

TIME LINE AND SCHEDULE

UMMEN SPIRITUAL RETREAT
FEBRUARY 26-28, 2010

FRIDAY 26th

- 2:00 – 7:00 pm **Registration Opens** – Congaree Prefunction Hall
5:00 – 7:00 pm Dinner Buffet (\$10.00 per person) – Congaree A Ballroom
7:00 pm **Evening Worship Service** – Congaree B Ballroom
Strength For the Journey - *Scripture: 1 Kings 19: 1-13*
Worship Leader: **Rev. James Friday**,
District Superintendent, Florence District

SATURDAY 27th

- 7:00 – 8:00 am Breakfast (\$7.00 per person) – Congaree A Ballroom
8:00 – 10:00 am Registration Open – Congaree Prefunction Hall
8:00 am **Morning Prayer Time and Testimonies**– Capital Room
9:00 – 10:15 am **Workshops**
10:15 – 10:45 am Refreshment Break
10:45 – 12:00 pm **Workshops**
12:00 – 1:00 pm Lunch (\$9.00 per person) – Congaree A Ballroom
2:00 – 3:15 pm **Workshops**
3:15 – 3:45 pm Refreshment Break
3:45– 5:00 pm **Workshops**
5:00 – 7:00 Dinner
7:00 pm **Evening Worship Service** – Congaree B Ballroom
New Men - *Scripture: II Corinthians 5:17*
Worship Leader: **Dr. Tim McClendon**,
District Superintendent, Columbia District

SUNDAY 28th

- 7:00 – 8:00 am Breakfast (\$7.00 per person) – Congaree A Ballroom
8:00 am **Morning Prayer Time and Testimonies**– Capital Room
9:00 – 10:00 am **Workshops**
10:00 am **Closing Worship Service** – Congaree B Ballroom
The Strength of Christ Will Make a Difference
Scripture: Philippians 4:1-13
Worship Leader: **Dr. Ernest Etheredge**,
District Superintendent, Walterboro District
11:00 am **2010 UMM Spiritual Retreat is Concluded**

UPPER ROOM PRAYER CENTER Toll Free Prayer Line: (800) 251-2468

Each local church is asked to bring an offering to support this ministry. Prayer line offering will be taken Saturday night at closing.

Directions to Radisson Hotel & Conference Center

- ▶ **Florence:** Take I-20 (West) toward Augusta. Take Exit 63 (Bush River Road). Make a left at the light. The Hotel is located on the left.
- ▶ **Spartanburg:** Take I-26 (East) toward Charleston. Take Exit 108 (Bush River Rd). Turn right at the light. Proceed 1.5 miles. The Hotel is located on the right.
- ▶ **Columbia:** Take I-26 (West) toward Spartanburg. Take Exit 108 (Bush River Rd).

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Spiritual Retreat Weekend



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== New Central Location ==

**Radisson Hotel & Conference Center
Columbia, S.C.**

February 26, 27, 28, 2010

Bring your wife and enjoy this special weekend.

Program Registration

South Carolina Conference
 United Methodist Men's Spiritual Retreat
 (Please Print all information)

Name _____ Wife's name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____ E-Mail _____

Church _____ (No. of members _____)

District _____

Retreat Registration Fee

Single Registration Fee (no rooms or meals)\$70.00
 After 2-15-10.....\$85.00

Man & Wife Registration Fee (no rooms or meals)\$85.00
 After 2-15-10.....\$100.00

My Donation of \$_____ To Support Prayer Line Ministry

Interested In Being A Volunteer On The Prayer Line

Total Amount Enclosed \$_____

Make checks payable to **S.C. Conference UMMen** and mail with this form to:

UMMen
 Mr. Daniel Canada
 4609 Misty Vale Ln
 Columbia SC 29210

Phone: (O) 803-345-4117
 (H) 803-798-9294
 Email: dcanada@scana.com

Hotel Reservations & Meals

(Individuals are responsible for making all housing and meal arrangements.)

We had many request to have a central location because of the shape of the economy.
 This year the retreat will be held at

The Radisson Hotel and Convention Center
 2100 Bush River Road Columbia, SC 29210
 Telephone: (803) 731-0300 Fax: (803) 731-4892

In order to get the special convention price, reservations have to be made by **February 15th** & ask for the SC United Methodist Men's Meeting (\$84/ night).
 You can have meals at the hotel or go out.

The Radisson will set up a Cafeteria for attendees in Congaree A Ballroom.
 Breakfast @ \$7.00 per person - Lunch @ \$9.00 per person
 Dinner @ \$10.00 per person

2010 Workshops and Leaders

Keynote Speakers



Dr. Ernest C. Etheredge is the Walterboro District Superintendent, South Carolina Conference. He is a graduate of Lander College. He has a Master of Divinity degree from Gammon Theological Seminary in Atlanta, and his doctorate is from Erskine Theological Seminary. His birthplace is Saluda, SC. Dr. Etheredge has served the Annual Conference with his training and experience in Pastoral Care and Counseling. He has also served on the Board of Trustees for Epworth Children's Home and The Bethlehem Center and has contributed to the growth of the church through the Committee on Congregational Development. He has served as an Adjunct Professor at Claflin University, Columbia College, and Benedict College. He has been the District Superintendent for the Walterboro District since 2004.



Rev. James Friday is the Florence District Superintendent, South Carolina Conference. He is a native of Timmonsville, S.C. He is a graduate of Francis Marion University, Florence, S.C. He also has a Master of Divinity degree from Duke University School of Divinity. He has served three appointments in the local church and continues to serve on various committees and boards on the District as well as the Conference. Rev. Friday believes that God has called him to a life of Holy living and service to humanity and the world through the body of Christ, the Church. "Always strive to give God, God's People, and God's Creation your best and never settle for less. We should always give our best in whatever we do because God gave us His best in Jesus Christ."



Dr. Tim McClendon is the Columbia District Superintendent, South Carolina Conference. He is a native of Edgefield, SC. He is a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the University of South Carolina. He also has a Master of Divinity degree from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary in Boston, and his doctorate is from Emory University in Atlanta. Dr. McClendon has served the Annual Conference and General Church in a variety of ways. He is the Conference Parliamentarian, a member of the United Methodist Church Connectional Table, the Worldwide UMC Study Committee, and is an Adjunct Professor at Emory University where he teaches "Theology in the Wesleyan Spirit" and "United Methodist Discipline and Polity."

Workshops Answering Questions:

- How Can Men Hit God's Target?
- How Did Jesus Become Angry Without Sinning?
Can We Do the Same?
- Where Is Man's Place In God's Will?
- Can a Man Use Proverbs For Today's Living?
- How Do You Build a UMM Leadership Team To Get Things Done?
- Where Are All The Young Men?
- What Can Men Do To Influence Our Next Generation?
And More !!

Workshop Leaders Are Men Like:

- Dr. Charles Johnson**
District Superintendent, Greenville District
 - Dr. Webb Belangia V**
Pastor, Trinity United Methodist Church, Bamberg
 - Rev. Jack Washington**
Pastor, Mt Zion United Methodist Church, Kingstree
 - Rev. James Friday**
District Superintendent, Florence District
 - Rev. Jeff Kersey**
Pastor, Mount Horeb United Methodist Church, Lexington
 - Rev. J. C. Lane**
Pastor, St. Paul United Methodist Church, Kingstree
 - Mr. L. W. Smith**
President, SEJ United Methodist Men
 - Rev. Judson King**
Congregational Specialist &
Staff Person for Division on Youth and Young Adults
- And Others Still Being Confirmed !!**



Each year during this retreat, we will have an opportunity to support the Upper Room Prayer Line Ministry through our giving.
 It is recommended that each unit send or bring their annual offering to support this ministry.

The unit that provides the largest contribution which exceeds the registration fee for two people will receive a scholarship for two people to attend in 2011.
 These scholarships are for registration fee only. Meals and lodging cost will be the responsibility of each attendee.