

EMS Ministry

The **Every Man Shares** through **Evangelism, Mission and Spiritual Life** ministry has been expanded to provide increased value.

EMS Members receive the following:

- UMMen Magazine** includes *MensNews* (quarterly)
- Devotional book**
- Event discounts**
- Other related resources**

Your support is distributed as follows:

- \$3.50 to conferences and \$3.50 to districts to support Methodist Men sponsored Evangelism, Missions, and Spiritual Life Ministries.
- \$.75 to support the Upper Room Prayer Ministry
- \$.75 to the Jurisdiction to support UMMen Evangelism, Missions, and Spiritual Life Ministries.
- \$.75 to National Association of Conference Presidents to support Evangelism, Missions, and Spiritual Life.
- \$1.50 to enhance and expand our Scouting and Civic Youth Ministries.
- \$.75 to support United Methodist Men sponsored mission opportunities.
- \$19.00 to direct expenses related to training, production of resources, renewals, reports, *UMMen* Magazine, postage, awards, etc.
- \$14.50 to General Commission on UMMen administrative expenses for the Every Man Shares Ministry.

United Methodist Men support, endorse and fund many mission works including:

Society of St. Andrew
Upper Room Prayer Ministries
Hope of Hearing

Contact our office for a complete listing.

The Vision of UMMen... and your role in it

United Methodist Men have an opportunity and an obligation to make a major impact on the millions of men in our church. The **mission** of the **GCUMM** is to assist men to know **Jesus Christ**, to serve **Him**, to grow spiritually, and seek daily to do **His** will.

UMMen is in the business of **awakening, inspiring, challenging, supporting, training, equipping and resourcing** men as they become **Christ-like** in their daily lives.

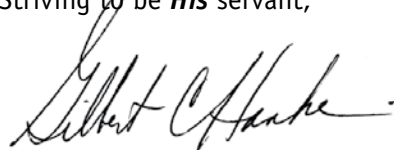
Our highest priority is to build and promote the **spiritual growth of men**. We call our men to become servant leaders, as this emulates the model life shown to us by our **Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ**.

There is a fresh wind of **spiritual renewal** and a window of opportunity to reach out to men today. The time is **NOW** to call men to a personal and vital relationship with **Christ**.

UMMen is at the leading edge of renewal of men within mainline denominations. If you believe that we are headed in the **right direction**, with a sense of **mission and purpose** -PLEASE JOIN US!

An important **"vote"** that you cast to propel us and ignite men is your **EMS membership**. Invest today, and consider buying a complimentary membership for another man and your pastor.

Striving to be **His** servant,



Gilbert C. Hanke, General Secretary, GCUMM

Reaching the Hearts of Men for Christ



Men's Ministry in the United Methodist Church

You are invited to become a partner in the largest, most organized men's ministry program of any denomination in the US. We are the second largest sponsoring organization for **Boy Scouts of America**, and a leader in **Girl Scouts** and the **Amachi** mentoring program with **Big Brothers Big Sisters**. We continue to evolve, grow and improve, but you are joining a winning team.

There is a long history of men's ministry within the United Methodist Church. The multiple components of this ministry are now coordinated by the **General Commission on United Methodist Men**, created by the 1996 General Conference. As an **EMS** member you will receive a wide variety of resources that offer access and explanations of our many ministries for men, youth and families.



EMS stands for "*every man shares in evangelism, mission and spiritual life.*" That's another way of saying that **God's men are given the opportunity to share the abundant gifts they have been graciously given by God.** James 1:22 encourages us all to "be doers of the word, and not merely hearers." God's plan for each of us is first to become something new, and then to do new things in God's will.

United Methodist Men hope that you will join with us in **spiritual growth** as we become new in Christ, and to touch the lives of others as we serve them in mission and service. We earn **credibility and opportunity to present Christ** to others through our Spirit-filled lives, selfless service and healthy relationships.

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EMS is value packed with resources that help you grow spiritually -but this is not just about you and what you get. As an **EMS** member, you begin a **partnership relationship with United Methodist Men** in the crucial **ministry work of reaching men for Christ** - in your local UMC congregation, community, nation and world. **EMS** will become a base from which you can grow rich spiritually, and have the opportunity to invest wisely as a steward of your time, talent and treasure.

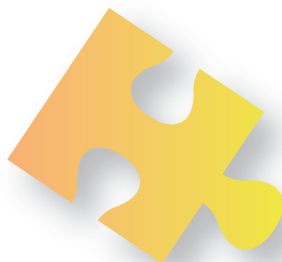
A Partnership

EMS is the entry level step in a partnership between you and the men's ministry programs of this great world-wide church. There are other levels of partnership for you and for your local church that you can explore at www.gcumm.org.



EMS establishes a **two-way link** between you and the GCUMM. There are leadership materials and a wide variety of ministries that we can share with you. But we also know that you have examples of successful ministries and stories of men whose lives have been

changed that you can share with us and we can share with the general church. We look at this as an exchange of 'best practices' that benefit the Kingdom.



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