Monmouth Center for World Religions and Ethical Thought
(MCWRET)

Annual Report April 17, 2012

The Board of twenty-two (22) members representing sixteen (16) traditions continues sharing individual stories ever deepening and expanding our understanding and acceptance of religious and cultural diversity.

During this year we continued:
- Adding “projects” and additional information to the website www.interfaith-mcwret.org
- Fostering inter-group collaboration with other like-minded organizations
- Co-sponsoring the Coalition for Peace Action’s conference
- Participating in different celebrations such as the Jain Diwali festival
- Planning and providing public programs

The Programs from September 2011 to May 2012 included:
- MCWRET Table at the Red Bank Street Fair, Sunday, September 9, 2011
- The 12th Shanti (Peace) Lecture, Meditation, Speaker Dr. Swaminathan, Saturday, October 1, 2011
- United We Sing, Sunday, November 20, 2011
- Black History Month Read-In at the Quinn Chapel AME, Atlantic Highlands, Sunday, February 5, 2012
- Duality and Non-Duality, Professor S. K. Bhavani, Saturday, February 18, 2012
- Caravanserai, Pakistani Arts Workshop, Friday, March 30, 2012
- Annual Meeting and Clara Gee Stamaty Ziment’s “Multimedia Spiritual Journey to Who Am I?” Tuesday, April 17, 2012
- “O Little Town of Bethlehem” Film showing sponsored with the UUCMC Social Action Committee and the Monmouth University Dialogue Project, Sunday, May 20, 2012

Each program was well attended and the diversity of the programs enjoyed and appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Co-coordinators  Rev. Elizabeth B. Congdon      Dr. Stevi Lischin