

# Women in Ministry

September 2019



## Frances Allen/Alice Weed Circle First Fall Meeting September 10

After taking the summer off, the FA/AW Circle will meet in the Activity Room at 10:00 AM on September 10. Members are welcomed back, and all women are invited; refreshments will be served. Percy Flippen and Jane Bren are Circle leaders.

## Women's Prayer Breakfast September 12

The monthly Women's Prayer Breakfast will meet 8:30 AM on Thursday, September 12, at Metro Diner, Short Pump Crossing, 11525 W. Broad Street. No reservation needed – just come on out and join the group – bring a friend.



Contact Charlotte Allred, 804-305-5423, [applesRPS@aol.com](mailto:applesRPS@aol.com), for more information.



## Book Club September 23

The next Book Club meeting is September 23 (Monday) at Ann York's home.

Location: 2800 Chancel Lane  
Henrico 23233  
Time: 7:00 PM  
Title: *Before We Were Yours*  
A novel based on true happenings  
Author: Lisa Wingate

## Virginia Conference United Methodist Women Annual Meeting Reveille UMC October 25-26



The VA Conference UMW Annual Meeting is right here in Richmond this year. It's a special 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration, and we hope many from RRUMC will plan to attend.

Friday, October 25

6:00 PM Dinner

7:30 PM Ice Cream Social

150<sup>th</sup> Birthday Cake

Saturday, October 26

9:00 AM Registration

9:30 AM Greetings

10:00 AM Focus Groups

- Economic Inequality
- Covenant Building
- The Gospel in Hymns
- Climate

11:00 AM Focus Groups (repeat)

Noon Lunch

1:00 PM Business Meeting,

Keynote Address, Communion

Cost \$15 -- Registration forms in Welcome Center or at:

<https://www.vaumw.com/events/annual-meeting/>



**Keynote Speaker Harriett Jane Olson** has served as chief executive officer of the UMW's national administrative and policymaking arm since 2007.

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UMW members give about \$15 million a year for work with women, children and youth in the United States and around the world. UMW operates and/or owns the Church Center for the United Nations in New York City, a retirement home for deaconesses and missionaries in North Carolina, a publication and distribution network, and a series of mission education and leadership development events annually. Through these events and our connections around the world, UMW staff and members are inspired, prepared, encouraged and celebrated for their direct service and advocacy for justice.

A Harvard Law School graduate, Ms. Olson practiced real estate and environmental law (1983-96) at a N.J. law firm that is now part of Day, Pitney, before working for the church full-time. From 1996-2007, Ms. Olson was senior vice-president for publishing, editor for church school publications and United Methodist Church book editor at the United Methodist Publishing House in Nashville, TN.

Ms. Olson has a bachelor's degree from Houghton College in Houghton, N.Y., where she serves on the board of trustees.



Sept. 8	Move Up Sunday	
Sept. 15	M & M Kick-off	5:00 - 7:00 PM
Sept. 22	M & M	5:00 - 7:00 PM
Sept. 29	M & M	5:00 - 7:00 PM
Oct -- Each Sunday	M & M	5:00 - 7:00 PM
Oct 6	Baby Shower for Johnson Family	12:00 Noon

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Sept 3	UMW Board Mtg.	Room 206 1:00 PM
Sept 10	Frances Allen/ Alice Weed Circle	Activity Room 10:00 AM
Sept 12	Women's Prayer Breakfast	Metro Diner, Short Pump Crossing 11525 W. Broad St. 8:30 AM
Sept 23	Book Club	Ann York's home 2800 Chancel Lane Henrico
Oct 25-26	VA UMW Annual Meeting	Reveille UMC
Oct 1	UMW Board Mtg.	Room 206 1:00 PM
Oct 6	Baby Shower for Johnson Family	12:00 Noon
Oct 8	Frances Allen/ Alice Weed Circle	Activity Room 10:00 AM
Oct 10	Women's Prayer Breakfast	Location TBD
Oct 21	Book Club	Ann York's home 2800 Chancel Lane Henrico