

*The Voice of the Harpeth River District*

*Newsletter – Part II*

Hello Ladies!!

Don't forget the Mission Study on Saturday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, @ 9:30 am-2 pm at the Centerville UMC!!

There will be breakfast items and *coffee(!)*  provided for you!



Please bring a brown bag lunch.

Beverages



will be provided.

The mission study's title is: *Who Can We Be Together? A Biblical Exploration of Luke 13.*  
I challenge each of you to read Luke 13. How many parables are there? Do you understand the meaning, the lesson we are to take from each one? How does the fig tree or the yeast reflect a part of your life? This mission study takes you to a deeper level than just talking about a barren fig tree. Come and learn the meanings of the parables through small group discussions, group discussions and individual reflection. Taught by our very own Peggy Owen, I know that you will not be disappointed, but truly blessed.



There is a Very Important District Leadership Team meeting after the Mission Study.  
The primary discussion will be centered on the District Annual Meeting.  
If you are unable to attend, please email Peggy with your basic report about your position and anything that needs to be included at the District Annual Meeting.  
Thank you!



**“Embrace the person God gave you to be.”**

Cherie Jobe - Heart Cluttered or Cleaned-Up? - Beersheba April 2022

# DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING

**Saturday, September 24, 2022**

**8:30 a.m. ~~ Registration**

**9:00 a.m. ~~ Meeting Begins**

**Christ United Methodist Church**

**508 Franklin Road | Franklin | 37069**

**Directions available on the Calendar on the Website**

Click on the event on the calendar / Click on the name of the church in the gray window  
Scroll down and click on the circle that says Directions on the left hand side.

Please send at least **one representative** from each unit!

This is Very Important!

**We will discuss and vote on the Proposed Policies for the Harpeth River District.**

We have some additional changes to let you know about.

We ask that you read the Proposed Policies thoroughly.

**Please** bring your copy and any questions that you might have.

(This was emailed to all unit presidents on July 1 by Peggy Owen.)

There are MANY changes from the

last Accepted Policies,

which were adopted September 28, 2019.

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER ----- SEPTEMBER 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Registration form is in the August Newsletter – Part 1 and on the Website**



**Don't  
Forget!**

**DUE AUGUST 15<sup>th</sup>**

*Mission Study Report*

*Reading Program Report*

*Please turn in a report even if your unit did not participate.*

*Memorial Report*

*Please turn in a report even if your unit did not lose any members.*

\*\*\* *Report Forms have been sent to the Local Unit Presidents & are on the website.* \*\*\*

~ ~ Unit News ~

Christ UWF would like to extend an invitation to everyone for a Special Program on August 28, 2022. Their special guest will be the Franklin Chief of Police, Deborah Faulkner, EdD. The program begins at 5 pm in the sanctuary.



(From left to right) Unit members: Janice Barger & Sandy Green. From Art Helps Cancer: Anna Hill holding the check & Debbie Rae holding the book.

Nolensville First UWF held a “Wish List Shower” for the ART HELPS CANCER nonprofit organization. Items collected include: fleece blankets, puzzle books, hard candy, and much, much more! In addition, the unit purchased 22 books for breast cancer entitled *The Silver Lining*. They also donated \$100. A member of the Prayer Shawl ministry donated additional fleece blankets & sewn teddy bears for the pediatric patients.



*“Gratitude is the fairest blossom which springs from the soul.”  
~ ~ Henry Ward Beecher*

*“My heart is burdened with the thought that there are more than 145 million women in this country who need to have the light of the knowledge of God’s love given to them. All the work being done ... in this vast country is but a drop in the ocean. It will be a very small help to add our particle to that drop. But every particle added will increase the drop, so it will be multiplied to permeate the ocean until it becomes the stream of the living water that flows from under the throne of God, to give life and joy to this nation.”*

Pandita Ramahai, quoted in Keith J. White, “Jesus Was Her Gere,” *Christianity Today*, July 1, 2005,  
<http://www.christianitytoday.com/ch/2005/issue87/5.12.html?start=3>



## Conference Annual Meeting

*COMING SOON!!*

September 17, 2022 @ 8:30 am  
at  
Lebanon First United Methodist Church  
Registration Form available soon!!



*Come now, let us argue it out, says the Lord.  
Isaiah 1:18(NRSV)*

**HARPETH RIVER DISTRICT UWF 2022 ANNUAL MEETING  
Healing & Joy on Our Journey to God**

**CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
508 Franklin Rd, Franklin, TN**

**Saturday, September 24, 2022**

Registration 8:30-9:00 AM – Meeting: 9:00 AM

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

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Children Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Childcare will be provided free of charge. Please bring a sack lunch for your child(ren).  
We must have the number of children attending with you and their ages with this registration form.

Is this the first time you have attended a District Annual Meeting? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**Registration Fee - \$10.00 per person  
Make checks payable to: Harpeth River District UMW**

Units are encouraged to provide scholarships to members when possible.

\*\*\* Send registration forms and checks to:

Harpeth River District UWF Treasurer  
Debbie Miller  
839 Pintail Court  
Franklin, TN 37067

**\*\*\*Registration Deadline – September 14, 2022\*\*\***