\_\_15. Have at least 2 members complete a Reading Program plan and give a mini-report on a book.

\_\_\_16. Invite a district or conference officer (other than a unit member) to a unit meeting each year.

\_\_\_17. Pledge to care for God's creation and become a "Green" UMW unit. Information is available at [www.umwonline.org/environment](http://www.umwonline.org/environment) or [www.umwmission.org](http://www.umwmission.org) click on "Act" and "Environment Issues."

\_\_\_18. Conduct a Mini-Spiritual Growth Retreat or have at least 2 members attend a district or conference retreat.

## DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

### 2019

March 6—Ash Wednesday

March 30—Firelands District Spring Meeting at Sandusky Trinity UMC

April 21—Easter

April 28—UMW Sunday

June 11-14 – East Ohio Annual Conference at Lakeside

July 19-21 – Mission u at Mount Union

October – Firelands District Annual Fall meeting

October – East Ohio Conference Annual Celebration