

## Registration Form

Mission u 2019- Silver Bay, NY  
September 6 – 8, 2019

**Please complete both sides of this form.**

Please check all that apply:

**Registration Fee** - \$80.00 (non-refundable)

**Adult Double Occupancy** - \$240 pp  
includes 2 nights & 6 meals (Total with  
registration fee - \$320)

**Adult Triple Occupancy** - \$220 pp includes  
2 nights & 6 meals (Total with registration  
fee - \$300)

**Adult Single Occupancy** - (limited  
availability) \$360 pp includes 2 nights & 6  
meals (Total with registration fee - \$440)

**Commuter** - \$165 pp includes 6 meals.  
(Total with registration fee - \$245)

**2019 Mission Studies:** Please mark 1 for your  
1st choice and 2 for your 2nd choice.

**Spiritual Growth Study: *Practicing  
Resurrection: The Gospel of Mark***

**Issue Study: *What About Our Money?***

**Special Study: *Women United for Change:  
150 Years in Mission*** will be open to all.

Please check all that apply:

I am attending for the first time

I am interested in credit as a lay speaker.

I am a clergy member,

I am a Study Leader or Guest Speaker

District: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee must be enclosed w/ form. Make  
check payable to: "UNY MISSION "u" REGION I"

## Mission u - Learning Together for the Transformation of the World

The Upper New York Conference United  
Methodist Women and United Methodist Church  
continue to offer Mission u programs in locations  
across the Conference. For more information,  
please visit the Upper New York Conference  
website at: <http://unymissionu.org/>

To register for 2019 Mission u - Silver Bay,  
please complete and return the Registration  
Form on this brochure. This year, you may  
select either the Spiritual Growth Study or the  
Issue Study as your first choice. In addition, the  
Special Study will be open to everyone.

Mission u - Silver Bay is always a wonderful  
weekend filled with fellowship, singing, worship,  
and learning on beautiful Lake George. Come,  
join the fun this September!

### One Conference – Three Choices

**Cazenovia College**

July 12 - 14, 2019

Dean – Patricia Briggs  
[trish5420@aol.com](mailto:trish5420@aol.com)

**Asbury Camp and Retreat Center**

July 25 - 27, 2019

Dean - Ellen Klock  
[olmsteadlms@gmail.com](mailto:olmsteadlms@gmail.com)

**Silver Bay YMCA Conference &  
Family Retreat Center**

September 6 - 8, 2019

Dean – Ilah Sisson Walser  
[isissonwal@aol.com](mailto:isissonwal@aol.com)

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United Methodist Church

## Learning Together for the Transformation of the World



**Practicing Resurrection: The Gospel  
of Mark & Radical Discipleship**

**What About Our Money?**

**Women United For Change:  
150 Years in Mission**

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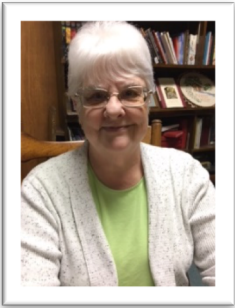
## Studies & Study Leaders

### Spiritual Growth Study:

#### **Practicing Resurrection: The Gospel of Mark & Radical Discipleship**

Using the Gospel of Mark as the foundation, this study explores what it means to live a life of radical discipleship today. The study covers timeless issues of poverty, gender, justice, liberation, equality, and others using Mark as a guide. The stories of the women in Mark are a particular focus in this study and how, although often unnamed, they are prominent among Jesus' followers and in Mark's recounting of the gospel story.

#### **Spiritual Growth Study Leader: Cindy VanAllen**



Cindy VanAllen is a retired teacher of special needs students as well as a retired licensed local pastor. She spends much of her time volunteering at her church, Foothills United Methodist Church, and crafting for many mission projects. She leads a weekly

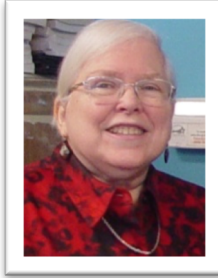
Bible Study at her church and currently is doing the Disciple 1 program. She is program leader for her local UMW unit, chairperson for the Worship Team, co-chair of the Sunday school program, Membership secretary, and co-leader of the church's MOPS (mothers of preschoolers) program. Some of her mission projects are making no-sew blankets for the homeless teens and oncology patients in the area, making prayer shawls for the nursing homes and teddy bear sweaters for Paul Newman's Hole in the Wall camp in Lake Luzerne. Cindy is married to her husband Leo, has two grown sons and five grandchildren. She has attended Mission u for seven years and has been the Dean and Assistant Dean for Silver Bay in the UNY Conference.

### Issue Study:

#### **What About Our Money? A Faith Response**

This study explores how we relate to money within the context of our faith. Through this connection between our faith and our money, participants discover how to live closer to God and God's people, even in our North American culture that is so deeply defined by money.

#### **Issue Study Leader: Leeda Marsh**



Leeda Marsh is retired, having last worked as a secretary for a small manufacturing company. She is an active member of Leominster (Massachusetts) United Methodist Church serving as Worship Ministry Team Chair, as lay member to Annual Conference, and

singing tenor in the choir. Leeda has been actively involved in United Methodist Women for over twenty-five years and has served at the conference, and district levels. She currently serves her local unit as Treasurer, and serves as Business Manager for the Northeastern Jurisdiction UMW. Over the years, Leeda has been a study leader for New England, East Ohio, Susquehanna (PA), Eastern PA, and Upper New York Conferences. She has facilitated many Mission u studies including Matthew, James, Concerning Prayer, Children of the Bible, Vietnam, Cambodia, & Laos, the Roma of Europe, and What About Your Money. Leeda's other interests include reading, classical music, movies, genealogy, and travelling.

#### **Special Study: Women United for Change: 150 Years in Mission**

The first in a two-year study commemorating United Methodist Women's 150th Anniversary will provide a historical survey of UMW, its predecessors, and women who established vibrant societies to support mission in the United States and overseas.

### Registration Form (Page 2)

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Please list any special dietary needs:  
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Please list any room accommodations requested (walk-in shower, close to elevator, single, etc.):  
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Child Care is available for age 6 mos. to 5 yrs. attending w/ adult; please list names/ages:  
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#### **The registration deadline is August 1, 2019.**

Mail completed Registration Form and Fee to:  
Marcia Dudden, Registrar  
36 Middle Street, Waterford, NY 12188  
Email: [madudden@aol.com](mailto:madudden@aol.com) Phone: 518-233-0238

Scholarship help is available; please contact  
Joyce Miller, Business Manager  
Email: [millerumw@verizon.net](mailto:millerumw@verizon.net) Phone: 607-432-8751