


# MISSIONS FOR LIFE 2021



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Our methods must adapt and change, but the relentless call of the Great Commission remains. It is a calling to pursue the lost with a message that a pandemic can neither restrain nor squelch. Now we go. Go and create community where you are. Create new communities, online communities, smaller more intimate communities where the hope and love of Christ is taught and where the Holy Spirit breathes over the lost in new ways.

- Now is the time to fuel the passion for missions in every generation. Now is the time for the gospel to grow deep into new soil. It is in the cracks of a broken and hurting world that light can begin to shine and new life can begin to emerge.
- Now is not the time to give up on this call and WMU is here to support you in your relentless pursuit of the Great Commission through missions education resources, leadership training, compassion ministries and missions events. We go with you as you go unto all the world!

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North Carolina

# WMU RESOURCES 2021



## Bible Study DVD Library

WMU has over 200 Bible studies in our lending library available for check out at no charge. Visit:  
<https://www.wmunc.org/bible-study-lending-library>

## WorldCrafts

WorldCrafts develops sustainable, fair-trade businesses among impoverished people around the world. Through the ministry of WorldCrafts WMU seeks to:

- Bring assistance to those who live in poverty
- Offer hope to victims of human exploitation
- Provide relief to those in need of humanitarian aid
- Support vulnerable children and the families that care for them

2021 Event: August 25th WorldCraft Christmas Virtual Event  
To borrow a tub of WorldCraft samples for your own worldcrafts party, contact Evangeline at [ekelly@wmunc.org](mailto:ekelly@wmunc.org) or visit: [www.worldcrafts.org](http://www.worldcrafts.org)



## Free Materials

Free printable resources and materials  
at: <https://www.wmunc.org/free-downloads>



## E-Newsletter

To sign-up for our e-newsletter, email Amanda Martinsen at: [amartinsen@wmunc.org](mailto:amartinsen@wmunc.org) OR sign-up on our website at [wmunc.org](http://wmunc.org)

## Monthly Leadership Luncheons



## Leadership Luncheons

Our Monthly Leadership Luncheons encourage, inspire, and renew leaders. It's a place to network with other leaders and grow in your skills. Luncheons are hosted virtually each month via Zoom. For more information visit: [www.wmunc.org/leadership-luncheon](http://www.wmunc.org/leadership-luncheon)

### Dates for the Leadership Luncheons:

February 18, March 18, April 15, May 13, June 17, July 22, August 19, September 16, October 21, November 18, December 16



## Age-Level Ministries and WMU Organizations

If your church is interested in starting a new WMU or WMU-related ministry, contact Amanda Martinsen for discounted materials at (919) 882-2344 ext. 208 or by email at [amartinsen@wmunc.org](mailto:amartinsen@wmunc.org)



## Abound Trainings

Abound is our annual leadership training and focuses on encouraging and equipping leaders to live out their ministry calling in their churches and communities. This year, several virtual training opportunities are being planned and leaders will have the opportunity to participate in workshops and age-level group training. Visit: [www.wmunc.org/leadership-development](http://www.wmunc.org/leadership-development)



## Missions Extravaganza 2021

Attend our conferences, worship, services, exhibits, and bookstore at our annual spring missions conference. Conference is a VIRTUAL Missions Celebration on April 24, 2021. Visit: [www.wmunc.org/missions-me-2021](http://www.wmunc.org/missions-me-2021) to register.



# Military Wives Ministries



## Military Wives Retreat

WMU has a heart for the women defending our country and for those who hold down the home front as their husbands serve. Our Annual Military Wives retreat takes place at Camp Mundo Vista on August 13-15, 2021. It is a time for our married women in uniform or wives of active or retired soldiers to come together to have respite, fellowship and worship at Camp Mundo Vista.

During this free event, women can hear from voices who know what it means to be in their shoes, but also make connections with other wives and service women who become lifelong friends, confidants and sometimes even mentors. Come enjoy time at the pool, on the zipline, crafting and simply resting at the WMU Military Wives Retreat. Visit: [www.wmunc.org/military-missions](http://www.wmunc.org/military-missions)

## "Heroes at Home" Military Wives Check-In

The second Thursday of every month at 7:30PM, join Rebecca Lindhout, our Adult Ministries Consultant and Shelly Willis, counselor and military wife for our military wives check in. Hear women share what's going on in their lives, pray for one another, laugh and learn a little as well! With degrees in Psychology and Marriage and Family Counseling and a concentration in Military Resilience, Shelly understands the physical, mental and emotional challenges of being a military wife and speaks love and wisdom into the lives of the women who join us once a month on zoom. Email Rebecca to receive a monthly zoom link: [rlindhout@wmunc.org](mailto:rlindhout@wmunc.org)  
Visit: [www.wmunc.org/military-missions](http://www.wmunc.org/military-missions)





## Missions and Motherhood

How do we raise children who love the Lord and missions? How do we prioritize missions and the "least of these" when finding strawberry

Uncrustables and online learning can seem like impossible tasks?

We do it together, acknowledging that we don't have it all together all the time. Let's be moms, be real, be loved and be on mission with our Heart to Hands Women on Mission Podcast and Missions and Motherhood events.

Visit: [www.wmunc.org/missions-and-motherhood](http://www.wmunc.org/missions-and-motherhood)



## MyMISSION NC

Missions discipleship should lead women to lives of deeper devotion as they live out their relationship with Christ.

Join us, October 9th at Lawndale Baptist Church, Greensboro, NC from 10AM-1PM. Learn about "Engaging Young Women in Missions". There will be worship, brunch, challenging missionary stories, and hands-on projects for Compassion Ministries.



## Ministers' Wives Retreat

We believe that the wives of pastors have been called to serve alongside their husbands in ministry. Our mission is to support ministers' wives as they support their husbands and their churches. We hope you will join us on July 13-15, 2021 at Caraway Conference Center for a time of retreat and fellowship. To learn more, please visit: [www.wmunc.org/ministers-wives](http://www.wmunc.org/ministers-wives)



## Carolina Girls

Carolina Girls is an event for middle through high-school aged girls, collegiate young women, and their leaders. It's a VIRTUAL event on May 1st, 2021. You can attend worship, hear testimonies from your peers and missionaries, attend break-out conferences, and participate through hands-on missions project.

Contact Deborah Taylor at [deborahataylor@outlook.com](mailto:deborahataylor@outlook.com) or visit to register: <https://www.wmunc.org/carolina-girl>



## Carolina Women

Join us for the Carolina Women Retreat, October 15&16, 2021, as we celebrate that "We Have This Hope" and learn more about missions, ministry and personal spiritual growth by the sea at Fort Caswell Baptist Assembly at Oak Island, NC. You can expect dynamic speakers, informative and fun breakout conferences, great food and excellent worship through art, music and drama! Cost for this event is \$110 per overnight guest for early registration (\$120 after August 1) or a day conference drive in rate of \$85. Email Rebecca for more information: [rlindhout@wmunc.org](mailto:rlindhout@wmunc.org)



## Baptist Nursing Fellowship

North Carolina Baptist Nursing Fellowship provides Christian professional fellowship and promotes continuing education and growth for members. Join us for our annual retreat April 9-10, 2021 at Camp Mundo Vista. Visit: [www.wmunc.org/nc-baptist-nursing-fellowship](http://www.wmunc.org/nc-baptist-nursing-fellowship)



# Tarheel Talk Magazine

WMU NC's publication to share, encourage and connect people, ministries and mission opportunities beginning under your roof, among your community, and across the state. Our hope is that you see mission opportunities not just as a project, but a way of life. To learn how to receive this publication contact our Creative Content and Tarheel Talk Editor, Jenn B at [jennb@wmunc.org](mailto:jennb@wmunc.org) or visit: <https://www.wmunc.org/publications-brochures>



## Children's Mission Day

This event is for boys and girls in grades 1- 6. Children will meet missionaries, do crafts, and participate in a missions project.

2021 Events:

<b>March 6</b>	Virtual
<b>Oct 8-9</b>	Camp Mundo Vista
<b>Nov 13</b>	FBC Weaverville

[www.wmunc.org/children-mission-day-events](http://www.wmunc.org/children-mission-day-events)



## Youth on Mission Day

This VIRTUAL event on March 6, 2021, is for young men and women in grades 7-12. Youth will meet missionaries, worship, and participate in a missions project. Visit: [www.wmunc.org/young-adult-events](http://www.wmunc.org/young-adult-events)



## Day of Prayer

WMUNC partners with Baptist Women's Department each year on the first Monday in November (November 1st, 2021) to pray for Baptist Women around the world. Visit: <https://www.bwawd.org/day-of-prayer-this-year>



# WMU MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES 2021



## Sisters Who Care

Sisters Who Care is the Women on Mission organization for our African-American sisters. Women pray for and give to missions, learn about missions, do missions work and encourage each other to grow spiritually in a missions lifestyle. Contact: Lisa Jacobs at [ljsevents@gmail.com](mailto:ljsevents@gmail.com) or visit: [www.wmunc.org/sisters-who-care](http://www.wmunc.org/sisters-who-care)

### 2021 SWC EVENTS:

**1/7-2/25** Bible Study & Prayer Session 1 [Thursday's at 7pm]

**1/17** Leadership Training

The 4th Tuesday of each month SWC are the featured guest on The Fresh Anointing Podcast with Reverend Dr. Jae Richardson

**1/30** Welcome House Virtual Tour (Registration is online)

**2/20** Alzheimers & Dementia Awareness Zoom Workshop

**3/18-5/6** Bible Study & Prayer Session 2 [Thursday's at 7pm]

**4/18** Leadership Training

**5/8** Zoom Workshop (TBD)

**7/8-7/10** Mission Trip to Red Springs, NC

**7/19-7/23** Black Church Leadership & Family Conference, Ridgecrest NC

**10/22-10/23** Abide Retreat at Camp Mundo Vista

**12/18** SWC Christmas Give-away



## Hispanic WMUNC Ministry

Bienvenido a la WMU/UFM! La WMU desafía a los creyentes en Cristo a comprender y participar radicalmente en la misión de Dios. Para más información contactar, Darbelia Saucedo en 252-402-7379 en email [darbeliasaucedo@gmail.com](mailto:darbeliasaucedo@gmail.com). Visit: [wmunc.org/hispanic-wmu-nc](http://wmunc.org/hispanic-wmu-nc)

2021 Events:

Children's Mission Day Event on February 13th

Hispanic Woman's Retreat at Camp Mundo Vista August 20-22



## Christian Men and Women's Job Corp

This ministry helps men and women in need. The CMJC/CWJC provides opportunities to learn job skills and life skills. Each person is paired with a Christian mentor. For more information contact: Cara Lynn Vogel at [cwjcncc@gmail.com](mailto:cwjcncc@gmail.com) or 919-589-2952.



## Prison Ministry

WMU NC has a long history with prison ministry. Women across the state have provided inmates with Red Boxes filled with toiletries, a Gospel tract, and small goodies for over 50 years. For some inmates, this maybe the only gift they receive at Christmas. To sign up for an item to contribute, email: [ekelly@wmunc.org](mailto:ekelly@wmunc.org) or visit: [www.wmunc.org/prison-ministry](http://www.wmunc.org/prison-ministry)



## Mission Trips

Nothing will ignite your spiritual life more than being on mission. Trips are planned by WMU NC with the desire to help women and churches expand their horizons. For a list of missions trips, visit: [www.wmunc.org/mission-trip](http://www.wmunc.org/mission-trip) or contact Dorothy Barham at [dbarham@embargmail.com](mailto:dbarham@embargmail.com)  
2021 Trips:

Vermont: Sept 22-28th (Contact Deborah Taylor for openings -[deborahataylor@outlook.com](mailto:deborahataylor@outlook.com))



## Prayer Partnerships

Prayer is very important to WMU NC. Pray for missionaries listed in the Prayer Patterns section of the *Missions Mosaic* magazine or join our Prayer Partnership to pray for a country in Southeast Asia. To subscribe to the magazine contact national WMU at 800-968-7301. For a prayer partnership, contact: Dorothy Barham at [dbarham@embargmail.com](mailto:dbarham@embargmail.com)



## Christian Women's Leadership Center

CWLC exists to engage Christian women in developing their gifting and skills. They offer online courses to women to help them serve effectively in their church, workplace, and home. Visit: [www.christianleaderlearning.com](http://www.christianleaderlearning.com)

Courses offered include:

WMU Compassion Ministries, Pure Love Pure Water, Worldcrafts, Refugees, & Human Trafficking.



## Project Help Refugees

Project HELP is a WMU initiative designed to help the church address current social and moral issues. Visit: <https://www.wmunc.org/ministry-partners>



## Camp Mundo Vista

Since 1969 Camp Mundo Vista has a rich tradition of supporting the mission of our guests. Our vision is to create an atmosphere where God can speak, His voice can be heard, and His words will have impact.

2021 Events:

Horizon Camp for Girls (Ages 3rd grade through age 17):  
July 13-15th.

Mother-Daughter Retreat (For daughters in grades 1-8th):  
July 30th- August 1st

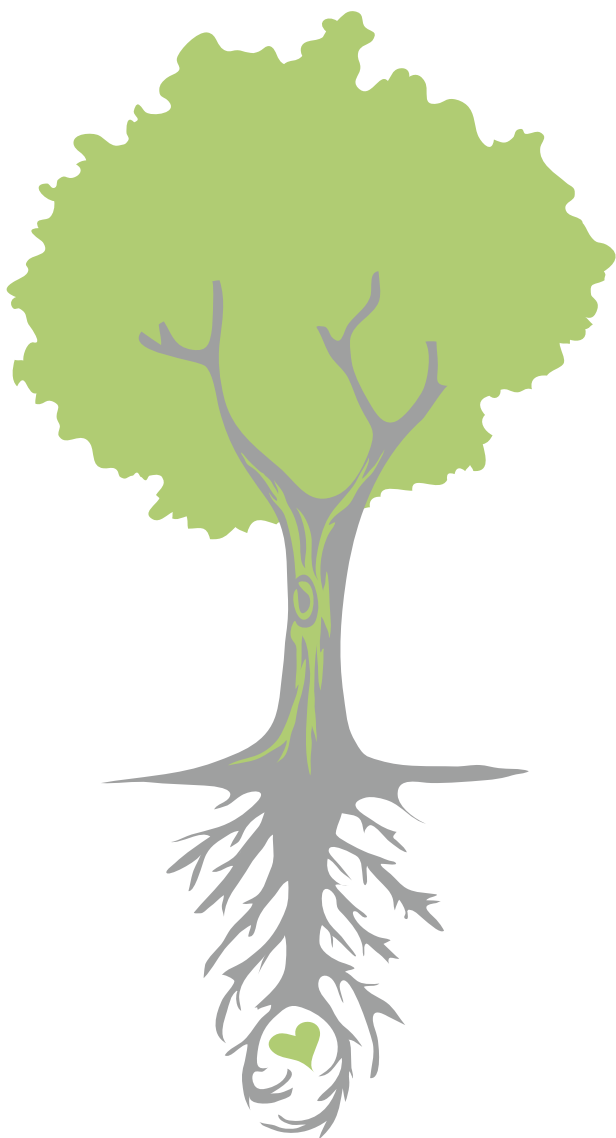
Register at: [campmundovista.com/programs/](http://campmundovista.com/programs/)





For “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.” But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him? And how can they believe in him if they have never heard about him? And how can they hear about him unless someone tells them?”

Romans 10:13-14



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