

Education and Interpretation Coordinator

Hello Ladies,

As we come together to celebrate a New Year; let's all work together to become, Mission Today Units in 2010. Enclosed is an UPDATED Mission Today Form.

GREENVILLE DISTRICT GOAL FOR 2010: 20 UNITS 2009 Mission Today Units --- 16

Special Emphasis Month

February: Wallace Family Life Emphasis Month

April: Columbia Bethlehem Center Special Emphasis Month

July: Rural Missions Special Emphasis Month

September: Killingsworth Special Emphasis Month

December: Spartanburg Bethlehem Center Special Emphasis Month

Wallace Family Life

The Wallace Family Life Center is a family oriented facility and their activities include: Adult Education, Meals on Wheels, Homemakers Club, Summer Reading program, After Scholl Program, Vacation Bible School, and transportation to all these programs.

Thanks to everyone who is collecting soup labels for this great cause. Due to the extra work required to trim the excess label from the bar code, Wallace Family Life is requesting the barcode only from all Campbell's soup cans. Wallace Family Life is also excepting barcodes from the following products: Franco-American, Pepperidge Farm, Swanson, Market Day, V8 beverages, Prego Pasta Sauces, Campbell's Foodservice, and Goldfish.

If your unit would like to offer their services in helping Wallace Family Life Center with their purpose, please feel free to contact Ms. Corina Exaw, Director at (843) 479-7911 for a Wish List.

Training Day

Training Day was great, thanks to everyone who attended.

Bridgett Calhoun

DAY APART UPDATE

Due to new restrictions, we are only allowed 99 attendees for Day Apart at Asbury Hills this year. So please get your application in early. We apologize for this inconvenience.

2009 District Organization Membership Report Summary

Total Number of Um Active Congregations -15

Total Number of Units-15 Number of Units Reporting-15 Number of Circles-19 UMW Members-559

Total Numbers as of 1/1/09 559

1. Transferred out	-08	559
2. Removed by choice	-41	<u>- 65</u>
3. Removed by Death	-16	494
4. District members no <u>counted above</u>		
	65	

5. Transferred in	+04	494
6. New member from UM	+35	<u>+ 44</u>
7. New member from non-UM	+05	538
8. District member not count	<u>0</u>	
	44	

Grand Total Membership as of 12/31/09

538

MISSION TODAY UNIT ACTION FORM

Unit President _____

Date _____

Unit _____

No. of Members _____

Unit Contact Info _____

Phone Number _____

Units are encouraged to complete as many criteria as possible. Units of 10 members or less must complete at least 5. Units of 15 members or less must complete at least 7. Units of 16 or more must complete at least 10 of criteria.

All units must complete Number 1.

- _____ *1. The unit will make and meet its pledge to mission.
- _____ 2. Use the Prayer Calendar at each general meeting of the unit to pray for people in mission and _____ for our mission work with women, children and youth.
- _____ 3. Your unit will add at least one or more members to its roll.
- _____ 4. Your unit will have at least two members subscribing to Response Magazine. Units under 10 will have at least one member subscribing to Response.
- _____ 5. Your unit will use two (2) programs from the Program Book during the year.
- _____ 6. Your unit, circle, or subgroup will participate in at least one Mission Study a year.
- _____ 7. Your unit will implement the Charter for Racial Justice Policies in at least two (2) ways during the year.
- _____ 8. At least one (1) member of the unit (other than a conference or district officer) will attend the conference or district School of Christian Mission.
- _____ 9. At least one (1) member (other than a conference or district officer) will attend the district or conference annual meeting.
- _____ 10. Members shall write to five people listed in the Prayer Calendar at least once a year. You may choose to write to the person listed on your birthday.
- _____ 11. Your unit will participate in the Campaign for Children.
- _____ 12. Your unit will be a Five Star unit, contributing to all five channels of **MISSION GIVING**.
- _____ 13. Your unit, circle, or subgroup will include a Response moment where an article from Response Magazine will be lifted up as a way to tell the mission story. New World Outlook Magazine provides another good way to tell the mission story.
- _____ 14. Have at least two people from the unit, circle, or subgroup complete one of the Reading Program Plans and report on one of the books read: encourage all members to complete Plan One; have a book review program.
- _____ 15. The unit will invite a district or conference officer, other than a member of the unit, to one of _____ the unit meetings during the year.

NOTE: Completed reports are to be sent to the District Education & Interpretation Coordinator by: August 31, 2010.