

Local Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Local Unit President: \_\_\_\_\_

**West Virginia Conference United Methodist Women  
2012 Local Unit Goals Reporting Form**

**Vision Statement:** West Virginia United Methodist Women doing mission by changing lives one at a time

**Mission Statement:** West Virginia United Methodist Women working together providing mission opportunities for the well-being of women, children, and youth globally

**I. Giving :**

- \*\* \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Make and meet local unit Pledge to Mission.
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Increase the local unit Pledge to Mission over what was pledged in 2011.
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Contribute to all Five Channels of Mission Giving.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Contribute to Candle Burning.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Contribute to the 2012 Call to Prayer and Self-Denial Program offering.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Contribute to Women's Division Quadrennial Emphasis: Brighter Future for Children and Youth.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Donate money to the Dorothy Lee Scholarship Fund.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Donate money to the Love Gift Fund which is supplemental giving to benefit WV Church and Community Workers.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Donate money to the Scholarship Funds for the Conference Spiritual Growth Retreat and/or School of Christian Mission. (Funds may be remitted to your district treasurer or directly to the conference UMW treasurer.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Donate money to a conference mission project or church and community worksite, not counting Celebration of Mission Event (C.O.M.E.).

**II. Attendance:**

- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 11. At least two members, other than a district or conference officer, attend the District Spring Meeting and/or District Fall Meeting.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. At least one member, other than a district or conference officer, attends the Conference Annual Meeting.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. At least one member, other than a district or conference officer, attends the Spiritual Growth Retreat.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. At least one member, other than a district or conference officer, attends the School of Christian Mission.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. At least one member, other than a District or Conference Officer, attends the Mission Encounter.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. At least one member attends the Northeast Jurisdiction Quadrennial meeting in Hershey, PA.  
Name of attendee(s): \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. A first timer attends at least one of the events in #11, #12, #13, #14, #15, or #16 above.  
Name of attendee(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Which event(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Programs:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. Use the Prayer Calendar at each local unit meeting to pray for mission workers and mission projects for women, children, and youth.
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 19. Have a Call to Prayer and Self-Denial Program.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20. Use at least two programs from the UMW Program Book, not counting the Call to Prayer and Self-Denial Program.  
Which ones? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 21. Have at least two members subscribe to *Response* magazine.
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 22. Include a "Response Moment" at each local unit meeting where an article from the *Response* magazine will be lifted up as a way to tell the mission story.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 23. Invite a district or conference officer, other than a local unit member, to one of your unit meetings and/or United Methodist Women's Sunday.
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 24. Have at least one member complete a plan of the Reading Program and report on one of the books at a local unit meeting.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 25. Conduct or participate in at least one mission study from the 2011 or 2012 studies, not counting attendance at the School of Christian Mission.  
Which study? \_\_\_\_\_

**IV. Mission Work:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 26. Provide UMCOR kits and funding as needed for shipment.  
What kind of kits? \_\_\_\_\_  
How many? \_\_\_\_\_
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 27. Volunteer at a conference mission project or church and community worker's site, not counting attendance at the Conference Mission Encounter.  
Which site(s)? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 28. Provide needed items and supplies for a conference mission project or church and community worksite, not counting Celebration of Mission Event (C.O.M.E.).  
Which site(s)? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 29. Volunteer at Burlington United Methodist Family Services (Burlington or Beckley campus) and/or GlenWood Park Retirement Village.  
Which site(s)? \_\_\_\_\_
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 30. Participate in the conference Celebration of Mission Event (C.O.M.E.).
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 31. Become involved in mission locally, not counting the conference mission projects or church and community workers' sites.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 32. Establish a relationship/partnership/covenant with one of the Northeastern Jurisdiction National Mission Institutions, except Scott's Run Settlement House.  
Which one? \_\_\_\_\_  
How? \_\_\_\_\_  
<http://new.gbgm-umc.org/umw/programs/nmi/search>
- \_\_\_\_\_ 33. Establish a relationship/partnership/covenant with one of the international mission projects or missionary overseas listed in the Prayer Calendar.  
Which one? \_\_\_\_\_  
How? \_\_\_\_\_
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 34. Collect Campbell's UPC codes and those on other selected products and submit them to the conference or directly to Community Outreach Development Ministries (CDOM).
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 35. Participate in Undies Sunday.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 36. Other type of mission work, as long as it is focused on women, children, and youth.  
Explain. \_\_\_\_\_

**V. Social Action:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 37. Implement the Charter for Racial Justice Policies in at least one way.  
Explain. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 38. At least one member joins or has joined the UMW’s Action Network and reports to the unit any information received or action which needs taken.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 39. Donate to KIDS COUNT Fund. (1206 Virginia St., Suite 104, Charleston, WV 25301;  
[www.wvkidscount.org](http://www.wvkidscount.org))
- \* \_\_\_\_\_ 40. Implement a plan of action for at least one of the social action priority issues: (1) local – Speaking Out for Compassion and Against Hate; (2) national – The Economic Community; (3) international – Immigration.  
Which issue? \_\_\_\_\_  
What plan of action? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 41. At least one member becomes or is already a member of the UMW Online Community in one of the social justice communities and reports to the unit updates or new information as they occur.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 42. Other, as long as it is some sort of social action, advocacy, or justice issue to benefit women, children, and youth; not a charity/mission project.  
Explain. \_\_\_\_\_

**Achievement Levels:**

**Participating Mission Unit:** Completes eight (8) of the items above including at least four (4) of any of the starred items.

**Master Mission Unit:** Completes #1 (\*\*\*) and thirteen additional items including at least six (6) of the other starred items.

**Distinguished Mission Unit:** Completes #1 (\*\*\*) and 20 additional items including at least eight (8) of the other starred items.

The local unit goals reporting form is due to the district president by December 31, 2012.

## ***Special Challenge***

**Exemplary Mission Unit:** This level is for those units which go beyond any of the goals above. It could also be a joint effort with other units. This level is to be achieved by the end of 2013. A detailed plan is to be submitted to the conference president by August 2012 for approval.

Examples would include, but not limited to, such goals as:

- Plan and implement a Legislative Day
- Plan and implement a Day of Justice
- Plan and implement some type of program with imprisoned women (eg., tape the prisoners reading to their children)
- Organize and sponsor a United Methodist Women unit for women in a nursing home
- Organize and sponsor a United Methodist Women unit for college women
- Organize and sponsor a United Methodist teen unit (middle school and high school girls)
- Organize and sponsor a circle for young girls (elementary age) which focuses on the work of United Methodist Women

Those units which plan to work on becoming an Exemplary Mission Unit may also plan to achieve as a single unit any of the other three levels for 2012.

**Think outside the box!!!**