### **CONGREGATIONAL LIFE**

Art Resources Team (ART): Organizes rotating exhibits, integrates art into our building, and acquires individual works over time following established guidelines. – ART@uufco.org

Care Committee: Strengthens connections within the Fellowship by serving UUFCO members and friends in need of short term support with activities such as meals, transportation, and resource information.

- CareCommittee@uufco.org

**Communications**: Promotes the presence of UUFCO in Central Oregon.
Supports communication tools such as ACE (All Congregation Email), monthly newsletter, website, kiosk, brochures.

- Communications@uufco.org

**Good Times**: Includes social events such as Circle Suppers, book clubs, canoeing/kayaking/skiing/hiking, family events, picnics.

- GoodTimes@uufco.org

Healthy Congregations Team: Promotes open, respectful, and productive communication in the spirit of our UUFCO Mission and Relational Covenant.

- HealthyCongregations@uufco.org

**Library & Archives**: Organizes and operates the UUFCO collection of books as a lending library. – Library@uufco.org

**Membership**: Contacts visitors, helps conduct membership orientation classes, co-leads New Member Ceremonies.

- Membership@uufco.org

**Music & Choir**: Enriches our worship experience with the musical gifts of our volunteer choir and instrumentalists.

- Music@uufco.org

Special Events and Programs: Plans and organizes special events, having fun and building community in the process. Sign-ups are by individual events: annual service auction, talent show, back to church potluck, as well as one-time and monthly programs.

- LifeFacilitator@uufco.org

**Sunday Volunteers**: Includes all members and friends taking turns doing everything that makes our Sundays so welcoming—greeters, welcome table, ushers, hospitality (coffee, occasional treats), cleanup. An easy and fun place for anyone to jump in.

- SundayVolunteers@uufco.org

**Worship**: Works with the minister to provide coordination for Sunday services.

- Worship@uufco.org

For additional information, check out the the kiosk in the Gathering Hall or the "Get Involved" section of our website

www.uufco.org

### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**Board of Trustees**: Represents and acts for the congregation in setting policy and conducting church business. – Board@uufco.org

**Leadership Development**: Identifies, trains and supports the leadership of UUFCO and helps people find meaningful ways to serve.

- Leadership Development@uufco.org

**Personnel**: Assists the Board with setting and managing staff salaries, benefits, and relations.

- Personnel@uufco.org

**Safety & Security:** Works to ensure the safety of our congregation and security of our building.

Security@uufco.org

### **FINANCE CLUSTER**

Chalice Lighters: Helps fulfill dreams of Pacific Northwest District UU congregations by encouraging small donations quarterly.

- ChaliceLighters@uufco.org

**Endowment:** Encourages gifts and legacies, manages funds responsibly to ensure a healthy financial future.

- Endowment@uufco.org

**Finance:** Leads and guides our budget, spending and approval processes, and annual audits. – Finance@uufco.org

**Stewardship**: Educates the congregation about the meaning and importance of Stewardship and conducts Annual Pledge Campaign.

### **FACILITIES CLUSTER**

Facilities@uufco.org

**Aesthetics**: Maintains the integrity of design and the vision for our building and surroundings in collaboration with others. – Aesthetics@uufco.org

**Facilities Systems**: Operates the mechanical systems such as HVAC, plumbing, etc. – Systems@uufco.org

**IT/AV:** Manages our computer system and network. Operates our audio and projection systems. – IT@uufco.org

Land & Site: Takes care of everything outside our building—planting, weeding, snow removal. Organizes work parties.

– Land@uufco.org

**Sustainability**: Maintains energy records and leads environmental efforts to ensure that our building is as sustainable as possible.

- Sustainability@uufco.org

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Social Justice continued

community by selecting nonprofit organizations to receive our monthly offering based on our UU principles.

SocialJustice@uufco.org

Jericho Table Dinners: Purchases, prepares and serves monthly meals at Jericho Table, serving those in need in Redmond.

- Jericho Dinners@uufco.org

**Neighbor Love:** An interfaith cohort of churches that studies immigration issues and develops specific plans to assist and befriend the immigrant population of Deschutes County.

- Minister@uufco.org

Project GRACE (Giving Respect and Choosing Equality): Focuses on issues of escalating inequality and expanding opportunities for high quality early learning. – GRACE@uufco.org

### Wildcat Wizards Tutoring Program:

Works with teacher-referred elementary age students weekly throughout the year. Training provided.

- Tutoring@uufco.org

### **RELIGIOUS EXPLORATION**

Children & Youth: Provides our children and youth with a foundation in Unitarian Universalist principles and purposes. Provides childcare for infants and toddlers. – DRE@uufco.org

### Adult RE & Spiritual Growth:

Encourages spiritual growth and promotes a free and responsible search for truth and meaning through a variety of groups, classes and activities grounded in Unitarian Universalist principles and traditions. Offered throughout the year, programs include Soul Matters, meditation, yoga, UU curricula, book clubs, and more.

AdultRE@uufco.org

### **SOCIAL JUSTICE**

**Advisory Team**: Guides and supports the UUFCO Social Justice Program, authorizing, empowering, affirming and promoting issue teams who work independently on Social Justice issues.

- SocialJustice@uufco.org

**Bethlehem Inn Dinners**: Prepares and serves a monthly meal at Central Oregon's largest homeless shelter.

- BethlehemDinners@uufco.org

**Greater Community Collections**: Helps our fellowship reach out to others and learn more about the needs in our



## We affirm and promote

- 1. The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- 2. Justice, equity, and compassion in human relations;
- 3. Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- 4. A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- 5. The right of conscience and the use of democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- 6. The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- 7. Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

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## Opportunities for Getting Involved

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Central Oregon offers members and friends a wealth of opportunities to grow spiritually, put our faith into action, serve our community, and have fun together. It is in learning, working, and playing together that we savor the many fruits of belonging to a vibrant religious community. This guide lays out some of the many ways in which you and your family can get involved. See what calls to you. Find ways to serve as well as to receive, fulfilling the circle of community. Come be a part of what we are creating together!



Seeking meaning, celebrating life, and serving the spirit of love and justice in our world.