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United
Women
in Faith

United Women in Faith's roots began in Boston, Mass. in 1869 when eight women heard the need to send a female doctor and teacher to India. Against all odds, they were able to raise enough money by collecting pennies, nickels, and dimes to send educator Isabella Thoburn and Dr. Clara Swain to India setting up Asia's first women's hospital and school.

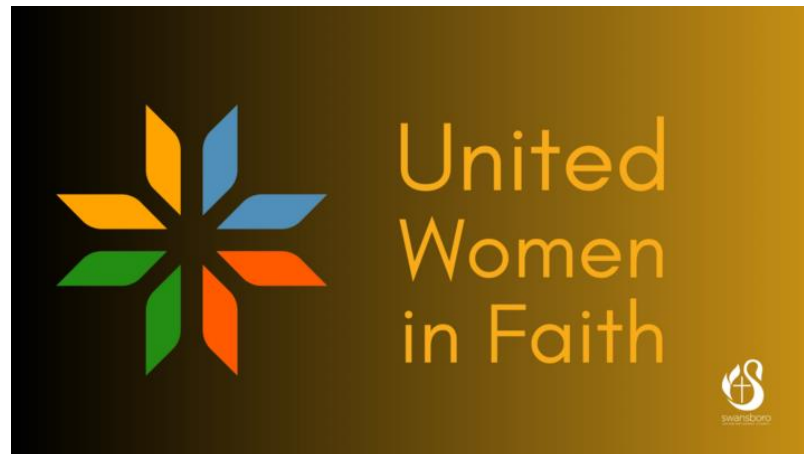
For over 150 years our mission organization has grown from eight women to over ½ million, having 25 different names, while working to provide help for women, youth, and children around the world. Methodist women led the way in anti-lynching, women's voting rights, school desegregation, and anti-human trafficking. They've encouraged girls/women to follow the call to serve as clergy. Women continue to be the faithful backbone of many churches.

Our local unit of UWF has been in existence since the 1940's. Our lifetime Swansboro UMC member, Carrie Freshwater, remembers helping the ladies cook big turkey dinners for \$1.50 per plate. At age 15 she walked around town delivering dinners. "I did it my way- now you do it your way, serving God, women, youth, and children."

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"Worship God, Love One Another, Serve the World"



Aug 6, 2023

8:25 a.m. Daymark Worship

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Daymark Worship

Gathering Prayer and Praise

Welcome and Announcements

Adele Hyla-Brewster

Centering Prayer

Song of Preparation “Tell Me the Stories of Jesus”

*Greeting

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Welcome to worship this day.

Thank you. We’re glad to be here.

Some have come seeking; some have come struggling.

Lord, be with each one of us today. Feed our hearts and souls with your transforming love.

God is truly with you all today, guiding, lifting, feeding, and restoring your souls.

Praise be to God, who continually abides with us. AMEN.

*Hymn UMH #158 “Come Christians, Join to Sing”

*Opening Prayer of Confession

Lord of mercy and hope, we come before you today, knowing that we have fallen short of being the kind of disciples that you have called us to be. We have turned our backs on people in need; we have closed our ears to the cries of the voiceless. Lord, we hesitate to come before you because we believe that you are disappointed in us. Remind us again that you are merciful, and your love transforms and changes our lives. When we falter and slide off the path of hope you place before us, you “pick us up and dust us off” and put us on the right track again, confident of your faithful presence with us. Forgive us for our weakness. Strengthen us and give us courage; help us to be bearers of your good news of peace. We pray this in Christ’s name. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Feel God’s healing love pouring over you and into your lives. Know that God delights in each one of you and will always be present for you. This is indeed Good News.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. Glory to God. Amen.

*The Peace *(As forgiven & reconciled people, let us show one another signs of reconciliation & love.)*

Special Music “The Summons”

Open Altar, Open Heart *(As “Call to Prayer” is sung, all are invited to come to the altar for morning prayer led by a Pastor.)*

Call to Prayer “Surely the Presence of the Lord”

Prayers of the People & Pastoral Prayer

Betty Tidquist

Children’s Time

Adele Hyla-Brewster

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 14:13-21

Bobbi Edge

Sermon

“Where Do You See the Face of Jesus”

Lynn Rouse, Deanna Scroggs, Adele Hyla-Brewster

Giving of our Tithes, Offerings, and Connection Cards

Offertory

“Fill My Cup, Lord”

*Doxology

UMH #94

Invitation to the Table

Rev. Regina Harrison

*The Great Thanksgiving UMH #9

Rev. Dr. Jim Brewster

Giving of the Bread and Cup

Anointing with oil

Bren Feutz and Marie Hurst

(All are invited to the table of the Lord. We serve by intinction, (take the bread and dip a portion into the cup, then partake), or by using prepackaged communion elements. Those unable to come forward may raise their hand and an acolyte or pastor will bring communion to you.)

After receiving, you may kneel for prayer and/or go to one of our prayer stations to receive anointing and prayer from one of our lay Stephen ministers. Offerings left at the altar rail go to the Pastor’s Discretionary Fund used primarily to assist the needy.)

Communion Song

“Blessed Assurance”

Prayer after the Meal

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us.

Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit to give ourselves for others in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Hymn #374

“Standing on the Promises”

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Postlude

“Stand Up for Jesus”

* Please stand as you are able.