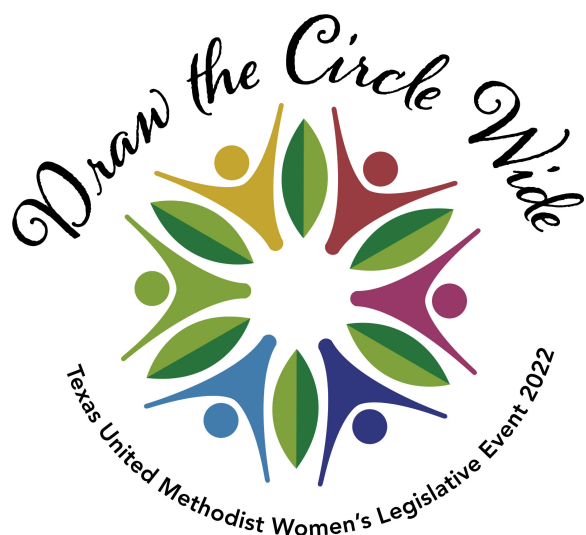


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## AGENDA

### SATURDAY, January 22

- 1:00PM-3:00PM    **Welcome and Orientation**  
*UMW Leaders and Texas Impact Staff*  
*Opening Devotion: Donna Jensen, Central Texas Conference*
- 1:30PM-3:00PM    **Public Witness 101**  
*Bee Moorhead, Texas Impact Executive Director*  
*Scott Atnip, Texas Impact Public Witness Director*
- 3:00PM-4:00PM    **BREAK**
- 4:00-5:30PM      **Elections 101-A**  
*Josh Houston, Texas Impact Advocacy Director*

### SUNDAY, January 23

- 10:00AM-12:00PM    **Worship**  
*Reverend Diane McGehee preaching*  
*Jane Howard, piano*  
*Mandi Griffin, song leader*
- 12:00PM-1:00PM    **Lunch**

- 1:00PM-1:30PM**      **Welcome**  
*UMW Leaders and Texas Impact Staff*
- 1:30PM-2:30PM**      **Climate and Health**  
*Cara Cook, MS, RN, AHN-BC, Director of Programs*  
*Association of Nurses for Healthy Environments*
- 2:30PM-3:00PM**      **Climate and Methane**  
*Colin Leyden, Political Director*  
*Environmental Defense Fund of Texas*
- 3:00PM-3:30PM**      **BREAK**
- 3:30-4:30PM**              **Climate, Disaster, and Resilience**  
*Paul Martin, Vice-President for State Relations*  
*Reinsurance Association of America*
- 4:30-5:30PM**              **Climate and the Texas Grid**  
*Cyrus Reed, Ph.D., Conservation Director*  
*Sierra Club Lone Star Chapter*
- 5:30PM-6:00PM**      **BREAK**
- 6:00PM-8:00PM**      **DINNER**  
*Keynote Address: Beaman Floyd*  
*Blessing: Becky Ratliff, Rio Texas Conference*

## MONDAY, January 24

- 9:00AM-10:00AM**      **Greetings and Announcements**  
*UMW Leaders and Texas Impact Staff*  
*Morning Praise: Theresa Graham, Texas Conference*
- 10:00AM-11:00AM**      **Elections 101-B**  
*Josh Houston, Texas Impact Advocacy Director*
- 11:00AM-12:00PM**      **Legislative Visit Preparation**  
*Texas Impact Staff*

- 12:00PM-1:15PM**      **LUNCH**  
*COVID Update: Jennifer Waisath Harris, Texas State Director*  
*The COVID Collaborative*  
*Dr. Peter Hotez, Baylor College of Medicine*  
*Blessing: Beth Dorcas, Central Texas Conference*
- 1:15PM-1:30PM**      **BREAK**
- 1:30PM-2:30PM**      **Workshops**  
**Election Mobilization in Your Church**, *Cathy Morgan and Kendal Gladish*  
**Border Update**, *Sid Earnheart and Bobby Watson*  
**A New Tool to Fight Senior Hunger**, *Jamie Olson and Heather Malkawi*
- 2:30PM-3:00PM**      **BREAK**
- 3:00PM-4:30PM**      **Talanoa Dialogue**  
*Group Discussion and Discernment*
- 4:30PM-6:00PM**      **Texas Impact Office Hours**  
*Josh Houston and Beaman Floyd*
- 6:30PM-8:00PM**      **DINNER**  
*Keynote Speaker: Harriett Jane Olson, UMW National CEO*  
*Blessing: Ellen Lipsey, President South Central Jurisdiction UMW*

## TUESDAY, January 25

- 7:30AM-8:30AM**      **TRAVEL TO CAPITOL FOR LOBBY VISITS**
- 8:30AM-9:00AM**      **Capitol Orientation**
- 9:00AM-11:00AM**      **LEGISLATIVE VISITS**
- 11:00AM-12:00PM**      **Closing Discussion and Sending Forth**

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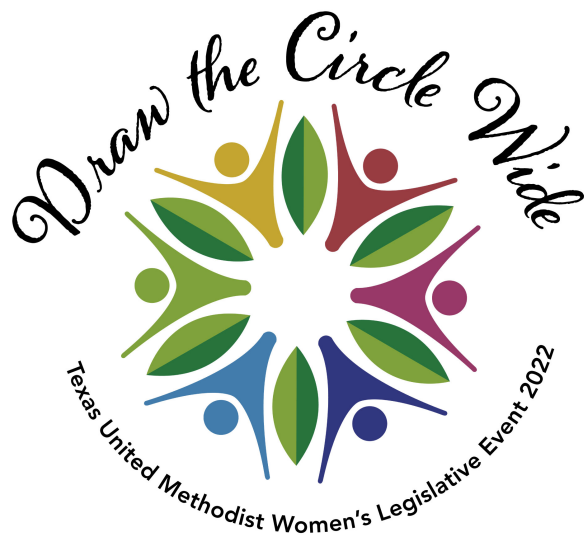
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