

LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE THROUGH GIVING

Hi Ladies!

The information due to me in February was the Unit Financial Review form for 2019 so I thought you might want to know how we did as a district. Let me start off by saying we met our goal of giving \$25,000 to the TN Conference for our Pledge to Missions; in fact, we exceeded it! YEA!!!

Our giving for 2019 breaks down like this:

| Pledge | Supplemental Giving | Legacy Fund | Total Giving |
|-------------|---------------------|-------------|--------------|
| \$27,665.07 | \$2,869.50 | \$1,622.00 | \$32,156.57 |
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The **Pledge** amount includes Special Mission Recognition pins and donations, Gifts in Mission, Gifts in Memory and World Thank Offering.

Supplemental Giving is anything beyond the Pledge, for example, Red Bird Mission, Bethlehem Center, Rise Against Hunger, Sadie Tillman Birthday Dollars, Call to Prayer & Self-Denial, etc.

The **Legacy Fund** is the National UMW Endowment Fund that culminated in 2019. However, as the goal of \$60 Million has not been reached we will still collect monies for the UMW Legacy Fund. You may see the name change to **Legacy Builders** but it is the same thing. If an individual would like to contribute to Legacy Builders there are envelopes available for them to mail in their funds. Just let me know & I'll get the envelopes to you. Also, as a side note, we were told at our TN Conference training that the Southeast Jurisdiction & in particular the TN Conference has contributed the largest amounts to the Legacy Fund of any Jurisdiction or Conference. Way to go, Ladies!! Thank you for supporting the future of United Methodist Women.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email, call or text me. Unit treasurers, you should have received your packets with all the forms you will need for 2020, in the mail by now if you were not at the district training to pick them up. Let me know if you did not receive yours. Also, all forms should be on the web site under the tab "Forms". The Remittance form & SMR form were downloaded from the UMW National website; forms I sent out have added lines regarding whether you need Gift in Mission or Gift in Memory cards & how many.

I look forward to working with you all in 2020.

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