United Methodist Women Executive Committee Meeting Saturday, June 8, 1994 -- 1:30 p.m. AGENDA

Call to Order -- Mary Whanger

Devotional -- Mary Whanger

Increase support for circles

What would help you?

One idea -- a monthly newsletter to be edited by Dorothy Sander

upcoming events

projects

avenues of undesignated giving in addition to our pledge to missions

special mission recognition gifts to mission greeting cards gifts in memory world thank offering candle burning a penny and a prayer program suggestions news from the circles

mission and Bible study resources

etc.

Frequency of General Meetings

Continue monthly meetings?

Quarterly meetings? Possible dates: March 5 (Sat.) or 6 (Sun.)

June 4 (Sat.) or 5 (Sun.) Sept. 10 (Sat.) or 11 (Sun.) Dec. 4 (Sun.)

Program ideas for general meetings:

Try to plan active participation of all who attend, something more than listening to a speaker. Ideas?

Someone from District or Conference UMW, for inspiration and education.

Interfaith Hospitality Network

Treasurer's report -- Jennifer Nifong

<u>Pledge cards</u> -- still to be ordered, will be given to circle leaders as soon as possible.

Fund raising ideas -- Linda Wilson, Betty Craig

Projects -- Hilda

Durham District Lay Rally -- Durham District Lay Leader Burton King has requested that we again provide an informal reception following the Lay Rally on Sunday afternoon February 6. The Rally will begin at 3 o'clock. The program will last 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 hours, and the reception will follow. Cookies and punch. Last year about 500 people attended. Circle leaders, pass around a sign-up sheet and ask each person to indicate how many cookies she will bring. Did we also ask Sunday School classes for cookies?

Other reports or subjects that need discussing -- anyone

Adjournment

