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Greetings From Your President

Dear Sisters in the Faith!

Hello Ladies, I write you to say “Keep up the faith!” We have many challenges in our conference right now, including finding out just where do we fit? With the changes that took place with consolidating ten districts down to four, some have been wondering just that, “Where do I fit now?” No matter what... you DO still fit in East Ohio United Women in Faith!

Our leadership teams of the former ten districts have been working to continue the role of leadership in the new four districts. If you haven’t by now, I urge you to contact your officers of last year and ask who are continuing to lead us. I also urge you to offer to step up and be a leader yourself. I know there are some places that have not been filled yet.

Also, try your best to attend one of the new four district Spring Meetings. You will get to know who is now in your district. You might be surprised. (I know I was when I went to the first Central Valley gathering!)

I know this year, or two, have been a challenge. We changed our name (our brand) and now we are changing districts. But ladies We are STILL United Women in Faith with a job to do spreading God’s word and service to women, children and youth around the world! Please be patient with each other and know that with all our changes GOD NEVER CHANGES and still loves us all. Blessings for you.

Judy Kidder, EOC President

Judy lives in East Liverpool in the Central Valley District, and can be reached at judyeri0127@gmail.com.

Follow UWF at General Conference—April 23-May 3

- Read response magazine
- Follow the latest news and blogs on the website: <https://uwfaith.org/general-conference/2024/>

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Please go to your District Spring Gathering for a chance to meet new sisters and to learn new things about United Women in Faith. We trust Northern Waters Spring Gathering was a huge success on March 16. But there is still time to attend one of the three other District Gatherings listed below.

West Plains: Saturday, April 6 at Lakeside UMC at 12:30 p.m. Register asap!

Registrar: Betty Schrock, 611 N Vineyard Circle, Port Clinton, OH 43452 269-358-0111

donpbetty@aol.com \$10.00 registration and lunch, Rev. Charles Yoost, Lakeside's Senior Director of Religious Life and Pastoral Care; and Judy Kidder, EOC UWF President, will be the speakers.

Marcia Adamczyk, President, adamczykmarcia@yahoo.com

Central Valley: Saturday, April 20 at Malvern UMC at 9:30 a.m.

Please have one person register for your Unit. Registration DEADLINE: Tuesday, April 9, 2024 Send to: Patti Deems 2962 Vermont St. NW, North Canton, OH 44720 or via email: pdeems@neo.rr.com Registration Fee: \$12.00 with lunch; \$2.00 without lunch. Make checks payable to: Central Valley District UMW.

Program presented by Helping Hands Network Speaker: Becky Larson, Executive Director

Betsy Douce, Co President, betsydouce@yahoo.com; Judith Yungbluth, Co President, fchief23101@aol.com

South Forest: Thursday, April 25 at Lower Salem Community Center at 5:30 p.m.

Light dinner at 5:30pm. Meeting 6:00-8:00pm. Ladies, please bring items to fill dignity kits for Midwest Mission Distribution Center (MMDC) donation. List can be found at <https://www.midwestmission.org/kits>

Betty Parry, President, bjparry46@hotmail.com

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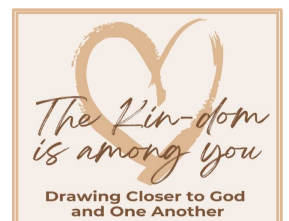
Eight women from our East Ohio UWF Team will be traveling to Indianapolis IN for the North Central UWF Jurisdictional Event ...Get Together! (May 30-June 2) Some will go a day early to participate in the Soul Care Retreat, one of the new initiatives since the rebranding in 2022. There is still time to register if you'd like to join in the fun, fellowship and learning. See details in the February Newsletter. It would be great to know who is going, so give a quick response to this newsletter if you will be going to Indianapolis in May.

Mission u 2024

Are you planning to join us? Do you have Mission u marked on your calendar?

July 19 – 21, 2024 – University of Mount Union

If you have questions, suggestions or concerns, please contact: Cynthia Rose, Dean, rosecyn52@aol.com. Stay tuned for more information. Cynthia lives in Cleveland Hts, in the Northern Waters District.



Suggestions always welcome! Email Elizabeth Feldman, EOC UWF Communications, eoc.uwf.news@gmail.com

