

Lane 1 - Persons in Mission continued

ROSANNA PANIZO-VALLADARES *continued*

Related Lane 2: Conference Missions

Durham District Board of Mission #S-00202

Related Lane 3: National Missions

National Hispanic Ministries Challenge Fund
#982620

VICKIE SIGMON (#982916) Winston-Salem, NC

A Church and Community Worker, Vickie works in a high-risk community developing Christian community, promoting social justice and proclaiming God's loving presence. Contact information—Phone: 336-724-0850 Email: openarmsumc@juno.com

Related Lane 3: National Missions

Open Arms Ministry #982916

VICTOR TARYOR (#3019571) Liberia

Victor is a hospital administrator for Ganta Hospital. Also a registered nurse, Victor oversees the daily operation of the hospital which provides the best possible care to each patient. Contact information—Email: vdoolakehtaryor@yahoo.com

Related Lane 4: World Missions

Ganta United Methodist Hospital #15080N

MARY ZIGBUO (#10721Z) NC - USA

Mary is a GBGM Missionary working with Circles of Hope in Wadesboro, NC (Anson County). Since 2009, Anson County has participated in a national poverty alleviation campaign aimed at equipping persons who desire to improve their quality of life and that of their families with skills, information, and community-based support to get out and stay out of poverty.

Any other advance specials listed in "Strength in Numbers" www.advancinghope.org.

Lane 2

NC Conference Advance Specials

ALL GOD'S CHILDREN UMC & Place of Possibilities (#S-08004)

This ministry develops programs to meet the needs of impoverished children and youth in rural Bertie, Hertford and Northampton counties. Contact—Web: www.allgodschildrenumc.org
Phone: 252-345-1077

ALLIANCE MEDICAL MINISTRY (#S-00142)

This ministry was founded to provide affordable primary medical care to low-income, uninsured, working families in Wake County. They serve the working poor, families generally earning less than \$25,000 annually, who have no health insurance. Contact—Phone: 919-250-9154 Web: www.alliancemedicalministry.org

ANATHOTH GARDEN (#S-00248)

Anathoth Community Garden is a ministry of Cedar Grove UMC. At the garden, more than 50 families share together in garden work, workshops, worship services, and children's activities. Members pledge to work two hours each week and in return, they take home a share of the week's harvest. Anathoth's staff also trains other church and community groups throughout the US in their efforts to use God's earth faithfully. Web: www.anathothgarden.org

CASWELL COUNTY PARISH, INC. (#S-00008)

Sponsored by local member churches, ministry provides services to impoverished and low-income residents of Caswell County through Two Hearts Thrift Store and clothing ministry, emergency food pantry and utility assistance program. Mission is to be a cooperative ministry working to end poverty in Caswell County. Contact—Deborah Jones. Phone: 336-694-6428
Email: program@caswellparish.org

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NC Conference Advance Specials

*Children & Youth
Ministries*

*Recovery and
Relief Efforts*

*Ethnic Populations
in the US*

Hunger Relief

*Institutional
Programs*

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| All God's Children UMC (#S-08004) | † | † | † | | |
| Alliance Medical Ministry (#S-00142) | | † | † | | † |
| Anathoth Garden (#S-00248) | | † | † | † | |
| Asbury Homes (#S-03501) | | | | | † |
| Caswell County Parish, Inc. (#S-00008) | | † | † | † | |
| Disciple Bible Outreach Ministry (#S-00008) | † | | | | † |
| Ethnic Local Church Projects - Rockingham District (#S-00022) | † | † | † | | |
| Food Bank of Central and Eastern NC (#S-00025) | | † | | † | |
| Golden Cross (#S-00153) | | † | | | |
| Hispanic Ministries (#S-00107) | † | | † | | |
| Hyde County Cooperative Parish (#S-00104) | | † | | † | † |
| ISA Grant Scholarship (#S-00033) | | † | | | |
| Jerusalem Arc (#S-00196) | † | † | | | |
| Methodist Home for Children - Benevolent Fund (#S-03500) | † | | | | † |
| Methodist Retirement Homes - Benevolent Fund (#S-03600) | | | | | † |
| Mission to Haiti (#S-00122) | † | † | | † | |
| NC Council of Churches (#S-00051) | † | † | † | † | † |
| NC Interfaith Disaster Response (#S-00108) | | † | | | † |
| NC Storms Emergency Response (#S-00176) | | † | | | |
| No Hungry Neighbors (#S-00123) | | † | | | |
| Passion in Partnership (#S-00249) | | | | | † |
| Peace & Justice Clinic (#S-00198) | | | † | | |
| The Peace (#S-00183) Parenting & Marriage Enrichment | † | | | | |
| Prison MATCH - Mothers & Their Children (#S-00054) | † | | † | | † |
| Rockingham District Native American Cooperative Ministries (#S-00143) and GBGM ADVANCE (#791001) | † | † | † | | † |
| Rockingham District Partners in Ministry (#S-00193) | † | † | † | | † |
| Ryan Epps Home for Children (#S-00245) | † | † | | † | † |
| Society of St. Andrew (NC Office) (#S-00081) and GBGM ADVANCE (#801600) | † | † | | † | † |
| Stop Hunger Now (#S-00101) | † | † | | † | † |
| UM Men Ministry Center (#S-00136) | † | † | † | † | † |
| UM Volunteers in Mission Work Teams (#S-00021) | † | † | | | † |
| Wesley Heritage Project (#S-00097) | | | † | | † |
| Yokefellow Prison Ministries (#S-00078) | | | | | † |
| Youth Service Fund (YSF) (#S-00082) | † | | † | | † |

**DISCIPLE BIBLE OUTREACH MINISTRY
(#S-00103)**

A collaborative ministry of the NC and Western NC Conferences. Promotes DISCIPLE Bible Studies in churches and manages the outreach of DISCIPLE in Prisons and RINGS OF FELLOWSHIP in Youth Development Centers. Mission is: "to develop and strengthen Bible Study ministries in local churches and in outreach settings—especially prisons—which will transform lives, make disciples, and empower Christians for outreach ministry." Contact—Dr. Mark Hicks. Phone: (336)454-5348 Email: MCHicks@northstate.net Web: www.disciplebibleoutreach.org

**ETHNIC LOCAL CHURCH PROJECTS IN
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT (#S-00022)**

Funds assist ethnic churches with crucial needs. Phone: (910) 276-6641

**FOOD BANK OF CENTRAL
AND EASTERN NC (#S-00025)**

Provides food to 545,000 individuals in 34 counties in central and eastern North Carolina through more than 800 partner agencies including community-based, emergency feeding programs including food pantries, soup kitchens, shelters, elderly nutrition programs and after school programs for children. Phone: 919-875-0707 Web: www.foodbankcenc.org

GOLDEN CROSS (#S-00153)

Ministry that reaches out in love to the laity in the NC Conference who are experiencing financial difficulty due to excessive medical expenses. Phone: 1-800-849-4433 Web: www.nccumc.org/missions/golden-cross

HISPANIC MINISTRIES (#S-00107)

Ministry to the fast-growing Hispanic population in North Carolina. These funds are administered by the NC Conference Hispanic Ministry Team to support an increasing number of congregations who are developing ministry to Hispanics.

**HYDE COUNTY COOPERATIVE PARISH
(#S-00104)**

Provides meals to the needy, recreation and other opportunities for youth, food pantry and

clothes closet, transportation for elderly and those needing medical care, ministry to inmates at the Hyde Correctional Facility, drug prevention awareness, assistance to abused persons and Hispanic ministry. Phone: (252) 926-0104

ISA GRANT SCHOLARSHIP (#S-00033)

The ISA Grant Scholarship Fund is designed to assist persons for whom the expense of participating in a mission team is prohibitive. Priority is given to youth 21 years of age and younger and will not exceed \$250. As ISA Grant Funds are limited, scholarship recipients are encouraged to assist in the replenishment of the fund. Contact—Bill Gross Email: bgross@windstream.net

JERUSALEM ARC (#S-00196)

Leadership development and Christian Education for Palestinian Christian youth and young adults in Palestine and Jerusalem. Contact—The Rev. Harold Salmon Email: revfish@nccumc.org

MISSION TO HAITI (#S-00122)

Many communities in Haiti do not have schools. This project is to assist in building schools and supplement teachers' salaries when possible.

NC COUNCIL OF CHURCHES (#S-00051)

Gives witness to the unity that God has given through Christ to the churches in NC. It is an instrument for cooperative study and action, especially on matters of justice; child and family advocacy; violence against women; public policy advocacy; rural crisis and farm workers advocacy; disaster relief; criminal justice; workplace safety; peace-making; AIDS ministry; and Christian unity. Web: www.nccouncilofchurches.org/

**NC STORMS EMERGENCY
RESPONSE (#S-00176)**

Disaster response financing for storm-related emergencies. These funds are used to address disaster response needs and for direct support to affected families and costs in delivering assistance. Contact—Steve Taylor Phone: 800-849-4433, ext. 257 Email: staylor@nccumc.org

NC INTERFAITH DISASTER RESPONSE (#S-00108)

The North Carolina Interfaith Disaster Response (NCIDR) assists their efforts before, during and after a disaster occurs. Emphasis is on long term relief, and supporting the administration of all interfaith organizations working with disaster relief and recovery. Phone: 919-510-9193 Web: www.ncidr.org/index.html

NO HUNGRY NEIGHBORS (#S-00123)

A ministry of increasing awareness, and eliminating hunger in North Carolina by raising funds for our regional food banks and the Society of St. Andrew, and engaging in hands-on ways to alleviate hunger in our community. Phone: 1-800-849-4433 ext 257. Web: <http://nccumc.org/outreach>

PASSION IN PARTNERSHIP (#S-00249)

Passion in Partnership, a movement, was formed to infuse life-giving practices into the Body of Christ as represented by relationships between laity, clergy and the community in which they live. Its focus is to build co-creative partnerships based on biblical principles, living in ways defined by Christ. The Passion in Partnership Coaching Certification Program has been developed to prepare Pastoral and Congregational Coaches to serve God in a manner which leads both coach and client into a process of discovery and co-creation. Email: coach@passioninpartnership.net Web: <http://passioninpartnership.net/>

PEACE AND JUSTICE CLINIC (#S-00198)

The Peace and Justice Clinic, Justice For Our Neighbors immigration legal clinic, is a joint ministry of the NC & the WNC Conferences. The monthly clinics provide free legal counsel to immigrants in a home-like hospitable atmosphere of caring and welcome. Web: <http://peaceandjusticeclinic.org/> Email: peaceandjusticeclinic@gmail.com

THE PEACE (#S-00183)

This ministry develops programs focusing on marriage, family, children and parenting/teaching issues within churches and schools in workshop, seminar, conference and/or retreat

settings. For Christians, marriage, family, and parenting can be approached as important spiritual disciplines contributing to the healthy spiritual formation and character development of couples, families, children, youth and parents/teachers. Contact—Mike Hale. Phone: 910-425-3790 Email: mhale@nccumc.org Web: <http://thepeaceinc.org>

PRISON MATCH—Mothers And Their Children (#S-00054)

An interfaith program provides mothers and their children with the support and resources necessary to maintain and strengthen family relationships and to help break the cycle of children following their parents to prison. Phone: 919-828-4767 Email: director@prisonmatch.org Web: www.prisonmatch.org

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT NATIVE AMERICAN COOPERATIVE MINISTRIES - "EVERY MEMBER IN MINISTRY" (#S-00143)

Provides ministry support, collaboration among 13 Native American UM churches, leadership development, gifts exploration and missional opportunities. Contact—Gary Locklear. Phone: 910-522-0670 Email: glocklear1@intrstar.net Web: www.nativeamericanministries.org/cooperative_ministry/

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT PARTNERS IN MINISTRY (#S-00193)

Partners with local church congregations and communities to help alleviate poverty in the Rockingham District through hands-on outreach ministry with the poor and marginalized. Contact—Dr. Melba McCallum. Email: mdgmc-callum@yahoo.com Phone: 910-206-2686 Web: www.rdpim.org

RYAN EPPS HOME FOR CHILDREN (#S-00245)

Located in Haiti, the home provides food, clothing, and shelter for needy children and offers educational and spiritual growth opportunities. A school will serve 180 children from the surrounding community and the church will have a capacity of 170 people. Contact—Phone: 919-553-4572 Email: questions@ryanepphome.com Web: www.ryanepphome.com

**SOCIETY OF ST. ANDREW, NC OFFICE,
Durham (#S-00081 NC Advance)
(#801600 National Advance)**

This is an ecumenical ministry dedicated to providing hunger-relief across NC through gleaning (salvaging surplus produce from farms and packing houses). Also raises awareness of the problem of hunger and how people can be part of the solution. Through the Seed Potato Project, Potato & Product and the NC office, 8-10 million of pounds of produce is saved and distributed in NC each year. Phone: 1-866-453-2662 Email: ncglean@endhunger.org Web: www.endhunger.org/north_carolina.htm

STOP HUNGER NOW (#S-00101)

SHN is an international hunger relief organization that coordinates the distribution of food and other life-saving aid around the world. The organization is driven by a vision to end world hunger and a mission to provide food and life-saving aid to the world's most destitute and hungry in the most sustainable, efficient and effective manner. Contact—Phone: 1-888-501-8440 Email: info@stophungernow.org Web: www.stophungernow.org

**UNITED METHODIST MEN MINISTRY
CENTER (#S-00136)**

The UMM Ministry Center is a volunteer-driven ministry whose focus is providing mission and ministry resources and opportunities to the NC Conference and beyond. Through their affiliation with UMCOR and other relief agencies, the Ministry Center serves as a natural disaster relief hub to provide aid to the survivors of social, economic and spiritual disaster.

**UNITED METHODIST VOLUNTEERS IN
MISSION WORK TEAMS (#S-00021)**

Provides assistance for Volunteers in Mission work teams from within the NC Conference. Contact—Bill Gross Phone: 919-498-1660 Email: bgross@windstream.net Web: <http://www.nccumvim.org>

WESLEY HERITAGE PROJECT (#S-00097)

Gifts help distribute Obras de Wesley, the works of John and Charles Wesley in Spanish.

Contact—Mark W. Wethington Phone: (910) 295-7720 Email: wethmw@mindspring.com

**YOKEFELLOW PRISON
MINISTRIES (#S-00078)**

Educates people concerning Christian responsibility for persons affected by crime and brings Christians into direct service ministries with prison inmates and their families. Phone: (336) 724-9801 Web: www.yokefellowprisonministry.org

YOUTH SERVICE FUND (#S-00082)

Supports mission projects within the annual conference and beyond which have been selected by youth of the NC Conference. Contact—Robin Harry Email: rharry@nccumc.org Web: <http://nccumc.org/youth/>

**UNITED METHODIST INSTITUTIONAL
PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS**

United Methodist Camps:

- Chestnut Ridge #S-00062
- Don Lee #S-00063
- Kerr Lake #S-00064
- Rockfish #S-00065

**Wesley Foundation for The UMC
Campus Ministry Association**

- Duke University #S-00073
- ECU, Greenville #S-00074
- NC State University. #S-00075
- UNC – Pembroke #S-00076
- UNC – Chapel Hill. #S-00077

General Scholarship Funds

- Duke Divinity School. #S-00026
- Louisburg College #S-00027
- Methodist University. #S-00028
- NC Wesleyan College #S-00029

Benevolent Funds

- Methodist Home for Children #S-03500
- Methodist Retirement Homes. . . . #S-03600

General Support

- Asbury Homes. #S-03501

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