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What specific activities would nurture such a community of women at WUMC? What are some of the needs of the world nearby and on the other side of the globe that UMW might meet? How can UMW challenge, educate, train women to meet these needs? What purpose would cause women to give up time, money, energy to come together?

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