Errata are mistakes and corrections that need to be made on items that were included in the published 2020 Book of Reports.
Be a 5-Star Church

To qualify for the 5-Star Award, churches must:

1. Pay tithe apportionment in full and give at least $25 in categories 2 through 5:
2. Give to at least one International Advance
3. Give to at least one U.S. Advance
4. Give to at least one UMCOR Advance
5. Give to at least one Conference Advance

International Advance

A. Missionaries Assigned to Holston Conference

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<td>Helen Roberts-Evans</td>
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Missionaries Around the World

(Any Amount) Code: 00779Z 075

(Other missionaries may be supported by Holston churches. Inquiry should be made through the Conference Mission Sec.)
**Covenant Relationships**

with Missionaries and Persons in Mission

Although Advance salary support for missionaries is needed in any amount, churches wishing to have a Conference Covenant Relationship with a missionary provide $1,000 per year; churches under 333 members provide $3 per member per year. A GBGM Covenant Relationship with a missionary requires $2,500 per year; churches under 333 members provide $5 per member per year. Covenant Relationship forms and information can be secured from the Conference Mission Secretary. On the conference deposit slip, list the missionary’s name, code number, and the amount.

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**United States Advance**

- **A. Missionaries Assigned to Holston Conference**
  Christina DowlingSoka
  Code: 931511  874

- **B. Appalachian Ministries Network**
  Code: 982041  007

- **C. Appalachia Service Project**
  Code: 982050  092

- **D. Four Corners Native American Ministries, Shiprock, NM**
  Code: 581254  023

- **E. Henderson Settlement, Frakes, Kentucky**
  Code: 773365  088

- **F. Hinton Rural Life Center, Hayesville, NC**
  Code: 731372  042

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**UMCOR Advance**

- **A. Heifer Project, Living Gift**
  Code: 982532  031

- **B. UMCOR Disaster Response in U.S.**
  Code: 901670  026

- **C. UMCOR Emergency Relief (Around the World)**
  Code: 982450  050

- **D. World Hunger / Poverty**
  Code: 982920  016
Conference Advance

A. Persons in Mission assigned to Holston Conference

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B. Asbury, Inc.

C. Muslim Outreach Team Project

D. Campus Ministry and Wesley Foundations

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E. Disaster Relief Within Holston Conference

F. District Advance (Indicate which project)

G. Habitat for Humanity Ministries

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### J. Holston United Methodist Homes for Children
1. Dermid Family Services, Bristol, Virginia 103
2. Holston Home, Greeneville, TN 002

### K. Neighborhood Centers
1. Bethlehem Community Center 079
2. Wesley House Community Center 080

### L. Student Aid, Conference Scholarship Grants
1. Emory & Henry College 085
2. Tennessee Wesleyan University 125

### M. Support for Action Ministries
1. Appalachian Trail Chaplaincy 847
2. Big Stone Gap Dist. Church & Community Renewal 141
3. CASA of East TN, Inc. 493
4. CASA Corridor of East TN 611
5. CASA of the Tennessee Heartland 455
6. Coalition for Kids, Inc. 133
7. Community Youth Outreach, 1st UMC, Johnson City 906
8. Contact 211 886
9. Crossroads Medical Mission 364
10. Emerald Youth Foundation-Just Lead 014
11. Freedom Global 924
12. GATE-Gateway to Independence 612
13. Good Samaritan Ministries, Inc. 066
14. Help For Haiti Children’s Shelter 913
15. Hope to Walk 887
16. Interfaith Health Clinic 492
17. Jubilee Project, Inc. 015
18. Ministry Ctr. Food Pantry 888
19. Morgan-Scott Project 013
20. Of One Accord Ministry 904
21. Partners for Children 536
22. Plateau Home School 106
23. Project Crossroads Ministries 047
24. Restorative Justice Conf. 903
25. Serving Our Neighbors (SON) 923
26. SIFAT-Alabama 670
27. Susannah’s House 830
28. Unity Center 151

### N. Volunteer in Mission Projects and Personnel
Projects approved by the Conference
1. New Church Development/Orphanage in Guatemala 121
2. New Church Development in Costa Rica 161
3. New Church Development in Holston 380
4. New Church Development in Latvia 365
5. Resurrection–Costa Rica 920

### O. World Ministries
1. English Speaking UMC–Prague 716
   – Mark A. Hicks
2. South Sudan Projects 537
3. Hope for Today–India 490
4. Magdy Bassaly–Ambassadors for Christ International 501
5. Mary Diana Samuel Orphanage–India 579
6. The Rescue Ministries–Philippines 676

### P. “Change for Children” 012

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### HEALTH INSURANCE RATES 2021

Replace rates with the following revised 2021 Rates sheet.

#### Holston Conference
**EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2021**

#### 2021 Insurance Rates

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*The amount of employer/employee shared responsibility is at the discretion of the participating organizations. This cost sharing must be applied consistently to all full-time lay participants within the organization. The cost-sharing shown here is an example for information purposes only.

#### Optional Vision Plan Rates: Individual: $11; Employee +1: $18; Family: $27

Flexible Spending Accounts are available through Progressive Benefits Solutions.

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Only TN Providers differentiate between Network "S" and Network "P". If you utilize TN providers, assess each network to determine which best meets your needs.

More information is available at [https://holston.org/administration/pension-health-benefits/programs/insurance/](https://holston.org/administration/pension-health-benefits/programs/insurance/)

For any questions please contact Julie Graham: juliegraham@holston.org or 865-293-4136

Rates are subject to change after actions taken at General Conference.

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Holston Conference Archivist Annual Report  
June 2019 - June 2020

From June 2019 to June 2020 the Holston Conference Archive (HCA) has gone through a great transformation. Existing for a few years as a jumbled pile of boxes, the Holston Conference Archive collection is now once again organized and available to the public. Going forward into 2021 the Holston Conference Archives will continue to serve the Tennessee Wesleyan University and Holston Conference community by providing reference services, archival instruction, and outreach to possible interested parties such as the McMinn County Living Heritage Museum and area United Methodist Churches. The Holston Conference Archives will continue to coordinate with the Tennessee Wesleyan University Library to help fulfill its mission to empower its constituency of students, faculty, and staff in the access, evaluation, and use of information. In addition, the Holston Conference Archives will continue to preserve and provide access to local and regional Methodist history to both assist in maintaining the history and legacy of the United Methodist Church in Holston and to assist in facilitating Holston communities to be able to tell their stories.

I. 2019-2020 Achieved Goals
A. Organized and cataloged HCA collection into a useable and accessible form
B. Placed and organized the entirety of HCA collection books on shelving
C. Shelving for remaining boxes ordered and awaiting delivery
D. Provided archival instruction to Dr. Seitz Environmental History class (Jan. 2020)
E. Expanded Archive space to include reading room
F. Plumbed in dehumidifier to maintain constant stable humidity in Archive room
G. Served as resource staff for the Holston Conference Commission on Archives and History
H. Attended Holston Conference Historical Society meetings and participated in annual Holston Conference Historical Society event at Tennessee Wesleyan University
I. Provided reference services to patrons and maintained service during Covid-19

Reference Requests from June 2019 - May 2020
For 2019 the average number of reference requests per month was two (2). For 2020 until May, the average number of reference requests per month is about four (4) and a half. This overall increase demonstrates that more people are aware of the Holston Conference Archives as an accessible resource. Continued outreach and promotion of the Archives, as well as word of mouth from patrons, will help continue this positive trend.

II. Goals for 2020-2021
A. Facilitate student, faculty, and community member research
   • Work with faculty and students to provide archival instruction and integrate the archives into class assignments and research projects
   • Network with interested parties in Athens, TN and Holston area (McMinn County Heritage Museum, local United Methodist Churches) to identify possible uses of the Archives
B. Build awareness of the HCA through TWU-UMC community outreach
   • Work with local United Methodist Churches and Holston Conference to promote the Archives and develop possible workshops
   • Promote Archives through networking with possible interested parties in Athens, TN and Holston area
   • Coordinate with TWU Library to promote archival services via library events
C. Begin process of digitization of important materials to provide improved access
   • Identify commonly requested and important materials in HCA for digitization
   • Create finding aids and improved container lists and upload them to ACA Digital Repository and TWU Internet Archive
   • Scan and upload selected documents to ACA Digital Repository and TWU Internet Archive
   • Create associated Libguides for finding aids and selected documents
D. Expand Collection through new accession
   • Coordinate with TWU and Holston Conference to acquire new materials
   • Locate local and regional antiquarian book sellers
   • Seek out donations from Holston Conference community

Daniel Ferkin
Archivist
The following report was submitted after the publication of the original Book of Reports and should be included in the official record.

United Theological Seminary - Dayton, OH

For nearly 150 years, United Theological Seminary in Dayton, OH, has been preparing faithful, fruitful leaders to make disciples of Jesus Christ.

Students - In the Fall 2019 semester, United equipped 459 women and men for leadership in the Church, including 272 masters’ students and 187 doctoral students. An ecumenical community of many denominations, races and nationalities, United welcomed students from 11 countries, 42 states, and 37 denominations, with the student body comprised of 49% African American, 42% Caucasian, and 10% ethnic/racial minorities.1 The Seminary prepared 165 Course of Study students and served 36 students through the Hispanic Christian Academy, a 3-year Spanish online course of ministry program for Hispanic/Latino lay pastors and leaders.2 Altogether, approximately 660 students followed God’s call through United Theological Seminary.

Alumni/ae - United graduates are making an impact in their communities as they spread the Good News.
- 88% of alumni/ae are currently employed in or retired from ministry3
- 70% serve in local parishes4
- Rev. Dr. Brad Kalajainen (DMin ’99) received the 2019 Effective Ministry Award for his transformative leadership of Cornerstone UMC in Grand Rapids, MI.
- Rev. Dr. James Bushfield (MDiv ’79, DMin ’92) received the 2019 Distinguished Alumnus Award for his leadership and ministry in the Indiana Conference of The UMC.
- Rev. Dr. Sandra Coley (DMin ’14) received the Outstanding Doctor of Ministry Award for her advocacy of organ donation among African American communities.

New at United - United introduced a 36-hour Master of Arts (MA) degree, designed for those who wish to earn a degree while completing the requirements for Advanced Course of Study in pursuit of ordination in The United Methodist Church. The MA program is available fully online, on-campus or in a combination.

United continues to offer innovative learning through its Live Interactive Virtual Education (LIVE) environment introduced in 2018. In the first year, 59 students participated in LIVE courses, connecting with classmates on campus in Dayton, OH, and across the country by attending classes in real-time via simultaneous webcast.

Becoming Debt-Free
United remains committed to becoming debt-free by the seminary’s 150th anniversary on October 11, 2021. Thanks to the support of generous donors, United has received more than $2.5 million toward its goal of raising $4 million to “burn the mortgage.” Becoming debt-free as an institution will enable United to focus on generating income for scholarships that lighten the load of student debt for seminarians.

In Romans 10:14, St. Paul writes: “How shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher?” For 150 years, United has been preparing faithful and fruitful Christian preachers and leaders who proclaim the Good News of God’s unconditional love which has come to us in Jesus Christ. Thanks be to God!

Dr. Kent Millard, President

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1 Data represents Fall 2019 headcount enrollment, unless otherwise specified.
2 Data represents unduplicated headcount enrollment in the 2018-19 academic year.
3 United Theological Seminary 2019 Alumni/ae Survey, sent in April 2019 to alumni/ae who graduated with a degree or certificate from United in years ranging from the 1940s to 2018, for whom the seminary had email contact information. Data collected represents a 25% response rate (520 respondents) of the 2,043 alumni/ae contacted.
4 Or if retired, were serving in this capacity at time of retirement. United Theological Seminary 2019 Alumni/ae Survey.

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