

What do you think about when you hear the word "mission field"?

Does a foreign country, new culture, strange foods, or another language come to mind? It takes a shift in thinking to realize a "mission field" exists right where you are. Whether in your classes at school, in the store, at work and/or with your neighbors- this is your mission field.

There are opportunities all around you. God has created us with a desire to make a difference. WMU NC wants to be the catalyst to share resources, promote events, and provide encouragement to help equip you to live in your mission field.

We want to be there for you! You can make a difference!



YOU ARE NOW ENTERING



THE MISSION FIELD

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WMU NC is your source for mission project ideas, spiritual growth, leadership training, leadership development and more. Some of our resources include:

- * **Bible Study Library** - Over 200 Bible studies in our lending library available to check out at no charge. Visit www.wmu.org/bible-studies to find a list and request a study.
- * **Worldcrafts** develops sustainable, fair-trade businesses among impoverished people around the world. For a catalog or for more information visit, <https://www.wmucore.com/shop-worldcrafts>.
- * To sign up for our monthly **ENews** letters with upcoming event information and great ministry ideas email Amanda Martinsen at amartinsen@wmunc.org.
- * Visit www.wmunc.org/free-resources for **free printable resources**.



Jan. 17
April 11
July 18
Oct. 17

Our **Quarterly Leadership Luncheons** encourage, inspire and renew leaders. It's a place to fellowship and network with other leaders around the Raleigh/Cary area, and grow in your own leadership skills. Luncheons will feature a guest speaker focusing on a leadership topic of interest, prayer, fellowship time and lunch. A registration cost of \$15 includes lunch and all workshop materials. Luncheons are hosted at the WMU NC office, 1200 Front St. Ste 110, Raleigh. For more information contact Amanda Martinsen at (919) 882-2344 ext. 208 or email amartinsen@wmunc.org.

Join us for our annual retreat. NCBNF provides Christian professional fellowship and promotes continuing education and growth for members and missionary nurses. Opportunities to serve include national and international mission trips and volunteering at Camp Mundo Vista during their summer events. For more information contact Cynthia Furr, 704.983.4639 or rifurr@yahoo.com.

Feb. 1 - 2
NC Baptist Nursing Fellowship, Camp Mundo Vista, Sophia, NC



March 8 - 9
Children in Action Day at Camp Mundo Vista

This one-day missions event, with an overnight option, is for girls and boys in grades 1 - 6. Children learn about missions, meet a missionary, do crafts, participate in recreation and have lots of fun! For more information contact the WMU office at 866.210.8602 or email Sara Lamkin at slamkin@wmunc.org.

**April 26 - 27 Missions Extravaganza,
Trinity Baptist Church, Raleigh**



The annual missions conference will be held at Trinity Baptist Church in Raleigh, NC. The focus will be on refugees. Men and women and children of WMU NC are invited join together for:

- ◆ Fellowship, worship and growing in God's missions calling
 - ◆ Breakout sessions that will encourage, challenge and equip participants for the mission field
 - ◆ New to Missions Extravaganza, children's programs for grade ages 1 - 6
- This year's keynote speaker will be Sandra Wisdom-Martin, National WMU Executive Director. For more information visit www.wmunc.org/me2019.

Join us for a fun weekend of fellowship. Únase a nosotros para un divertido fin de semana de compañerismo. Para más detalles visita, <https://www.wmunc.org/mujeres-hispanas-ufm> or contact Darbelia Saucedo at darbeliasaucedo@gmail.com or 252-402-7379.

**May 3 - 5
Hispanic WMU
Retreat, Camp
Mundo Vista
Sophia, NC**



**June 1
Camp
Mundo Vista
Anniversary
Celebration**

Join us in Sophia, as we celebrate Camp Mundo Vista's 50th Anniversary. Festivities are from 10 AM - 4 PM. To register visit, www.campmundovista.com/events-1 or contact Cheryl Daniel at cdaniel@wmunc.org. The cost is \$25 per person. Lunch is included.

- * If you have special memories about Camp Mundo Vista you would like to share, visit www.campmundovista.com/virtual-scrapbook.
- * Former camp counselors: to have your name included in a commemorative program visit, <https://wmunc.wufoo.com/forms/cmvm-former-camp-staff/>

Join us for Abound, our annual leadership training! **Abound** is a day focused on encouraging and equipping leaders to live out their ministry calling in their churches and community. Leaders participate in a variety of workshop sessions, from age-level mission group training to spiritual development. Join us at any of the training locations: June 29 at Oakmount Baptist Church in Greenville, July 27 at Fairview Baptist Church in Statesville, August 10 at First Baptist Church Swannanoa in Swannanoa. For more information contact Amanda Martinsen at 866-210-8602 or visit www.wmunc.org/training.

June 29, July 27 & Aug 10



Encouraging & Equipping Leaders to Serve



**August 17 - 18
Military Wives
Retreat, Camp
Mundo Vista
Sophia, NC**

Our annual Military Wives Retreat takes place at beautiful Camp Mundo Vista. Stay 1 night or 2. This is a time of rest and refreshing set aside for spouses who have made sacrifices as their partners serve our country. Listen to heartfelt stories, fellowship with other wives and have fun playing games! If you would like, you may register Fri. evening, Aug. 16 to be ready to start our retreat Saturday morning. For more information visit www.wmunc.org/military-missions or contact Margaret Harding at mharding@wmunc.org or 866.210.8602 x209.

**Carolina Women, October 4 - 5
Caswell Beach, NC**

Caswell Baptist Assembly will be hosting the annual Carolina Women's Event. Personalities include Phyllis Elvington, Renea Henderson and CrossWalk. Registration opens in early 2019. For more information email Margaret Harding at mharding@wmunc.org.



**October 11 - 12
Children In
Action Day
Camp Mundo
Vista**

This one-day missions event, with an overnight option, is for boys and girls in grades 1 - 6. Children learn about missions, meet a missionary, do crafts, participate in recreation and have lots of fun! For more information contact the WMU office at 866.210.8602 x205 or email Sara Lamkin at lamkin@wmunc.org.

WMU NC partners with the BWA Women's Department each year on the first Monday in November to pray for Baptist women around the world. They focus on specific needs and prayer requests as well as give financially to support various ministries. A downloadable prayer guide and program are available to assist churches in planning at www.bwawd.org.

**November 4
Baptist
Women's
World Day
of Prayer**



2019 WMU NC Ministry Opportunities

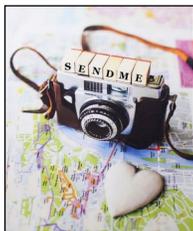


**Christian Men's
Job Corps ®
& Christian
Women's Job
Corps ®**

This ministry helps men and women in need. CMJC/CWJC provides a *hand up* rather than a *hand out*, offering opportunities to learn job skills and life skills. Each individual is paired with a Christian mentor. For more information about job skills training locations, training dates, volunteer opportunities and information on how to host training sessions visit www.cwjnc.org or contact Cara Lynn Vogel at cwjnc@gmail.com or 919.589.2952.

Sisters Who Care is the Women on Mission organization for our African-American sisters. Women pray for and give to missions, learn about missions, do missions work and encourage each other to grow spiritually in a missions lifestyle. For more information contact Lisa Jacobs, the Volunteer WMU NC SWC Coordinator at ljsevent@gmail.com or visit www.wmunc.org/swc.

**Sisters Who
Care
Regional
Chapters**



Mission Trips

Nothing will ignite your WMU groups more than being on mission together. The members of the WMU NC Mission Team have experience, contacts and a desire to help women and churches expand their horizon locally, nationally and abroad. For more information visit <https://www.wmunc.org/mission-trips> or contact Dorothy Barham at dbarham@embarqmail.com.

Is your church considering starting a new age-level ministry, a new WMU, or has it been at least two years since you ordered ministry materials? If so, your church will receive a discount on all publications and materials for an entire year. Subscriptions to magazines and ministry materials are provided by National WMU in partnership with WMU NC. For more information contact Amanda Martinsen at amartinsen@wmunc.org or 800.210.8602 x208.

**New
Age-Level
Ministries
& WMU
Organizations**



**Pinterest With a
Purpose
Workshop**

If you need an idea for a ladies' event with a missional focus, have a *Pinterest With a Purpose* party! Pinterest is the world's catalog of ideas. For more information visit <https://www.wmunc.org/pinterest-tutorial>. For help planning a *Pinterest With a Purpose* party email Amy Boone at aboone@wmunc.org.



an initiative of WMU®

Project HELP is a WMU initiative designed to help the church address current social and moral issues. The goals of Project HELP are to raise awareness of social issues and mobilize the church to meet needs and share the gospel. Since launching Project HELP in 1994, WMU has led the way in addressing social issues, including HIV/AIDS, racial injustice, and poverty. Project HELP 2018 - 2019 will focus on the global refugee crisis. For more information visit, www.wmu.com/?q=article/national-wmu/project-help.

Prayer is very important to WMU NC. Pray for missionaries listed in the Prayer Patterns section of the *Missions Mosaic* magazine or join our Prayer Partnership to pray for a country in Southeast Asia. To subscribe to a magazine contact the WMU national office at 800- 968-7301. For more information about a prayer partnership email Dorothy Barham at dbarham@embarqmail.com.

Prayer Partnership Opportunities



Restorative Justice Ministries

WMU NC has a long history with prison ministry. WMU NC has given red boxes filled with toiletry items and goodies for over 50 years to women who are incarcerated and to youthful offenders. For some, this might be the only gift they receive at Christmas. WMU Associational leaders are asked to select an item to donate for the red boxes and contact churches in their associations to participate. WMU hosts an annual retreat for incarcerated women and sponsors Camp Angel Tree for children of inmates. For more information or to volunteer email Margaret Harding at mharding@wmunc.org or 919-882-2234.

SHINE (myMISSION) is a unique missions approach that seeks to challenge, inspire and teach young women to be God's light in the world. The women of SHINE have one goal - missions for life - Serving God, Helping others, Inspiring believers, Networking community, Experiencing Christ! For more information contact Julie Keith at jkeith@wmunc.org.

SHINE For Women Ages 18 - 34



WMU NC La Union Feminil Misionera Other WMU NC Ministries

Hispanic WMU - ¡Bienvenido a la WMU/UFM! La WMU desafía a los creyentes en Cristo a comprender y participar radicalmente en la misión de Dios. Para más información contactar, Darbelia A. Saucedo en 252-402-7379 en email darbeliasaucedo@gmail.com. Welcome to the WMU/UFM! The WMU challenges believers in Christ to understand and participate radically in the mission of God.

CWLC exists to engage Christian women in discovering and developing their leadership gifting and skills. They offer learning courses and experiences to help women effectively serve in their church, workplace and home. Their certificate program is based on Biblical principals. For more information or to register visit, <https://christianleaderlearning.edu20.com/>.



Camp Mundo Vista is located in the beautiful Uwharrie Mountains near Asheboro. To register for events, or for more information, visit our website www.campmundovista.com.

2019 Girls Summer Camp Dates

- June 16 - 19 Girls grades 4 - 6
- June 19 - 22 Teens girls grades 7 - 12
- June 24 - 25 Mother/Daughter - Rising grades 1 - 6
- Jun 28 - 30 Mother/Daughter - Rising grades 1 - 6



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