



October 2020 Membership Committee Report

The committee met via video conference on September 8, 2020. Members present were: Natalie Hooper, Serena Ashley, Barbara Thoms, Jocelyne McAdory, and Rhonda Thomas

Core Value Presentation: Friendship

Membership Intake Update

- Once again, welcome to our newest members! Your certificates and all new member materials will be mailed to you after this cycle, which ends October 31, 2020.
- We presented to the Executive Committee our recommendation that we do not have Membership Intake in the Spring of 2021. Given the fabulous new members we just welcomed, plus the additional responsibilities of the Western Area Conference, we do not have the immediate need nor bandwidth to conduct that process at this time.

November 2020 Update:

- As you know, November is Friendship month, as well as the anniversary of our Founding.
- Western Area Virtual Founders Day Celebration will be Sunday, November 8, 2020
 - Donor Sabbath Worship 9am
 - Approved Ceremony 10am
 - Area Community Service 11am
 - We will partner with Maranatha Church to sponsor at least 1 family in transitional housing, as part of the broader Western Area service project. Many thanks to Link Linda for coordinating this effort! The deadline to create the video and share the supplies is 10/17/20.
- The Membership Committee is planning a virtual friendship celebration. Details to follow.

Member Updates

- We strongly encourage chapter members to update your entire membership profile in the Membership Management System (MMS), particularly during this time of COVID-19, to receive all correspondence from the Western Area and National headquarters

Our Membership committee meets on the second Tuesday of every month, at 6pm via video conference/conference call. *Please remember to log your hours in Track It Forward!*

Respectfully Submitted,
Link Natalie