

Unitarian Universalist Church of the Restoration Voter Registration/Engagement Options

Many of us at UUCR are feeling called by our conscience and our faith to help as many voters in Philly and Pennsylvania register to vote and actually vote, to make sure their voices are heard at this critical time in our history (fall 2020). The Justice Council has compiled some options for doing this work that are nonpartisan but fueled by progressive values. We have tried to include many different ways that you can get involved, to appeal to as many individual styles and preferences as possible.

Phone banks (via Zoom, using your computer and phone at home, with training at the beginning):

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 6:00-8:30pm, from now until Nov. 3. These are organized by POWER, the local partner for UUtheVote and UUJusticePA (formerly UUPLAN), targeting people in Philly who have not voted regularly. To register, go to <https://powerinterfaith.org/calendar/>

Sundays, 4-7pm, 10/4, 10/18, & 11/1. Organized by Mishkan Shalom & St. Vincent's, who are NW Philly members of POWER. To register, go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0a4eaaa823abfb6-power>

***Sunday, October 24, 1-4pm.** Philly UU phonebank, in conjunction with POWER. To register, go to <https://secure.everyaction.com/WHwB1iBu6EGBqenPYeOJ5A2>

Texting

***Saturday, October 3, 10am-12.** Philly UU *OutVote* session. Registration is not open yet. Look for it at <https://www.uuplan.org/uu-the-vote-pa/> (look below the map, using later pages at the bottom if needed)

Post Cards

League of Women Voters Post Card Campaign. Send 20 personalized postcards to people who are unregistered or moved recently (you supply postage). For information, go to https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1btPUCndSzHOel11Ubi4nLpO1_DpP8LgwFiZHyh1KPc/viewform?edit_requested=true

[We may also do a postcard project with our RE kids & Sandy's apartment complex watch the newsletter!]

In Person

Map the Vote. A website that shows you a map of likely unregistered voters in your neighborhood. It gives instructions on how you can help them get registered using a smartphone or computer (or you could give or send them a registration form). For more information, go to <https://mapthe.vote/>

In-Person Voter Registration Tabling. In cooperation with Northwest Village Network, at supermarkets and other locations. To schedule, contact Taddy Dawson, td2@comcast.net, 215-836-5353.

Other

Wednesdays 6-7pm, 9/30, 10/7, & 10/14: Philly Voting Champion Training. Obtain the knowledge to educate your community about voting and respond to the most common voting questions and concerns. To register, go to <https://www.mobilize.us/fairvote Philly/event/315055/>. Organized by Maurice Sampson's Philly Voter Engagement Network, in cooperation with Black Voters Matter Fund Philly, Philly Youth Vote, and Fair Vote Philly.

Record-keeping: As you do these kind of actions, please record the details on the following spreadsheet: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1oPrwklqULJUUSqprBUsQ5-JA6xBrCVIT0icZJIHLZPE/edit?usp=sharing>