



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN READING PROGRAM



FIVE CATEGORIES – COLOR CODED:

YELLOW – EDUCATION FOR MISSION
ORANGE – SPIRITUAL GROWTH
PURPLE – NURTURING FOR COMMUNITY
RED – LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT
GREEN – SOCIAL ACTION

PLAN I

5 BOOKS PER YEAR

- One book from each category: Education for Mission, Leadership Development, Nurturing for Community, Social Action and Spiritual Growth.
- Regular reading of *response* magazine.

PLAN II

10 BOOKS PER YEAR

- Two books from each category: Education for Mission, Leadership Development, Nurturing for Community, Social Action and Spiritual Growth.
- Regular reading of *response* magazine.

PLAN III

15 BOOKS PER YEAR

- Two books from each category: Education for Mission, Leadership Development, Nurturing for Community, Social Action and Spiritual Growth.
- Plus five additional books from any category.
- Regular reading of *response* magazine.

PLAN IV

20 BOOKS PER YEAR

- Two books from each category: Education for Mission, Leadership Development, Nurturing for Community, Social Action and Spiritual Growth.
- Plus 10 additional books from any category.
- Regular reading of *response* magazine.

SELECT A BOOK

SIGN YOUR NAME ON THE BOOK CARD

PLACE CARD IN CARD RACK ON TOP OF BOOKCASE

WHEN RETURNING THE BOOK, CROSS YOUR NAME OFF CARD AND
REPLACE IN BOOK BEFORE SHELVING

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FOUR PLANS:

PLAN I – ONE FROM EACH CATEGORY
PLAN II – TWO FROM EACH CATEGORY
PLAN III – THREE FROM EACH CATEGORY
PLAN IV – FOUR FROM EACH CATEGORY

A CHILDREN'S BOOK MAY BE SELECTED FOR ONE OF THE READINGS ON PLAN I, TWO CHILDREN'S BOOKS ON PLAN II, THREE CHILDREN'S BOOKS ON PLAN III, AND FOUR CHILDREN'S BOOKS FOR PLAN IV.

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Information: Bonus Books, Movies, & Mission U Sessions

Bonus books are interesting, but not all are equal in value! There is a category notation in the front of Bonus Books that are in the Southern Hills UMW library.

Bonus Books in the categories of Education for Mission and Social Action may count as 2 books in one category (for Plan 2, 3, 4) or 1 book in each of those two categories for Plan 1. However, Bonus Books in the categories of Nurturing for Community and Spiritual Growth can be counted only for one category if the reader is reading for Plan 1. In this case, the Bonus Book would apply for the Plan 1 and as an “additional book”. (For a total of 6 books read.) Readers could consider a goal of Plan 2 where 1 Bonus Book could qualify as 2 books in the identified category.

If a UMW member watches a movie based on a book on the Reading List, that counts as having read the book! This is true for single count and Bonus Books.

Similarly, UMW members can attend or watch a recorded Mission U session that is based on Reading List books. Two seminars equals 1 book and 3 seminars equals 2 books.

For questions or clarification contact the Secretary Program Resource Officer.

