

RAINBOW COVENANT REPORT

Use the form listed below OR download the new, detailed form available online at WisconsinUMC.org/RainbowCovenant

The completed form is due by March 31, 2020 to Gail Burgess, ATTN Rainbow Covenant, 6510 203rd Avenue, Bristol, WI 53104 or hb53104@aol.com. Questions? Call 262-945-8578.

Church Name and Address: _____

City: _____ District: _____

100% Apportionment Giving \$: _____

LOCAL MISSION Name: _____ Amount \$: _____

Volunteer Activities / Hours: _____

SPECIAL SUNDAYS Fund #: _____ Amount \$: _____

CONFERENCE PROJECTS Fund #: _____ Amount \$: _____

NATIONAL PROJECT Fund #: _____ Amount \$: _____

INTERNATIONAL PROJECT Fund #: _____ Amount \$: _____

**IN MISSION TOGETHER/
BOLIVIA PARTNERSHIP** Country: _____ Amount \$: _____

UMCOR Fund #: _____ Amount \$: _____

MISSIONARY Name: _____

Number: _____ Amount \$: _____

Total Giving: \$ _____

Pastor Signature: _____

Mission Chair Signature: _____

Council Chair Signature: _____

NOTE: Churches that have successfully fulfilled the requirements of a Rainbow Covenant Church will be recognized at Annual Conference.

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ENVISIONING MISSION AS A PART OF IMAGINING WISCONSIN ANEW

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Wisconsin Conference,

Welcome to the 2019 Rainbow Covenant Brochure. The call of the church is to look beyond our walls and listen for the ways God invites us to share our faith with others.

That faith-sharing must include our actions as well as our words. A key core value is to move outside our walls as we witness Christ in the world. The United Methodist Church emphasizes this core focus for all of our congregations.

The Rainbow Covenant has been designed to enable local congregations to participate in missions on many levels, from local to global. It is the intent of this program to help all United Methodists in the Wisconsin Conference understand the diversity of ministries and agencies that make up our Global Ministries.

Rainbows represent God's promise. We delight when a rainbow brightens the horizon after a storm. Your participation in the work of the Rainbow Covenant in Wisconsin will bring such delight to the hearts and souls of those who are in need of God's promise.

Please join me as we partner in witness, mission, and offering our resources to God's children.

Your Brother in Christ,

Hee-Soo Jung, PhD
Bishop



BECOMING A RAINBOW COVENANT CHURCH

This form is for use by local congregations as they plan and report their 2019 Mission Giving. The report should include Local Church Giving that was collected and given to the missions and/or sent to the Conference Treasurer's Office for the year 2019. Recognition of participants will occur at the 2020 Annual Conference.

REQUIREMENTS

1. **Apportionments must be paid in full**
2. **Select Projects or Missionaries to support in each color band of the Rainbow Covenant.**

Local Mission (Red)	Special Sundays (Orange)
Conference Projects (Yellow)	National Advance Projects (Green)
International Advance Projects (Blue)	Missionary Support (Burgundy)
UMCOR (Violet)	In Mission Together/Bolivia Partnership (Indigo)
3. **Return completed Rainbow Covenant Form by March 31, 2020.**

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NOTE: For more information about any of the projects listed, please refer to the 2016-2020 Guide for Mission Giving available online at WisconsinUMC.org/GuideForMissionGiving or go to umcmmission.org.





LOCAL MISSION

These may include food pantries and food banks, community meals, warming shelters, a pastor help fund, jail literacy, Habitat for Humanity, Relay for Life and much more. Please include both dollar amounts donated as well as volunteer hours and activities.

NOTE: All of the following projects are approved by our Conference and/or General Board of Global Ministries, and have an assigned project number. These official programs of the United Methodist Church are voluntary, designated, second-mile giving.

SPECIAL SUNDAYS

In the Wisconsin Conference, we observe seven Special Sundays. Please list each Sunday you participated in, its ADVANCE number and the amount sent to the Conference.

- Human Relations Day #1005
- UMCOR Sunday #1015
- Native American Ministries Sunday #1025
- Peace with Justice Sunday #1035
- World Communion Sunday #1045
- United Methodist Student Day #1055
- Golden Cross Sunday #1070



CONFERENCE PROJECTS

The following agencies and projects include Health & Welfare Ministries, Community Ministries, Camp & Retreat Projects, and several projects that have been approved by the Board of Global Ministries. Please list each project with its ADVANCE number and the number of hours or funds donated.

- Abounding Ministries, Rich Rubietta #8111
- Bellin Health, Green Bay #7850
- Bethel House, Whitewater #7943
- Camp in the Community (BCRM) #7055
- Cedar Crest, Janesville #7860
- Christian Community Homes and Services, Hudson and Osceola #7530
- Christian Disciple Farm, Jefferson County #7787
- Evergreen Retirement Community, Oshkosh #7110
- Harbor House Crisis Shelters, Superior #7788
- Harvest of Hope, Madison #7020
- Hillcrest Family Services, Dubuque #7949
- Immigrant & Refugee Ministries #7795
- Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee #7215
- International VIM Scholarships #7812
- Madison Area Urban Ministry #7621
- Morrow Home Community, Sparta #7320
- National VIM Scholarships #7811
- Northcott Neighborhood House, Milwaukee #7250
- Odanah UMC, Odanah #7510
- Parish Nurse Ministries #7806
- PEP (Personal Essentials Pantry), Rhinelander #7321
- Rising Sun Camp at Lake Lucerne #7783
- Schmitt Woodland Hills Retirement Community, Richland Center #7840
- Sheboygan Senior Community, Sheboygan #7270
- Solomon Community Outreach, Milwaukee #7268
- Summer Camp Scholarships #7050
- Summerfield Saturday Supper, Milwaukee #7267
- United Methodist Children's Services, Milwaukee #7265
- United Methodist Hospitals Ministry, Madison #7630
- Village at Manor Park (VMP), Milwaukee #7710

NATIONAL ADVANCE PROJECTS

- Appalachia Service Project, Inc (ASP) #982041
- McCurdy Ministries, New Mexico #581479
- Midwest Mission Distribution Center, Illinois (Annual Conference Ingathering) #5979
- National Justice for Our Neighbors #901285
- Red Bird Mission, Appalachia #773726
- Red Bird Mission School, Appalachia #773728
- SIFAT (Servants in Faith and Technology), Alabama #982812

INTERNATIONAL ADVANCE PROJECTS

- Africa ELL, South Sudan #7951
- Africa University: Emergency Relief for Families of Students #7960
- Aid Africa's Children #8110
- Basic Essentials for Africa University #3020619
- Bread for the World #982325
- Building Cambodia, Inc. #7802
- CWS-Blankets & Tools #982810
- CWS-Crop Hunger Walk #982380
- Equipping Conference for Effective Christian Leaders, Uganda #7945
- Grace Children's Hospital and Clinic, Haiti #418520
- Heifer Project International #982532
- Imagine No Malaria #3021190
- Mar Elias Peace Center, Palestine #3020532
- Mujila Falls Agriculture Centre, Zambia #15016A
- Rwanda Provisional Conference #7944
- Stains Memorial Children's Home, India #7940
- Thiu Rancho Project, Bolivia #12309A
- World Hunger and Poverty #982920



IN MISSION TOGETHER/BOLIVIA PARTNERSHIP

Build relationships with our Conference Partner Bolivia through a VIM Trip and financial aid to a church (eg CHURCH PROJECTS IN BOLIVIA #302161), project (eg THIU RANCHO PROJECT #12309A) or ministry (eg METHODIST CHILDREN'S HOME #15154A) or one of the Mission Initiative Countries, for example HONDURAS #12928A, LITHUANIA #12168A, SENEGAL #12594A or RUSSIA #11510A.

UNITED METHODIST COMMITTEE ON RELIEF (UMCOR)

- UMCOR #999895
- UMCOR U.S. Disaster Response #901670
- UMCOR International Disaster Response #982450
- Wisconsin Disaster Response #7775

MISSIONARIES

Consider establishing a Covenant Relationship with a Missionary to enable direct support and contact. Listed below are Missionaries with a Wisconsin connection; you may find others listed at umcmmission.org.

- Collins Etchi Ako, DR Congo #3022414
- Helen de Leon Camarce, South East Asia #13953Z
- Ardell #10836Z and Gordon #10835Z Graner, Dominican Republic
- Ruth Grubel, Nishinomiya, Japan #12189Z
- Larry #10739Z and Jane #09572Z Kies, Africa University, Zimbabwe
- Joel Nchahoruri, Malawi, Africa #13080Z
- Mbwizu #12909Z and Nkemba #12910Z Ndjungu, Belize
- David Makobo N'shikala, Senegal, Africa #3021869
- Hyo-Won Park, St. Petersburg, Russia #3021822
- Stephen #07995Z and Gail #07994Z Quigg, North Central Jurisdiction
- Sandra Raasch, Honduras #15075Z
- Betty Tshala, Mujila Falls, Zambia #15167Z
- Paul Webster, Agriculture Advocate #11865Z
- Daniel Yang, South East Asia #3022186