

WV Conference—Special Days and Offerings--2011

<u>Date</u>	<u>Special Day</u>		<u>Remittance Number</u>
Jan. 16	Human Relations Day Supports community and volunteer service programs	Special Offering	814
Feb. 6	Sanctity of Human Life Supports Burlington adoption support services	Special Offering	660
Feb. 21	UM - VIM Informs and educates about Volunteers in Mission	Awareness Day	
April 3	One Great Hour of Sharing Supports the work of UMCOR	Special Offering	818
May 8	Native American Sunday Provides scholarships and supports Native Am. ministries	Special Offering	816
May 1	Golden Cross Sunday Supports Burlington and Glenwood Park	Special Offering	650
May 15	UM Foundation Sunday Educates about the WV Conference Foundation	Awareness Day	
May 22	Heritage Sunday Celebrates the history of our denomination and WV—UM historical sites	Awareness Day	
June 19	Peace with Justice Supports peace and justice ministries	Special Offering	866
Aug. 21	Campus Ministry Sunday Supports WV campus ministries	Special Offering	766
Sept. 11	Christian Education Sunday Resources for Christian Education ministries	Special Offering	822
Sept. 18	Rural Life Sunday Educates about ministries in rural life	Awareness Day	
Oct. 2	World Communion Sunday Scholarships for ethnic students	Special Offering	826
Oct. 9	Undie Sunday Collect new underwear for distribution in WV	Collect underwear	
Oct. 9	Children's Sabbath Celebrates children and encourages prayer for children in poverty	Awareness Day	
Oct. 16	Laity Sunday Celebrates the ministry of lay persons	Awareness Day	
Oct. 23	Ministry Exploration Sunday Encourages people to consider full time ministry	Awareness Day	
Nov. 6	Day of Remembrance Supports pensions for clergy who serve outside the US	Special Offering	794
Nov. 13	Organ & Tissue Donor Sunday Educates about the importance of donating organs and tissues	Awareness Day	
Nov. 27	UM Student Day Provides scholarships and loans for UM students	Special Offering	798

A description for each special Sunday and offering is provided on page 463 of the Annual Conference Journal. More information can be obtained from the conference website at wvumc.org or GBGM site at gbgm-umc.org