

ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE FOR HOPEWELL UMC

RESOURCE MINISTRIES

Resource Ministries consist of the Church Council, Finance Committee, Staff-Parish Relations Committee, Board of Trustees, Committee on Lay Leadership, Lay Delegates, Lay Leaders, Pastor, and staff members. Their purpose is to provide support and resources for the ministries offered by the church.

NURTURING MINISTRIES

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

WITNESS MINISTRIES



MISSION STATEMENT

As a community of believers, we seek to love, support, and accept one another by the Grace and with the Love of the Lord Jesus Christ.

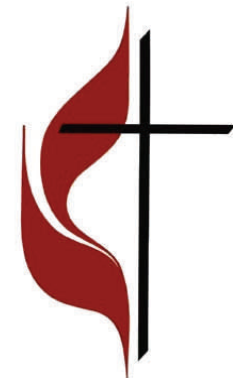
We want to reach out to and disciple all who desire acceptance and belonging in our fellowship.

We will care for others with consistent compassionate ministries. May all we do together embody Christ and glorify Him.

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Hopewell United Methodist Church



Witness
Ministries



Witness Ministries

The 2004 General Conference of The United Methodist Church established a new format for church ministries. All work areas within the local church are to be organized into one of four groups: Nurturing Ministries, Outreach Ministries, Witness Ministries, and Resource Ministries.

Witness Ministries of the church shall give attention to developing and strengthening evangelistic efforts of sharing personal and congregational stories of Christian experience, faith, and service; communications; Lay Speaking Ministries; and other means that give expressions of witness for Jesus Christ. (Paragraph 252.2c)

The Witness Ministries Team at Hopewell UMC will meet once a quarter in order to coordinate ministry goals and activities.

WITNESS MINISTRIES

The Witness Ministries Team will consist of members who have a desire to share with others the wonderful news about Jesus Christ. Many of us recognize the mercy, forgiveness, and grace of our Heavenly Father; however, we find it difficult to share how God has moved in our lives with those around us. The purpose of our Witness Ministries Team is to enable each of us to become comfortable sharing “**our faith stories**” with one another and others. By coming out of our comfort zone, we not only grow closer to our Savior, but we will also draw others to Christ.

Witness Ministries Team

Members:

- Evangelism
- Communications
- Lay Speaking Ministries

If a listed position becomes vacant, then the remaining members are asked to share in the responsibilities assigned to the vacant position until a replacement can be approved by the Church Council or Church Conference.

WHY SHARE MY STORY?

First, we share our story because Christ has commanded us to.

“And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, ‘All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, *even* to the end of the age.’”

Matthew 28:18—20, NKJV

Secondly, we share our story in order that others may be saved.

“Jesus said to him, ‘I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.’”

John 14:6, NKJV

Where Do I Begin?

If you would like to learn more about our Witness Ministries, or if you are interested in serving on the Witness Ministries Team, please contact the minister for more information!

