

2018-15 Submit a form for each local church, even if no commitments are being made.

Charge:	Church:	Church Number:
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GIFTS AND SERVICE TO MISSION – 2018 Report / 2019 Commitment

Commitment to Mission Projects Approved by the Annual Conference: (see 2018 conference workbook page 60)

1. ***Our church has set a goal of at least one dollar per member for Golden Cross*** (offerings are used for health and welfare ministries in the annual conference) *in 2018.*

Yes No

Number of Members: _____ Contributed to Golden Cross so far in 2018: \$ _____

2. ***Our church commits to participating in the Celebration of Mission Event in 2019.*** Yes No

Dollar amount raised for Celebration of Mission Event in 2018: \$ _____

Items contributed for Celebration of Mission Event in 2018: _____

3. ***Our church commits to observing Undie Sunday on or about October 14, 2018.*** Yes No

Our church will (or did) observe Undie Sunday on or about October 8, 2017. Yes No

4. Conference Advance Specials in which our church participates:

Conference Advance Special	Contributed so far in 2018	Goal for 2019
a. Church and Community Workers and their projects		
b. Ebenezer Community Outreach		
c. Heart and Hand House, Inc. (Philippi)		
d. Heart and Hand Outreach Ministries (South Charleston)		
e. House of the Carpenter		
f. Scott's Run Settlement House		
g. Tyrand Cooperative Ministries		
h. The Upshur Parish House		
i. Volunteers in Mission		
j. Disaster Response		
k. Hunger Ministries		
l. Global Health		
m. Congregational Development		
n. Africa University Endowment		
o. Living Hope High School Advance #3021425		

5. Local Mission Giving:

In addition to items listed above, we contribute to the following **local** community mission work:

	Contributed so far in 2018	Goal for 2019
a.		
b.		
c.		
d.		
e.		
f.		

6. Additional Mission Giving:

In addition to items listed above, we contribute to the following other mission projects **outside** our community:

	Contributed so far in 2018	Goal for 2019
a.		
b.		
c.		
d.		
e.		
f.		

7. Ways we will plan to education our congregation about missional opportunities:

Our church will make an effort to visit at least one of the official conference mission projects during 2019.

Yes No

Our church commits to having at least one person attend Mission U next summer at W.Va. Wesleyan College.

Yes No

Our church commits to conducting a mission study at least once during the year. Yes No

Our church commits to observing United Methodist Volunteers-in-Mission Awareness Sunday on or about February 11, 2019. Yes No

(This is not a "special offering Sunday," and your church is under no obligation to receive an offering, but V.I.M. is a conference advance special, and you may choose to receive an offering.)

Missionary Support:

Yes *Our church commits to being a **Covenant Relationship Church** in 2019 with a Missionary or a Church and Community Worker commissioned by the General Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church. A Covenant Relationship Church is one which pays in full its Fair Share of the Conference Missional Budget and pays \$5 per member (or \$2,500, whichever is less) to support a missionary or a church and community worker. A Covenant Relationship guarantees a visit by the missionary when possible and copies of letters and newsletters sent to the supporting church. You can find updated list at the Global Ministries website: <http://www.umcmision.org/Explore-Our-Work/Missionaries-in-Service/Search-Results?taxid=359> or contact Jeff Matheny, WV Conference Secretary of Global Ministries by email at jeff@pbo.bz or phone 304-422-0578.*

Number of church members: _____

Missionary: _____ Amount of Commitment: \$ _____

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Other areas of mission you would like to share:
