



SKIDAWAY ISLAND
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

PURPOSE OF UNITED METHODIST WOMEN:

We are women united in the bond of spiritual fellowship; whose purpose is to know God, to develop a support system for one another, and to participate in the local and global ministries of the church.

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United Methodist Women
2016-2017 Program

*“Alone we can do so little.
Together we can do so much.”
- Helen Keller*





2016 - 2017 Schedule of Meetings

All meetings, unless otherwise stated are in the Church Parlor.

DATE PROGRAM

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11th 9:30 am Chapel - Call to Order 10:10 am Program	Guest appearance by Imani Children's ● Choir and Director , History and background of choir, Preview of church concert.
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15th 9:00 am Depart from SIUMC 2:30 pm Return to SIUMC	Tour Lady Bamford Early Education Center, ● Wesley Community Centers of Savannah, Inc. with a Dutch treat lunch after tour.
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13th 11:00 am Christmas Luncheon in Bailey Hall	Fancy Gourmet Lunch Exchange. Bring ● a creatively packed lunch and \$10 for missions. <i>Reservations necessary.</i>
TUESDAY, JANUARY 10th 9:30 am Gathering & Snacks 10:00 am Program	Mission donations for Backpack Buddies ● Program and talk by program chairperson. Bring supplies to donate from suggested list.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14th 10:00 am Bailey Hall (Bring 3 dozen cookies)	Valentine Cookie Share. Prepare cookie ● plates to be delivered to seniors who need a love lift. ♥
TUESDAY, MARCH 14th 9:30 am Depart from SIUMC 2:30 pm Return to SIUMC	Tour of Cathedral of St. John the Baptist ● in downtown Savannah. Dutch treat lunch at a local restaurant after tour.
SATURDAY, APRIL 22nd 10:00 am Volunteers gather to help decorate 11:00 am Bailey Hall	Annual Salad Luncheon. Tickets \$10. Open ● to ladies of the church and friends. Please bring a salad to serve 8-10. This is our primary fundraiser for local missions, focus mission speaker TBA. <i>Reservations necessary.</i>
TUESDAY, MAY 9th 9:30 am Social Hour 11:00 am Call to Order	Final meeting of the year to distribute ● funds to local agencies.



2016 - 2017 Executive Board

PRESIDENT	MARION NESTERENKO 598-7065
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2016 - 2017 UMW Focus Ministries

Safe Shelter for Battered Women: At each meeting, we collect money to help supply new undergarments for "Julie's Boutique" at the shelter. Some UMW members volunteer to sort and arrange donated clothing.

Wesley Community Centers: Funds are given each year to support the Early Childhood and Development Center and the Women's Center in Savannah.

Backpack Buddies: School children whose families are food-challenged over the weekends and during summer break receive nutritious foods to tide them over. Only certain schools in the local district are covered.

United Methodist Children's Home (Macon, GA): Primary residential setting for orphaned and dependent children in need of care.

2015 Financial Support

Faith in Practice:	\$200
Fresh Air Home (Tybee):	\$150
The Living Vine:	\$760 + material donations
Safe Shelter:	\$600
Savannah Hospice:	\$500
UMW District:	\$200
Wesley CC:	\$500

