

Northern Waters District - Peace with Justice Ministry Team

Conversations and Learning Sessions

Opportunities to Review the New Social Principles

The United Methodist Church is in the process of drafting new Social Principles. It is vital that we as United Methodists do all we can to learn about these proposed changes. The Northern Waters District is offering conversational small group opportunities where we will learn about and discuss the draft of the revised Social Principles. The General Board of Church and Society is giving us an opportunity to input our suggestions through an on-line portal. Please join us for one or more of these sessions:

- July 21, 2018 (10 am to 12 pm) at Onaway UMC (3647 N Lynn St, Onaway)
- July 22, 2018 (4 to 6 pm) at Harbor Springs UMC (343 E Main St, Harbor Springs)
- July 28, 2018 (10 am to 12 pm) at Grawn UMC (1260 S West Silver Lake Rd, Traverse City)

The United Methodist Social Principles are:

1. The Community of All Creation
2. The Nurturing Community
3. The Social Community
4. The Economic Community
5. The Political Community
6. The World Community



Detail on our current principles are available by going to the UMC website at: www.umc.org. (Click on What we Believe, Basics of Our Faith, Social Principles & Creed). You can also review the draft new social principles by going to: <https://www.umcjustice.org/documents/89>.

We are sure one or more of these principles is near and dear to your heart and we value your thoughts and opinions. So please join us at one of the Conversations and Learning Sessions! You do not need to RSVP.

Our prayer is that we all will see how important principled Peace with Justice Action is as we make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.