

2011-2016 ARCHIVIST'S REPORT

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- To Gather
- Too Preserve
- Systematically Organize
- House Documents and Artifacts
- So that the history of the WFMUCW can be referenced in the future



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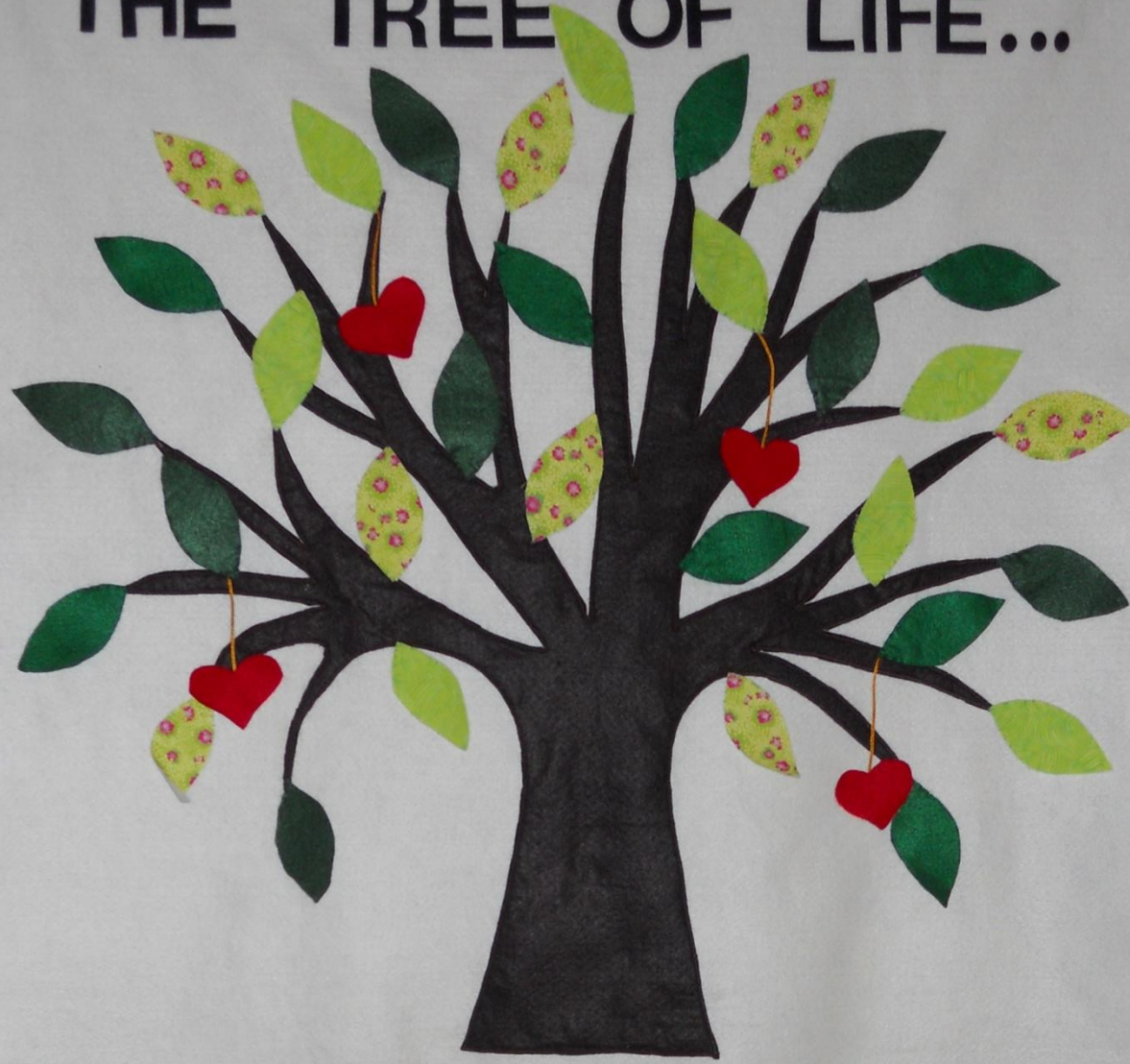
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AND
THE WORLD FEDERATION OF METHODIST
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THE TREE OF LIFE...



...LEAVES FOR HEALING

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WORLD FEDERATION'S UNITED NATION'S LOGO

World Federation's United Nations logo links the United Nations activities and programs with the basis of all that motivates christians to serve Christ and the world.



Within the 'U' of United Nations is a circle which is a symbol of the world, and the empty cross is superimposed over the world as a sign of God's commitment and involvement with humankind, through the redemptive actions of Jesus Christ.

The 'U' and the 'N' are linked together as a symbol of hope for a united effort by people of good will to improve the life and living conditions of the women, men and children of this world. The women's symbol completes this thought-provoking logo.



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Constitution of the World Federation of
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China	Paul H. Wong, Yu-Chen-hin
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From Memory To HOPE

A Narrative History
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A World Sisterhood

A History of the
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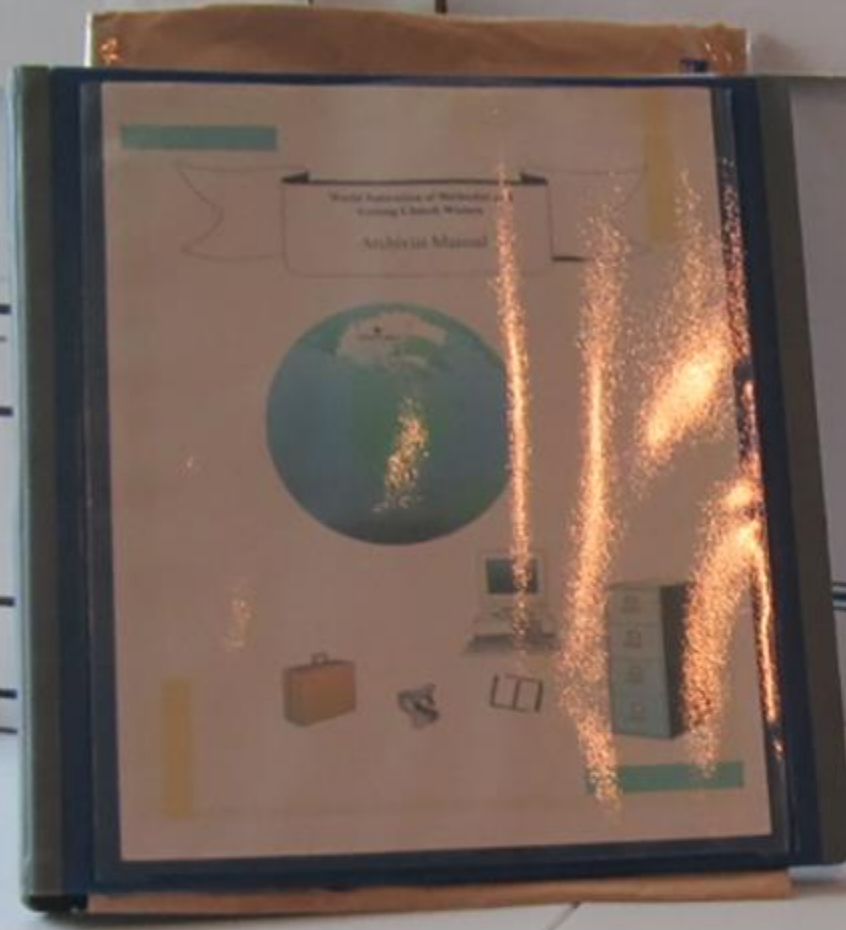


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Mortgage Center Director



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MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
FOR ENABLING DEVELOPMENT OF OUR WRITTEN HISTORY
AND ARCHIVES UNDER THE PRESIDENCIES OF
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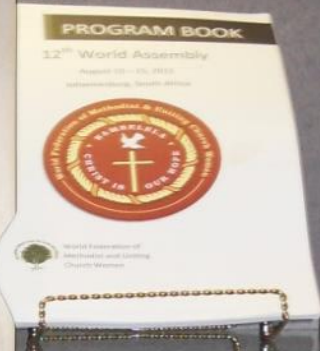
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In 1923 Hsien Kim challenged Methodist women with a vision of a world sisterhood of Christian women she planted the seed for the World Federation of Methodist and Christian Women.



The Tree of Life is the official emblem of the World Federation of Methodist Women. It came to us, with its symbolism, from the Church in China. It is an evergreen, signifying continuous life and vitality. Its branches stretch upward and outward, symbols of our thought and action reaching upward to God and outward to our neighbors. The twelve fruits of the tree are: (1) Evangelism, (2) Medical Work, (3) Education, (4) Literature, (5) Children, (6) Youth, (7) Home and Family Life, (8) Rural Projects, (9) Economic Justice, (10) International Friendship, (11) Temperance, and (12) World Peace. These are symbols of those graces of Christian service that will always be found in the lives of those who are rooted in Christ.

Chalice that was used during the Closing Communion Service of the World Federation of Methodist Women in 1984.



"On the far side of the river was there the tree of life, which bore twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month, and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations." - Revelations 22:2



Mary Phelan
President
1873-1878



Elizabeth Kinosh
President
1878-1881



Ghada Kim Loh
President
1981-1984



Edith Ming
President
1984-1987



Edith Linn
President
1987-1990



Chastel Smith
President
1990-1993



Rosemary Wain
President
1993-1996



Vera Anderson Miller
President
1996-2001

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World Federation Charter

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Dear Friends, Welcome
and Love & Blessings
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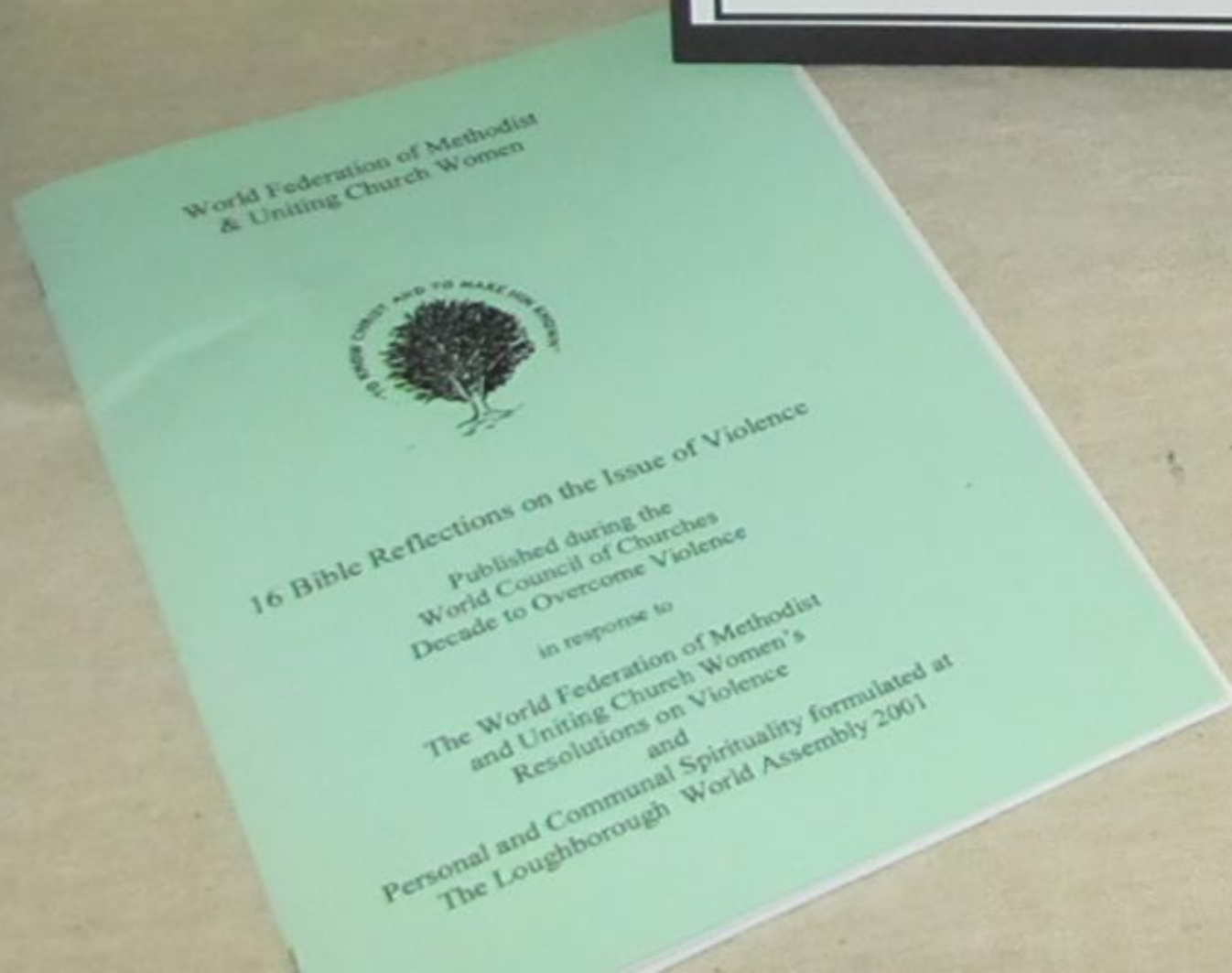
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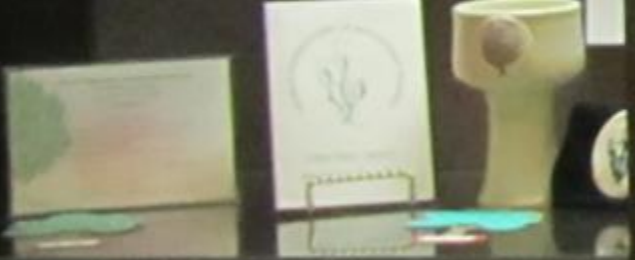
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**The World Federation
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The World Federation observed the development of the United Nations and its Agencies. It became increasingly concerned that in the international forum, Methodist, United and Uniting Church women could have the opportunity to identify women's issues and have input from a Christian perspective, into debates and decisions leading to a New International Organization (NIO) which the United Nations...

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Over the years the Federation has participated in many UN conferences, such as the 1st World Conference on Women, Women: The Rights of the Child, Aging, Environment, Development, World Summit on the Sustainable Future. The Federation is primarily represented at the UN by Dr. Brenda Smith who became involved in the 1970s as a member of the UN Commission on the Status of Women.

World Federation's contribution to the UN
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**THINK GLOBALLY
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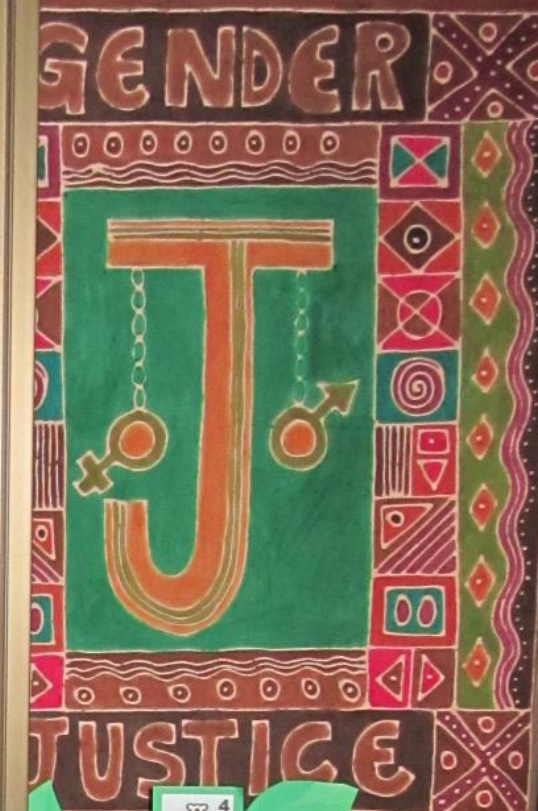
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WORLD FEDERATION'S UNITED NATIONS LOGO
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The logo consists of a central globe surrounded by stylized human figures in various colors (blue, green, orange, red). The text 'CHOSEN PEOPLE' is arched above the globe, and 'CALLED TO PROCLAIM' is arched below it. To the right of the logo, the text 'World Federation of Methodist & Uniting Church Women' is written in a small font. Below that, '13th World Assembly 2016' is written in large, bold letters, with '13th' in red, 'World' in green, and 'Assembly 2016' in blue. At the bottom, 'Houston, Texas, USA' is written in a small font.

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