

REPORT ON CONGREGATIONAL GOALS

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Charge/Church Name: Wesley United Methodist Church District: Alexandria

"The mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ. Local Churches provide the most significant arena through which disciple-making occurs." The *Discipline*, Paragraph 120

"We envision churches where all God's people are welcomed at table, nurtured, and transformed to be Christ to others in the World." -- *Virginia Conference Vision Statement*

1. Members received by Profession of Faith: (Please fill in all the past years indicated)
2003 0 2004 8 2005 4 2006 14 2007 1 2008 4
2. How will you make disciples by welcoming new people to Christ through the church? (List goals related to the areas of hospitality and evangelism.)

Making worship the best hour of the week – establishing measurable goals to ensure success

Successfully implement our new Church administrative structure to put a focus on ministry, and to improve communication among the leaders and members of the church

Establish "follow-up" mechanism to ensure we will "do what we say we are going to do"

3. How will you make disciples by nurturing persons in their faith? (List goals related to the areas of education, worship, Christian formation, membership care, small groups, and stewardship.)

Building enviable youth program

Celebrating 5th Sundays by offering alternative service formats and inviting surrounding community to worship and pre/post worship special events

4. How will transformed disciples be Christ to others in the world? (List goals related to the local and larger community ministries of compassion, justice and advocacy.)

Wesley continues its strong community program by participating in the VIC Hypothermia Project, Crop Walk, MK Choir Festival, Walk for the Homeless, Fannie Mae, Healthy Families, Heifer Project, ROCK Kitchen, Kits for Conference, Serving on the Rising Hope Board,

opening our doors for Wesley Pre-School, AA meetings, the Harmonica Club and our Vacation Bible school, and outstanding scouts program.