

Foundry United Methodist Church Ministry Team Application

Directions: Please complete the following form (Parts I-IV) by December 1 to indicate that your group would like to continue its work in 2009. Completed forms can be dropped off at the church's front office or emailed to Rebecca Stewart at rstewart.fumc@gmail.com. Please contact Elder Wellborn at 202.362.6609 or Rebecca Stewart at 910.639.1524 if you have any questions. Thank you for your willingness to continue your ministry and to provide this information.

PART I: Basic Information

Ministry Team Name: _____

Ministry Team Contact Person:

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Preferred method of contact: _____

Number (approximate) of members/constituents involved in the ministry team: _____

What is the purpose of this ministry team? Please describe in 3-5 sentences.

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PART II: Ministry rooted in Foundry's Statement of Call

Foundry's Statement of Call

The statement of call states concisely what Foundry is—and is striving to be. It encapsulates what individual Foundry members expressed consistently during three years of contemplation and discussion. Each aspect of the call is grounded in the ideas, convictions, and words of Foundry members.

We at Foundry are called by God to

**deepen faith through transcendent worship and challenging study,
create engaged community through inclusion and caring, and
transform the world through active service and prophetic leadership.**

How are parts of Foundry's statement of call enacted by this ministry team?	
To deepen faith through transcendent worship and challenging study,	
To create engaged community through inclusion and caring,	
To transform the world through active service and prophetic leadership.	

PART III: Ministry connected to Foundry's Church-wide Goals

Foundry's Church-wide Focus Areas

For 2009 Foundry has five church-wide focuses that emerged from the last three-year planning process: (1) spiritual formation and discernment, (2) connection of spirituality and social justice, (3) deepening connections among disciples, (4) nurturing and sustaining children and youth, and (5) active engagement with our immediate neighborhood.

Please list and describe ways in which ministry team will support these focuses in 2009. <i>*Although not all ministry teams will support the focuses to the same degree, please identify all the ways in which your team supports a focus area.</i>	
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(2) connection of spirituality and social justice,	
(3) deepening connections among disciples,	
(4) nurturing and sustaining children and youth,	
(5) active engagement with our immediate neighborhood.	

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PART IV: Ministry Team Activities

What activities will this ministry team likely engage in during 2009?

Additional comments:

Date of submission: _____

Please submit this form to Foundry's front office or via email to Rebecca Stewart at rstewart.fumc@gmail.com by December 1, 2008. Thank you!

Next Steps: After we have collected all the forms, the Transition Team will contact you to introduce you to the Council with which you will be affiliated beginning in January 2009. The Transition Team will provide each Council with information about its ministry teams compiled from these forms. Questions? Please contact Rebecca Stewart at 910.639.1524.