



Our Mission

We are a congregation creating a better world by nurturing and expanding the mind.

*Religious Education, Adult Religious Education
Anti-Racism & Creative Writing Classes,
Exercise, Meditation, Small Groups*

We provide a safe, caring environment where all can freely explore diverse religious thought.

*Religious Education, Adult Religious Education,
Soul Matters, Small Groups*

We work for justice and equality with the power of compassion and compassionate power.

*Tuesday Lunch, Social Justice Team,
Community Needs*

Testimonials

This is an invitation to consider your on-going gratitude for this church, the support and opportunities it provides for personal growth, caring and understanding, and the people and mechanics that keep it going.

I recently mused to myself, "You, Andi, have been looking for ways to help, throughout this time of crisis. What better place to start than by contributing more to this church, which offers opportunities to reach out to those with greater needs than your own? What better way to feed your own mind and soul, in predictable and unpredictable ways? And where else would you find this inspiration and support here in Traverse City?"

Andi Kramer

My fellow congregants, as you may remember my wife, Pinkie, passed away in Sept 2018 after a 4 month battle with brain cancer. During those months members of this Congregation reached out to provide my family and myself with unconditional care and support. You sent food, notes, letters, calling with words of comfort. Some were able to come and visit with Pinkie and our family (6 children, 13 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren). It was quite wonderful. I still get compliments from my friends about the Memorial Service. I'm not as visible with the Congregation as before, but I do serve on a couple of committees, and my heart is always there. I hope you will join me in our 2021 Stewardship campaign and provide as much financial support as you can to keep this Congregation "active and viable". Thank you.

John Hoffmann

*Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Traverse City
2021 - 2022 Pledge Drive*

New Beginnings

Nuturing the Heart and Expanding the Mind

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Did you know that our beloved congregation is 56 years old?

Our founders wanted a fellowship with like-minded people; a place to educate their children in the Unitarian Universalist principles, and a safe place to find support and comfort. When the fellowship grew enough, our members voted to become a congregation, our beloved congregation. Stewardship is the growing, nurturing, promoting, and building of the gifts we offer to the congregation and the community - our talent, our time, and our treasure. Stewardship is what is needed to support our mission.

Your Stewardship Team

Rick Walter
John Hoffmann
Alison Kadlec
Jon Luoma

Mary Anne Rivers
Karl Keinath
Rev. Cathy Harrington

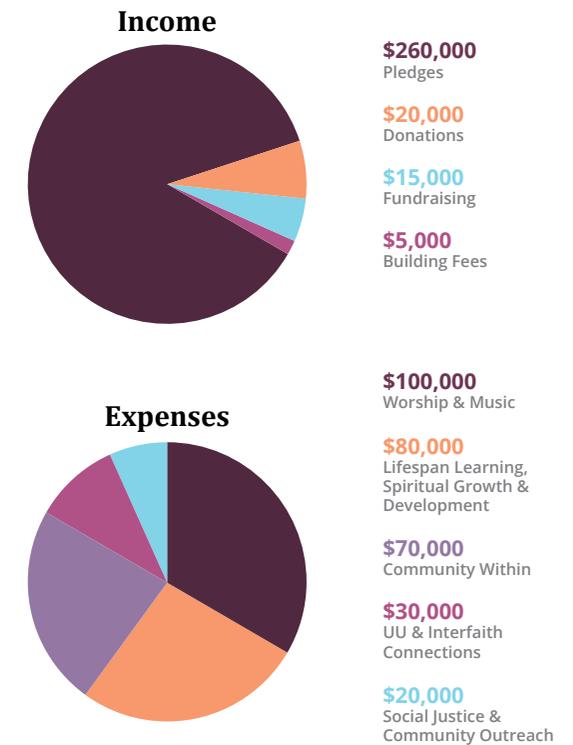
We need your support to fulfill our mission

Help us nurture hearts and minds, foster a caring community, and work for greater justice, fairness, and compassion.

With your pledge we can:

- 1 Support our Ministry, Sunday Services and Congregational Care to expanded community and denominational outreach.
- 2 Enhance and Expand our multifaceted music program by supporting the efforts of our wonderful music director.
- 3 Increase our Religious Education program for youth and adults.
- 4 Offer the peerless Our Whole Lives (OWL) program, a one-of-a-kind comprehensive lifespan sexuality program in our community.
- 5 Expand the Anti-Racism program for youths and adults.
- 6 Support our collaborations with Safe Harbor, and continue our Tuesday Lunch for those in need.

2021 - 2022 Budget



Fair Share Guide

The Fair Share Guide is just a rough guide from UUA. Whatever the level of Fair Share you choose, be certain it is one that fits your budget and provides for joyful giving.

Using \$50,000 income per year:

Supporter 3%
\$125 per month
\$1,500 annually

Sustainer 4%
\$167 per month
\$2,000 annually

Visionary 5%
\$208 per month
\$2,500 annually

Transformer 10%
\$417 per month
\$5,000 annually