



# Join the Birthday Celebration 150 Years and Counting Saturday, March 23, 2019



Boston University, Boston, MA  
8:30 am to 4:00 pm

**Hosted by:** New England Conference United Methodist Women,  
Commission on Archives & History, Boston University School of Theology

**Guest Speakers:** Harriett Olson (UMW CEO), Pat Thompson (NEC Historian),  
Dana Robert (BUSTH), and Bishop Sudarshana Devadhar (NEC)

**Celebrate:** fun, fellowship, worship, remember our history, share our  
stories, and hear about our future

**Highlights:** See stained glass windows from the Tremont St. Methodist  
Episcopal Church (our birthplace). Learn more about our founders and  
first missionaries. See exhibits of our founding and history in Boston.

**What you need to know: Outside walking will be required between  
venues (approximately 1/4 mile). Access to buildings requires  
some steps or outside entry ramps.**

**Space is limited. Reservations are required (no walk-ins allowed):** Reservations will be honored  
on a "first received" basis by envelope cancellation and must be mailed prior to Friday,  
**February 1st.** To make reservations, mail this form with a **nonrefundable fee of \$100.00** per  
person to: Marcia Hoyt, 8 Bacon Street, Natick, MA 01760.  
Make checks payable to **NECUMW**

All reservations will be confirmed via email or phone.

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## 150th Birthday Registration Form (all information required – use separate forms or a list)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (City, State, Zip) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Special/allergy Food Issues: \_\_\_\_\_

Childcare needed? Name/Ages of children \_\_\_\_\_

(Childcare will NOT be available unless registered)

See the back of this sheet for further information

## **Additional Important Information**

(More detailed information will be sent to registered attendees)

### **Registration deadline is February 1st**

**Meals:** Saturday - Breakfast (Continental) and Lunch are provided and included in registration fee. All other meals are on your own. This is a great opportunity to enjoy Boston restaurants.

**Offering:** There will be an offering taken for the Legacy Fund during the event. Checks should be made payable to "**United Methodist Women**." Please write "**The Legacy Fund**" in the memo section of your check.

**Lodging** (including hotel parking): On your own. There are no hotels on campus, but a few are nearby. Many hotels in the Boston area are near the MBTA system (see Transportation below) and taxi service is usually available. For the hotels closest to BU, check out [www.Bostonusa.com](http://www.Bostonusa.com) or 888-733-2678 for hotels in the Fenway Park area.

**Transportation to BU venues:** On your own.

We will be using venues near Boston University School of Theology (BUSTH) at 745 Commonwealth Avenue at the intersection with St. Mary's Street. The venues are located on the Boston MBTA (Green Line/BC) System (\$1.75 each way) – note that the stop near the venues is above ground with no protection from weather.

**Parking (indoor) is available near the venue.** Cost will be approximately \$17 for the day. More information will be provided with registration confirmation.

**You are invited to wear period costume, if desired.**

**Stay longer and go sightseeing:** Check out [www.Bostonusa.com](http://www.Bostonusa.com) or 888-733-2678 for nearby destinations and opening information.

**For further information contact Leeda Marsh at 978-840-0158 or [LeedaM@aol.com](mailto:LeedaM@aol.com).**