

Walk by Faith

~Carolyn Celestine, Treasurer

Let me extend a heartfelt thank you to all of the women in this conference for your contributions in 2010. Even though we did not make our pledge, we all know that God multiplies what we give. Your gifts have been shared with women, children and youth in the U.S. and around the world and have given witness to the love of Christ. *“For we walk by faith, not by sight.”* 2 Corinthians 5:7

Be creative in your efforts to increase giving. Following are some ideas that the Finance Committee has suggested for raising funds in order to meet your pledge:

1. Have a “Walk for Mission” in your district or local unit. Each year the Conference has a “Walk for Mission” at the Annual Conference in June. In addition several units also have a “Walk for Mission.” Sometimes these are held in conjunction with another activity within the community or church. For those members who cannot walk, they have a “Rock” for Mission. They “rock” while others “walk.” Keep in mind that these funds will go toward your pledge.
2. Have a Baked Potato Dinner. One unit cooks up baked potatoes with all the fixings and sells them

3. Walk by Faith ribbons are available from your Corsage for Mission Coordinator. T-Shirts will be available at the Conference Walk for Mission at Annual Conference in June. If you would like more t-shirts for your own walk, call Dixie Stone, Gateway Regional Treasurer, 573-431-4585 and she will have them at Annual Conference.
4. Ask for a contribution at your Women’s Day celebration. Ask every woman in the church to contribute a certain amount for Women’s Day.

Martha Knight, the Treasurer for Women’s Division has asked that I thank each and every one of you for your generous giving during these challenging times and that we continue to work faithfully as good stewards of God’s resources. “Let us give responsibly because we are accountable to those we serve.”□



Hear Ye, Hear Ye

-Chris Hopkins, Nominations Chair



The Committee on Nominations is interested in receiving information from all United Methodist Women who wish to serve the Missouri Conference.

Please fill out a Talent Bank form and mail to Chris Hopkins. If you have previously filled out a Talent Bank and no longer wish to be on the list, then please let the committee know what is going on. We cannot share joy if we do not know about you.□

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