

TIME LINE AND SCHEDULE

UMMEN SPIRITUAL RETREAT
FEBRUARY 17-19, 2012

FRIDAY 17th

- 2:00 – 7:00 pm **Registration Opens**
4:30 – 7:00 pm Dinner Buffet – Springmaid Cafeteria
7:15 pm **Evening Worship Service**

SATURDAY 18th

- 6:00 am Coffee/Fellowship
6:30 am Saturday Sunrise Service (sunrises 6:42 am)
7:00 – 9:00 am Breakfast Buffet – Springmaid Cafeteria
8:00 am **Registration Open** – Until 10:00AM
8:30 – 10:00 am **Workshops**
10:00 – 10:30 am Refreshment Break
10:30 – 12:00 pm **Workshops**
12:00 – 1:00 pm Lunch Buffet -- Springmaid Cafeteria
1:15 – 2:00 pm Prayer Line Orientation for Volunteers
2:00 – 4:00 pm Scouting Workshop – Session 2
2:00 – 5:00 pm Free Time –Shop, Golf, Fish or Relax and enjoy the beach.
2:00 – 6:00 pm Upper Room Prayer Line

Enjoy Dinner on Your Own at your favorite coastal restaurant.

- 7:15 pm **Evening Worship Service**
**On Departure a Special Offering will be taken to support The Upper Room Prayer Line Ministry

SUNDAY 19th

- 6:00 am Coffee/Fellowship
6:30 am **Sunday Sunrise Service (sunrises 6:42 am)**
7:00 – 9:00 am Breakfast Buffet – Springmaid Cafeteria
(Pack up & Check out)
9:30 – 10:45 am **Workshop**
11:00 am **Worship and Communion Service**

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 The Springmaid Beach Resort

- ▶ **From North:** Take Hwy US-501 into Myrtle Beach. Turn RIGHT (South) onto Highway US-17 Business. Turn LEFT onto South Ocean Blvd. / SC -73. Turn RIGHT onto Springmaid Blvd. Registration is the first building on the RIGHT past the Mini-golf course.
- ▶ **From South:** Take Hwy US-17 Business North into Myrtle Beach. Turn RIGHT onto South Ocean Blvd. / SC -73. Turn RIGHT onto Springmaid Blvd. Registration is the first building on the RIGHT past the Mini-golf course.
- ▶ **From Airport:** From airport parking lot take first RIGHT onto Highway 15. Turn RIGHT onto 17th Avenue South. Turn RIGHT onto Highway US-17 business. Turn LEFT onto South Ocean Blvd. / SC -73. Turn RIGHT onto Springmaid Blvd. Registration is the first building on the RIGHT past the Mini-golf course.

SC United Methodist Men
Connectional Ministries
4908 Colonial Drive
Columbia, SC 29203

**MENTORING
SPECIAL**

Bring a young man
age 14 to 21 at
NO registration charge.
(Room and Meals Not Included)
*Please add name to Registration Form

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South Carolina Conference



Spiritual Retreat Weekend

HOME COMING

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SC UNITED METHODIST MEN
"HOME COMING 2012"

February 17, 18, & 19, 2012

The Springmaid Beach Resort

3200 South Ocean Blvd
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Individual Reservation Line: 1-800-770-6895:

www.ummsc.org
for printable registration

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 _____
 * Name of Mentored Young Man _____

Retreat Registration Fee

- Single Registration Fee** (no rooms or meals)\$75.00
 After 1-31-12....\$85.00
- Man & Wife Registration Fee** (no rooms or meals)\$90.00
 After 1-31-12....\$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 Phone: (O) 803-345-4117
Mr. Daniel Canada (H) 803-798-9294
 4609 Misty Vale Ln Email: dcanada@scana.com
 Columbia SC 29210

Hotel Reservations & Meals

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

The Springmaid Beach Resort
 Individual Reservation Line: 1-800-770-6895

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| Room with Meal Package Includes: | Room only: (No Meals Included) |
| Lodging for Friday and Saturday Nights, Dinner Buffet Friday night, Breakfast and Lunch Buffet on Saturday, and Breakfast on Sunday! | \$139.24 Single or Double Two nights lodging \$59.00 (\$69.62 w/tax) per night |
| Single: \$181.80 Double: \$224.35 | |
| Triple: \$266.90 Quad: \$309.50 | |

Room/Meal package must be specified at time of registration

2012 WORKSHOPS AND LEADERS

Keynote Speakers

Rev. George Ashford



Born in Columbia, SC, a second generation Methodist Minister, Ashford graduated from SC State University with a BS degree in Marketing, Master of Divinity Degree from Gammon Theological Seminary, and a Doctor of Ministry Degree from Columbia Theological Seminary, in Atlanta Georgia. He pastored Silver Hill United Methodist Church in Spartanburg SC for 11 years prior to coming to Journey. He led the church in a relocation and revitalization project, which increased membership, worship attendance, and increased attendance in children and youth programs.

Appointed to Journey United Methodist Church in June of 2007. Journey is a new church started in the Northeast Columbia area. A brief history:

- Launched first service Easter 2008
- Church chartered in 2010
- Purchased 11.45 acres in 2010
- Currently averaging 450 in worship each Sunday
- Phase 1 -- 12,000 sq. ft. Multi-purpose building with construction to begin in 2012

Married to Olisa Jordan Ashford, Administrator at Spring Valley High School. Two sons, George Adrian (16), Sophomore at Spring Valley High School and Geordan Alexander (13), 8th grade at Blythewood Middle School.

Rev. Randy Madsen



Randy was born in Cleburne, TX. He received a B.A. degree in Philosophy in 1972 from Southwestern University, Georgetown, TX. He was employed for 20 years in the pharmaceutical industry in Marketing, Marketing Research, and Sales Management.

Responding to God's call, Randy received the Master of Divinity Degree from Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Atlanta, GA in 1996, and was ordained Full Elder in 1997. He has served the South Carolina Conference in the

Rock Hill District since 1994, including Van Wyck, Trinity (Lancaster,) Lynnwood (Lancaster,) and Good Samaritan (Lake Wylie.)

Reverend Madsen now serves Grace Community (Fort Mill,) which launched public worship in April 2008 in the gymnasium at Leroy Springs Recreation Complex. Grace Community chartered in October 2009, and began worshipping in its own property on Gold Hill Road in June 2010. Membership at Grace Community is 180. Thirty four percent of members joined by means of Profession of Faith.

Randy is married to Lori Boggs Madsen, his partner in ministry. They have two sons Spencer (34; Washington, D.C..) and Skyler (30; Austin, TX) that they describe as "grown and gone!"

Saturday Workshops

Promote Your Men's Ministry:

Find out how to develop a media strategy using local newspapers, community resources, and the church connection. From designing printed flyers to crafting a winning press release, discover how you can be most effective on a local, district or conference-wide level.

Led by: **Jessica Connor, Editor for the Advocate**

"Bridging the Gap" to a New Generation of Men:

How do we welcome and encourage young men? We can become pro-active in developing lasting inter-generational relationships. Come and see!

Led by: **Hank Dozier, Western N.C. UMM, Conference President**

A Local Church Prayer Ministry:

Come and find out how your church can establish a Prayer Ministry Team to serve your congregation. Churches of all sizes can have a Prayer Ministry.

Led by: **Clayton Easter, Past Conference Prayer Advocate**

Electronic Communication 101:

E-MAIL TO FACEBOOK! Learn what you need to be effective and safe online.

Led by, **Matt Brodie, S.C. Conference, Director of Communications**

Connecting UMM with Scouting Ministry:

This workshop helps UMM understand their connection to this valuable outreach ministry by providing the vital resources to grow and sustain Scouting as a Ministry. Two different sessions will be offered.

- General information during Saturday morning session.
- Intensive training to equip scouting ministry specialist Saturday afternoon.

Led by: **Patton Long, Conference Scouting Coordinator**

A Firm Foundation:

If the Men's Ministry at your church falls apart before it's fruitful, "Check the Foundation". "Solid Rocks" like priority, man friendly environment, and passionate leadership, are cemented by the centrality of Christ. Let's rebuild the church together, using our men as the carpenters and masons.

Led by: **Dale Sherrin, S.C. UMM Conference President**

Sunday Only: A Resource designed to assist us in a life of Evangelism, Mission and Spirituality



"Twelve is Here"! We have struggled with the when and the how, but the time is now. It's time for the S.C. Conference to take the lead in rebuilding Christ's church.

36 When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. 37 Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. 38 Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field." Matthew 9: 36-38 NIV

Each year during this retreat, we 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 2012. These scholarships are for registration fee only. Meals and lodging cost will be the responsibility of each attendee.