

United Women in Faith - Michigan Conference

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A unit will receive a Certificate of Achievement upon completion of one of the following categories between <u>January 1 through</u> <u>December 31</u>, to be presented at their District Annual Meeting the <u>following</u> October. Check the numbers completed.

- Units completing any 8 or more objectives will be a "FAITH" unit.
- Units completing <u>9</u> or more objectives, with 8 asterisks (*) will be a "FAITH" "HOPE" unit.
- Units completing <u>17</u> or more objectives, with 10 asterisks (*) will be a "FAITH" "HOPE" "JOY" unit.
- Units completing <u>25</u> or more objectives, with 12 asterisks (*) will be a "FAITH" "HOPE" "JOY" "LOVE" unit.

Mission Giving

- 1. *Made and met its Pledge to Mission.
- 2. *Became a 5-Star Unit by contributing to all 5 channels of undesignated giving.
- _____3. Donated to local women's shelter or children's/youth program.
- _____4. Offered scholarships to *Mission u* and/or other United Women in Faith activities.

Spiritual Growth

- _____5. Observed a Call to Prayer and Self Denial.
- 6. Participated locally in a retreat, prayer vigil or Bible study.
- _____7. Attended a District Retreat, Spiritual Day Apart, or Prayer Breakfast/Brunch.

Membership

- 8. *Added one new member from women who have joined the church in the current year.
- 9. *Added one new member not included in above.

Attendance

- 10. Invited a District or Conference officer (other than a member of the unit) to one meeting.
- _____11. Had a combined meeting with another United Women in Faith unit.
- <u>12.</u> Attended Church Women United or other ecumenical group activity.
- 13. *At least one member (other than conference or district officer) attended a conference *Mission u*.
- 14. *At least two members (other than conference or district officer) attended the conference or district annual meeting/celebration.
 - ____15. *At least one member (other than conference or district officer) attended the *District Elected Leadership Training*.

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Mission Education

- _____16. *Unit or circle conducted at least one *Mission Study*.
- _____17. *Two members completed a *Reading Program Plan* and reported on one of the books.
- 18. Participated in but did not complete the *Reading Program*.
- _____19. *Used two programs from the *Program Book*.
- _____20. *Used the *Prayer Calendar* regularly in the unit meetings.
- _____21. Communicated with five persons listed in the *Prayer Calendar*, one from Michigan Conference.
- _____22. *Unit had two members reading <u>response</u> each month.
- _____23. *Unit included a *response Moment* during its meeting using an article to tell our mission story.
- _____24. Unit had one *Social Action* program.

Mission Action

- _____25. *Participated in a District or Conference ingathering project.
- 26. Had a member of United Women in Faith present a mission program for youth or children in the church.
- _____27. Had at least one member visit a United Women in Faith Project and report to the unit.
- 28. *Had at least one person receive and respond to legislative information from the United Women in Faith's Action Network.
- 29. Unit or member participated in a workshop, seminar, or book study related to social concerns that stimulated and enriched the total community.
- _____30. *Unit participated in the *Campaign for Children* in at least two ways. Possibilities are:
 - *Co*-sponsored with the local church, a Children's Sabbath.
 - o Involved with mentoring, tutoring or "big sisters" programs.
 - o Communicated with representatives advocating for children's issues.
 - Attended a school board meeting.
- _____31. Made a pledge to care for God's creation and worked to become a "green" United Women in Faith Unit.
- 32. *Implemented the Charter for Racial Justice policies in at least one way during the year. Possibilities include:
 - Read books and articles about another race or culture.
 - Sponsor an inter-ethnic event between two or more units.
 - Recruit women of color to be members or officers of the unit.
 - Correspond with elected representatives to support legislation affecting issues such as immigration, affirmative action, civil rights, and programs for low-income persons, etc.
- 33. Send this completed form to your **District Mission Coordinator** for Education and Interpretation by *deadline date:* <u>February 1, 2025</u>.

This year our Unit qualified as a Mission Today FAITH HOPE JOY LOVE unit. (Circle all that apply)

PLEASE SEND TO SANDY DeWAELE, 588 E Salzburg Road, Bay City, MI 48706 by Feb. 1, 2025.