



UMNS Newsletter

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Stay Safe and Connected During Covid-19 Pandemic!

UMNS Making a Difference! In 2020 everyone has been challenged because of the pandemic and our way of living was altered. The agency continued to strive to support families in need of food with curbside pick-ups, clothing by appointment only and providing other resources because of devastating losses. We are blessed with the support of partnering agencies, churches and individuals with providing donations. Also, UMNS has continued an active role in supporting children and youth programs in our communities.

The pandemic led everyone to a new way of living by practicing social distancing to help stop the spread of the coronavirus and save lives. This impacted how we provided services and limited planned activities but we pressed forward.

Throughout it all, we have enhanced our gifts thru the use of social media, allowing us to take another approach in increasing our involvement to carry out the mission of United Methodist Neighborhood Services.



Ketty Pointe Jour, CEO/Director
Aging Grace & Caring for Friends



Pop-Up Kids Breakfast Club 10/24/20
Theme: Faith and Climate Justice

Mission Statement

United Methodist Neighborhood Services (UMNS) is a mission agency related to the Eastern Pennsylvania Conference. It's purpose is to service the needs of the poor and the marginalized inner city Philadelphia people, especially women, children and the youth.

The Mission is to meet immediate personal needs to produce a positive impact on the whole community. This is accomplished by involving community members in making decisions and by empowering individuals to become self-sufficient.

United Methodist Women Involvement...

Supporting Women, Children and Youth!



Special Thanks to:

Janes Memorial UMC
Arch Street UMC
Ivyland: St. John's UMC
Scottsville UMC
St. Thomas UMC
First UMC of Germantown
St. Matthews UMC
Mid-Town Parish UMC
Berwyn UMC

Supporters: Volunteers, Carson Simpson, Dignity Housing,, Aging Grace, Caring for Friends, Christ Mission of the Apostolic Faith, Duffield Associates, EPAC

Resources...

Special Hours of Operation Due to Covid-19!

Food Distribution:

3rd Week of
the Month

(Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:00am to 12:00pm)

Clothing Pantry:

Call Tel# 215-236-0304
By Appointment Only!

Food Drives:

March, June and September (2021)

- *Have you ever worked, volunteered or been involved with United Methodist Neighborhood Services?*
- *Would you like to share your memories?*

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Do not forget to show hospitality to strangers, for by so doing some people have shown hospitality to angels without knowing it.

*Hebrew 13:2
(NIV)*