

UWM/Great Lakes Region – Face-to-Face Board Meeting

May 8-10, 2017 – Granger, IN

Rev Ted Schneider, President 2019 (2nd term)
Rev Kurt Condra, VP & Communication Liaison, 2018 (1st term)
Rev Sandra McKinney, Secretary, 2019 (2nd term)
Rev Josette Jackson, Treasurer, 2018 (1st term) (left early 5/10)
Rev Vareta Foster, Trustee & YFM Liaison, 2017 (1st term)
Rev Glenda Walden, Trustee & Conference Planning Liaison, 2017 (1st term) Appt - Excused
Tom Sylvester, LUT Regional Representative, 2019 (1st term)
Rev Ray Nelson, Alternate Trustee, 2017
John McMahon, UWM Board Liaison, 1st term (Unable to attend)

The UWM/Great Lakes Regional Board met at their annual Face-to-Face Board meeting, renting a farm house in Granger, IN which reduced the typical costs associated with a hotel/motel and meals out. The Board shared food costs, cooking and clean-up, having one meal at a restaurant. This change in format was met with enthusiasm and was felt by all to create a closer relationship, having additional time for building relationship.

The first full day, financials were reviewed with recommendations from the Finance Team given by Josette. The day was spent creating the 2018 budget which will be presented at Annual Conference, in addition to being posted on the Unity Great Lakes website prior to Conference.

On the 3rd day (5/10) we reviewed the outline for the Annual Conference Business meeting assigning duties where indicated.

Nominating committee to have candidates no later than September 1st.

Remaining time together was used to reflect on each Board member's attributes as seen by the others.

Next meeting Conference Call on Wednesday, June 21, 2017 1:30pm CDT/2:30pm EDT.

Respectively submitted,

Sandra McKiney, Secretary