

The Edmonton Unitarian: March 2019, Vol 60.3



March Theme: “What does it mean to be people of the Journey?”

March 3

“Taking the First Step”

Chorealis

A journey of a thousand miles may begin with a single step, but what makes us take that first step and what keeps us going on the journey?

March 10

“Sharing Our Faith Sunday”

UCE Youth and Rev. Kiely

Sharing Our Faith is a chance to celebrate and mark our national connections with the Canadian Unitarian Council. We have a wonderful community, but we also exist as a nationwide network of fellow religious liberals. We will take a special offering this day for the Sharing Our Faith fund; a granting body that we hope will assist us in financing some upcoming projects. The Youth Group will lead the service. Don't forget to change your clock – we spring forward!

March 17

“Journey to This Land”

Rev. Brian J. Kiely

On a day when Irish descendants celebrate their roots, I want to think a bit what it means to risk all and immigrate to Canada. It's a delicate subject these days since, as a society, we are contemplating the impact of colonizers. But today I want to consider the journeys more than the politics.

March 24

“On the Path”

Rev. Brian J. Kiely

On the Path is the name of a UU adult program that was popular a couple of decades ago. It encourages people to view their spirituality in terms of a Journey, one that may never end as long as we live.

March 31

“Evolving Nation”

Rev. Brian J. Kiely

I am something of a moderate and fascinated by history. Many more passionate folks than I are concerned that our nation and culture is not changing fast enough regarding any number of concerns. Me? I marvel at how we have gotten to where we are.

MINISTERIAL MUSINGS



Belonging.

When I was a young minister, I was schooled by older colleagues about belonging to the community of ministry. They were direct and to the point: “If there is a collegial gathering, GO! Ordination, installation, chapter meeting? Those are the first things you put in your calendar.”

It was an interesting idea. There was no question of whether or not we belonged, or should attend, or had the luxury of waiting for a personal invitation. Rather, it was an implied obligation. Because I had joined that community, I was expected to participate. Period, full stop.

We Unitarians who meet in congregations are a lot more lax than that. No one insists that people must come to church every Sunday (nor would I like to see that change). No one orders us to volunteer for a committee or task. And while we ask people to pledge for the coming year in our annual Canvass, no one shows up at your door demanding payment. Ours is a free religion, so it goes against our nature to demand much of anything from our members.

Except we ask those who choose to join our congregation to think about what it means for them to belong.

To me, it means showing up. I had that drummed into me. And I found that the more I showed up, the stronger my connection to colleagues became. If you want to be part of this community, then step up and be part of it.

Belonging means choosing to actively work on your faith, your spiritual direction, your ethical values. Belonging means committing to keep growing in yourself.

Belonging also means participating in the community. If we don't choose to step inside, once we feel safe, then we may not ever develop a real sense of belonging to a community. It can be a big step. It can feel risky. But with risk can come some reward.

Decide if you want to belong. It's really even more important than formally joining.

Come to service when you can, come to social events, help out, step into leadership roles you think might suit your talents and abilities. You don't need to wait to be asked. Right now our Leadership Team is recruiting some people to serve on a few key committees. Find out about them. Would you fit? Would that kind of volunteerism suit you? If not, is there something else that would seem right? One of the best ways to become more a part of the community is to share tasks with others. They can be small or large, it doesn't matter. When you say, “I can do that!” then you are stepping more into the circle. It's the best way to get to know them and to build ties. Not everyone can volunteer at this time in their lives, but most people can help out a little now and then. It's a step towards belonging.

Maybe I was lucky. I was pretty much ordered to act like I belonged to the community of ministers. In my case, ‘acting like it’ made it real. I have never regretted my decision to step into the circle and claim my belonging.

See you in church!

Brian



The theme for March and for this year's canvass is The Journey. We are all on different journeys through this world. For some of us the journey is sometimes difficult, for others the journey is a joy, but for all of us the journey is better if we travel in community. Our church is part of your community, and all of us in that church are juggling our own journeys while we jointly participate in the journey of the church.

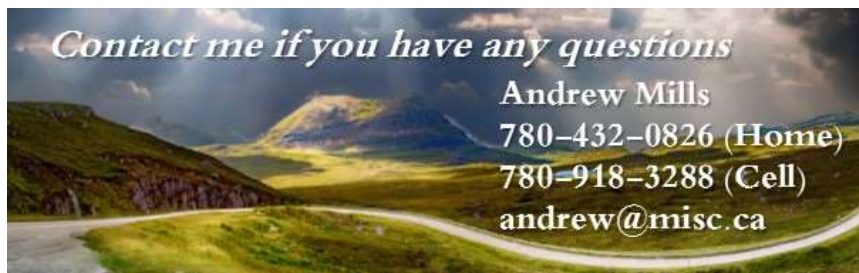
March is canvass month at UCE. By the end of March we need to hear from all of our members (and contributing friends) about your giving intentions for the next church year. We need an estimate of your donations so that we can prepare a budget that will be presented to you at the Annual General Meeting in April. Please let us know your intentions by Sunday 31 March. Part of your membership in the church is to let the church know how it will be supported.

Last year 134 families donated \$153,504 through their pledges to the UCE. If you would like to see more about last year's donations I have completed a summary on the [canvass web site](#). How much you donate is up to you and your own journey but please let us know by the end of March.

The easiest way to communicate your financial intentions is to complete a pledge form. There is a pledge form at the end of this newsletter, in the orders of service for March, in the church lobby on the canvass display, and online at www.uce.ca/canvass/. You can also send me an email at andrew@misc.ca , or just talk to me or Ruth Merriott in church.

Thank you all for your ongoing support of UCE. I look forward to seeing your generous support for the journey of our church.

Andrew Mills



Leadership Committee Seeks Committed and Engaged Candidates!

Our UU Principles call us to affirm and promote the right of conscience and the use of democratic process within our congregations and in society at large. Each year our Annual General Meeting (AGM) provides us with the opportunity to act on that principle as the congregation elects candidates for the Board, the Ministerial Relations Committee and the Leadership Committee (formerly known as the Nominating Committee). Our Bylaws require all candidates to be members of the Congregation.

The Board of Trustees is responsible for managing the property of the Church, the conduct and administration of its business and general supervisions of the programs and activities of the Church. Each year, we elect a President and a Vice-President to serve a one year term each, and two Trustees to serve a two-year term each. We also elect a Secretary or a Treasurer in alternate years, and each of these officers serves a two-year term. A member of the Board may serve a variety of positions but only for six consecutive years.

The Ministerial Relations Committee acts as liaison between the Minister and the congregation and provides insight to the Minister regarding the life of the Church and how it is functioning. This committee consists of four members elected by the congregation, and a fifth member named by the Minister. Two members of this committee are elected at each AGM to serve a two-year term.

The Leadership Committee is responsible for presenting to each AGM a list of eligible candidates willing to stand for election to vacancies on the Board of Trustees, the Ministerial Relations Committee and the Leadership Committee. In 2017, bylaw changes added facilitating the training, election and succession of Church leaders to the duties of the committee. This committee consists of four members. Two members are elected at each AGM to serve a two-year term. We currently have a vacancy on the committee, and will be seeking a candidate to serve the remaining year of the vacant term.

At the 2018 AGM the Treasurer will be elected for a two-year term and we have already confirmed a candidate for that position. We also have one candidate for Trustee and one candidate for the Ministerial Relations Committee.

If you are interested in any of the positions, please contact one of the Leadership Committee members:

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Beth Jenkins
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780-267-2384 (mobile)

Calling All Committees and Working Groups



The Deadline for submitting the Annual General Meeting Reports will be Monday, April 9th. Please send your reports electronically in either a Word or PDF format (email to: chadmin@uce.ca). Reports will be posted to the UCE website as they are received and paper copies will be made available at the Church Office.

CHURCH EVENTS

RELIGION ON TAP



Religion on Tap is our monthly social/theological chat. It will be Tuesday, March 19th at 7 p.m. at Metro Billiards, 10250 106 Street at 7 p.m. These are informal gatherings where we socialize (anywhere from 3 to about 15 people) and have a religiously themed discussion that runs from 5 minutes to an hour depending on interest. Brian Kiely leads and all are welcome. Everyone (over 18) is welcome.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

March 2nd @ 5pm we will have a family fun night with potluck. All are welcome; we will have games (tabletop and active), crafts, and activities for all. Please let Will know if you plan to attend so that we know how many tables and chairs to set up.



KEELER HALL TEA WITH USC



Please join us after the March 3rd service. Dorothy is sponsoring a tea to welcome Martin Settle, Co Executive Director of USC Canada.

CHOREALIS CABARET

The immensely popular Cabaret night returns!
Saturday March 23, doors open at 7pm. Tickets \$15. Cash bar.



UCE CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

Save the date for Saturday May 11!
A bit later in the year so all the snow birds can join us too!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPDATES

Youth Gathering

March's Event is planned to be a meet up at the REC Room on March 30th at 5 pm.

Camping in Drumheller August with the Calgary Unitarians

The Calgary Unitarians have invited us and Westwood to join them in Drumheller on the weekend of Aug. 16th to 18th at the River Grove Campground for their Family Campout. They have a few events planned and lots of free time with chances to meet new peoples and get to know each other. For more information, you can reach Will Adair by email at ucekids@uce.ca or by phone at 780-454-5816.



YOUNG ADULT'S GATHERING: Let us know if you are interested!

This will be a time for our young adults to get together and have a safe place for community in the "bridging years". I see this group something like "Religion on Tap" but instead of getting together at a pub we would maybe have a potluck here with discussion and fun (board games, Cards, etc.) Anyone Interested or know anyone that maybe interested let us know. We will start as soon as we have some participants. You can reach me, Will Adair, by email at ucekids@uce.ca or by phone at 780-454-5816.

Volunteers Needed

Do you have a Sunday to two that you could spare? Volunteer to be second person in the Sunday Religious Exploration Classes. (The CUC safe practices states that there should always be two adults with any group of children or youth). Come make a difference!

Now using SignUp Genius check out the link below.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0c4da9ab2ca4f58-reclassroom1>

Another way to volunteer is to sign up to provide snacks for the classroom. Snacks can be simple things like carrot and celery sticks or assorted fruit and maybe some kind of no-sugar juice. Things to stay away are sugary or really processed food like cookies or chips. Also for allergy alert we ask for things with gluten, nuts, and dairy to be avoided or kept separately and labelled. If you would like to contribute but may not be able to bring a snack on one particular day you could give us a small cash donation and we can use it to up the stuff for snack. Please use the Signup Genius link to sign up for this as well.

NEWS FROM THE SOCIAL JUSTICE WORKING GROUP



The Social Justice Committee lost a valued member when Joanne Olafson passed away recently. Joanne was an enthusiastic and committed member of our group, and her contributions will be sorely missed.

In February we have been promoting No Woman Without, a project designed to ensure that women living in poverty have access to feminine hygiene products. This year, the donations collected will be donated to WIN House and Lurana Shelter. There is a box in the church lobby where you can drop off your donations to this worthy cause! Although this drive is only for the month of

February, the SJC would like to continue to collect tampons and pads throughout the year, and distribute them to the women who pick up their Food Bank hampers at UCE on Wednesdays.

On February 24th the SJC will have presented a service in honour of Black History Month. We hope that you enjoyed the service and you were able to join us for the Soup Sunday and Socializing.

Our participation in the [SMILE Sidewalk Parties](#) continues, and we are slowly getting to know our street friends so that we can better assist them. All are welcome to join us on the 3rd Sunday of each month. We also welcome donations of warm winter wear, blankets, prepared foods or grocery gift cards to help us make a difference to our homeless neighbours.

March 31 is Transgender Day of Visibility – a day when we recognize the accomplishments of the worldwide trans community as they strive to dismantle transphobia and cissexism. Please look for Social Justice initiatives during the month of March.

#TransPhobiasaSIN



LAST MONTH: BUILDING BIENVENUE HIGHLIGHTS



On January 25th Unitarians from UCE and Westwood gathered to support the French Language internet ministry of Rev. Fulgence Ndagijimana, a refugee from Burundi now living in Saskatoon. We enjoyed an all African menu and music by Martin Kerr, Chorealis and Harmonia. Fulgence spoke about how he connected to Unitarianism through the internet and how his new project is designed to increase the online resources in French. As well he ministers through live feed services and is creating a community of francophone Unitarians in North America, Europe and Africa. Over the weekend we raised between \$2500 and \$3000 for the cause. Thanks to all who participated.

UCE WALKING GROUP SCHEDULE

March 1	Hawrelak/Mayfair
March 8	Whitemud Park/Lunch TBA
March 15	Mill Creek/Mill Creek Café
March 22	Emily Murphy towards Campbell Bridge/Lunch TBA
March 29	Oliver neighbourhood/Arno's Café



Walkers carpool from church, leaving at 10:00 am, or meet at the walk site at 10:20 am. There are often changes to the schedule so if you are not on the email list please call Sheila, 780-454-7581 the day before to confirm the walk.

🌹 HEART TO HEART 🌹

- 🌹 We send our condolences to Bonnie Barsed, our former office administrator, on the death of her husband Fred, who died a few weeks ago.
- 🌹 Ruth Merriott lets us know that Ann Kyle, a member of the Unitarian Church of Calgary, died Dec. 31, 2018, at the age of 65. Ruth says Ann was generous, smart and kind.
- 🌹 Dan Sorochan, long-time UCE member and supporter died Jan. 26, 2019, at the age of 91. He had much to do with keeping the maintenance of the former UCE building on 110 Avenue and 125th street.
- 🌹 Ed Holmes is in care at the Edmonton General Hospital, Ward 8Y, room 10.
- 🌹 Jim Logan is now in palliative care at the Edmonton general Hospital
- 🌹 Andrew Mills informs us that his mother Isabelle Julia Mills will be transferred to palliative care in the next few days.
- 🌹 Will Adair who had a winter fall that damaged his leg, is now out of the plastic foot and walking much better.
- 🌹 Dorothy Keeler is recovering nicely from her knee surgery.
- 🌹 Westwood Unitarian Society informs us of the sudden death of Bruce Macpherson. Information will be forthcoming regarding memorial service plans.
- 🌹 Ockert Pauw celebrated his 60th birthday in February. Congratulations, Ockert!!
- 🌹 Thank you to UCE for coming to the rescue of the Edmonton Interfaith Centre concert committee, in offering the church at the last minute, for the Feb. 10th concert. The original venue we rented had to cancel our show, because of an unsafe stage in the theatre. Special thanks to John Pater on sound and all the other volunteers who made this concert work!
- 🌹 “Our Mission is love, our race is humanity and our faith is in each other”, Rev. Audrey Brooks 🌹

SHARING OUR ABUNDANCE



In March the UCE will share with the INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF UNITARIAN-UNIVERSALISTS (ICUU) whose mission is to empower existing and emerging member groups to sustain and grow our global faith community. Past president is Rev. Brian Kiely. On March 10th we will take a special offering this day for the [Sharing Our Faith](#) fund; a granting body that we hope will assist us in financing some upcoming projects.

HONOUR OUR UCE MEMBERS

Two annual awards will be presented at the fellowship dinner on Saturday, May 11th:

- ☺ The W.H. Alexander Award honours a person or persons for extraordinary services provided to benefit the church community.
- ☺ The Charles Potter Award for Community Engagement honours a member of our congregation who has made an outstanding volunteer contribution to communities outside our church, and whose work there shows exceptional commitment to UU principles and values.



Submit your nominations for these awards to board secretary Gloria Krenbrenk by email – gkrenbrenk@gmail.com – or in writing through the church office. The board will choose the winners.

Rules: Nominations must be made in writing by UCE members and must include reasons for nominating the person or persons. Members of the board may not submit nominations. Staff members and current members of the board are not eligible. Past staff members and members of the board are eligible if the services for which they are recommended were not performed during the period when they held these special positions. A person may be nominated for, or win, the award more than once.



Enrich your life and our community's by volunteering!
This is a great way to meet new people and be more involved in the church community. Look for volunteer opportunities available for sign up on credenza in UCE lobby.

PLEASE DROP IN TO HELP OUR WEDNESDAY CREW BETWEEN 10AM-1:30PM.

You do not have to have any handyperson experience, though that is always appreciated! We can use electricians, and carpenters, but there are also very valuable jobs that need to be done like cleaning out kitchen drawers, shoveling, sweeping, putting away dishes ... always things to do. You might learn something new and you will feel great about it too!

SUNDAY SERVICE VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

	Coffee	Greeting	Ushering	Piano	Sound Tech
March 3	John Turvey	Rosemary Falconer	Gertrud Janke	Chorealis	Marg Booker
March 10	Clair Horne	Jan McMillan	Art Breier		Bill Lee
March 17	Clair Horne	Jennifer Hinchcliffe	Donna Hamar		Kat Hartshorne
March 24	Clair Horne	Wendy Smith	Barbara Forbes		Marg Booker
March 31	Clair Horne	Jan McMillan	Jeff Bisanz, Yvonne Mireau		Bill Lee

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

RE met on the 1st Sunday of each month

Social Justice met on the 2nd Sunday of each month

UCE Maintenance team meets every Wednesday from approximately 10am-2pm

UCE Board meets on the 4th Wednesday of every month.

If you want to attend a Board Meeting please contact the UCE Board President, Karen Mills (karenmills@me.com).

A question or concern? Please feel free to put a note in the suggestion box in our lobby. Messages will be forwarded to the board at the monthly meetings.

***make sure you check the website calendar and orders of service for changes in schedules

If your gathering or meeting uses the coffee nook and/or the kitchen:

- ☞ Please wash, dry and put away your dishes.
- ☞ Make sure the counters and tables are cleared and wiped down.
- ☞ Sweep and/or mop up any spills
- ☞ Make sure food is labeled and stored correctly.

UU BOOK CLUBS

- ☞ The Edmonton UU Literary discussion group will be reading four Alberta award winning novels this year. We are made up of people from both UCE and Westwood. We meet every couple of months at the home of one of our members. For more information, contact John Pater at johncpater@gmail.com.
- ☞ The Westwood Unitarian FreeThinkers' Book Club meets in the basement of the Westwood Unitarian Church at 7 pm on the last Wednesday of the month from October to March. All are welcome.

SOCIAL MEDIA



Social Media is not a replacement for coming in to church but another way of connecting new friends, people that are traveling, people that have moved to a location without a local congregation, etc. Every comment, like, share, retweet, and invite helps us keep in touch with the world. You can follow and participate with us on YouTube, Instagram, Twitter, and Facebook.



Facebook Group for all interests and updates

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/41659071349/>

Facebook Page for UCE specific updates

<https://www.facebook.com/UnitarianChurch/>



Thanks to Pam Winn
BRING FRIENDS TO CHURCH DAY IS SUPER EASY FOR ME ... ALL I NEED IS MY LAPTOP

MESSAGES FROM THE CANADIAN UNITARIAN COUNCIL (CUC)

Please subscribe to the CUC newsletter at

<https://cuc.us2.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=14cdbcb20d193a5636bf18bdd&id=9434666947>

Delegates wanted for CUC AGM

The CUC is the national organization for UUs in Canada. The CUC is made up of member congregations to which it is accountable. It provides support for UUs and congregations across the country, fostering growth and outreach, particularly in the areas of lifespan religious education, spiritual growth, and social responsibility.

This year's AGM is in Toronto on May 11, 2019 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. UCE is entitled to have four delegates, who may attend in person (at their own cost) or online. Delegates are authorized to vote on the board of trustees and the motions discussed at the meeting.

Delegates should be willing to become familiar with proposed resolutions for the CUC AGM, other matters pertaining to the AGM, and Annual Meeting Rules of Procedure. They should also be willing to report back to the congregation on the AGM.

There is an online orientation session and an email group to support delegates. Delegates must be selected and registered by April 1.

If you are interested in being a delegate for UCE, please contact Karen Mills (karenmills@me.com), board chair, by **March 20th**. The board will select delegates at their March 27th meeting.

CanUUdle XIX

Friday, May 17 @ 5:00 pm – Monday, May 20 @ 12:00 pm MST Hosted by the Calgary Unitarians

CanUUdle is the annual national conference for Canadian UU youth and their adult advisors. It's a beautiful weekend where youth and adults create an amazing community, worship together, grow as spiritual beings and join in multigen activities.

In 2019, CanUUdle and its sibling event for young adults, Chorus, are happening separately from the CUC's Annual General Meeting.

RSVP to the [Facebook event](#) to get updates!

Chorus 2019

Friday, May 17– Monday, May 20

Each year, Canadian UU young adults (18-35) gather to build beloved community, deepen our cross-country connections, and grow as spiritual beings. This gathering, called Chorus, is a weekend-long conference which happens in conjunction with its sibling youth event, CanUUdle.

Join us in Calgary in 2019 for a mix of young adult social and worship time, multigenerational events and workshops, and time to gather with older youth for bridging activities.

RSVP to the [Facebook event](#) to get updates leading up to the event!



Join other UU 18-35 year olds on Zoom (a video-conferencing platform) for the sharing of joys and concerns, deeper check-ins, prayerful reflections, and an opportunity to process current events with a spiritually grounded community. Every 2nd Monday of the month at 6pm MST /8pm Eastern time, you don't need to sign up in advance, just show up online.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1894212357364432/>

Arising out of a common concern, voiced by religious professionals, we invite people to join in this time of reflection and sharing – looking at the ways we find Hope in Hard Times. Many of us are feeling discouraged during these challenging times.

Join us to share and to hear from others. CUC staff and a Canadian UU minister will convene these discussions. You are invited to register for the session that works best for your schedule.

Please register for either:

Wednesday, March 6, 7:00-8:30 ET

Saturday, March 9, 12:30-2:00 ET

<https://cuc.ca/events/gathering-hope-in-hard-times/1551898800/1551904200/>



THR National Film Screenings & Reflection Groups

Trick or Treaty

Watch the film and read the materials: March 6 – March 20

Reflection Group: Wednesday, March 20, 7-8:30 EST and Saturday, March 23, 12:30-2 EST

<https://cuc.ca/events/thr-film-reflection-group-trick-or-treaty/>

Our 2019 Seminar will be April 11-13, in New York City. (Youth and sponsors will arrive April 10th for orientation.) Addressing the 2019 theme of Equity in Action: Gender in an Intersecting World.



EQUITY IN ACTION
GENDER IN AN INTERSECTING WORLD

<https://www.uua.org/international-justice/un/spring-seminar>

On Feb 17 the CUC, on [Facebook](#), asked

"The first Unitarian service in Edmonton occurred in 1912. Where was the gathering?"

Here is the answer as found on our [website](#); you can also find a lot of other interesting history on the UCE website!

Historical Timeline of the UCE

compiled by Susan Ruttan

Here, in brief, are the highlights from the first century of the Unitarian Church in Edmonton...

~ Early 1900s ~

1912

A Unitarian Church is launched in Edmonton, with the help of Rev. A.J. Pineo and support from Unitarian headquarters in Boston. The first service is April 21, 1912 at the Blue Moon Tea House. In an announcement sent to the Edmonton Journal, Pineo says: "It is a church that stands for freedom in truth-seeking and maintains that religion should be as progressive as human thought." Initially called the First Liberal Church of Edmonton, the name is changed within months to First Unitarian Church of Edmonton. Pineo quits as minister in 1913. Prof. W.H. Alexander becomes the leading lay member of the church.

The Ripple Effect Campaign Has Launched!

We are pleased to announce that our two-year water campaign, The Ripple Effect, is officially underway! We invite you to take a look at our [Kick Off Video](#) and the resources posted on the [CUC website – The Ripple Effect](#), including our [growing pool of resources](#) that will help you learn about various issues impacting water and engage in action on personal, local, provincial, national, and international levels.



On the front page of our [Resource Site](#), you will find a step-by-step guide to getting involved, including links to posters, surveys and FAQs. There is an introductory questionnaire that we urge groups to fill out as soon as possible as it allows us to know who is getting involved, their interests, and any knowledge or support they might need, or be able to offer other groups who are working on a similar water issue.

We also encourage everyone to join our [Facebook group](#) to follow the ripples of action that are happening across the country, ask questions, share resources, and highlight issues of importance. As people share links to resources we will add them to our resource site, which we hope will further facilitate connections between faith groups, communities and organizations across the country. Do you know specialty groups or organizations dealing with specific water issues? Please invite them to join the Facebook group as well as their input is invaluable.

As the National Social Justice Team, we are committed to walking this journey with you and look forward to seeing what ripples of change we can create together! **[Join the Ripple Effect!](#)**

The Unitarian Church of Edmonton is a liberal, multi-generational, religious community. We celebrate a rich mosaic of free-thinking, spiritually-questing individuals joined in common support and action. We welcome diversity including diversity of beliefs from divine believers to humanists, from pagans to atheists and agnostics. We believe in the compassion of the human heart, the warmth of community, the pursuit of justice and the search of meaning in our lives.

We gather with gratitude on traditional Cree lands that are now a part of Treaty Six and shared by many nations. A treaty is an inheritance, a responsibility and a relationship. May we be good neighbours to one another, good stewards to our planet and good ancestors to our children.

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Tax Deductible contribution to UCE.**

- ☺ You can donate online by Credit card through [Canada Helps](#) or [ATB Cares](#)
- ☺ Place your donation in the basket during a Sunday service
- ☺ Contact the office for other donation methods



Yes! I want to support UCE's Journey

Here is my financial pledge to the Unitarian Church of Edmonton for the coming year:

My name is: _____

I would like: (choose one)

- to pledge 10% more than last year
- to pledge the same as last year
- to pledge a specific amount:

For the period 1 Jul 2019 to 30 Jun 2020 _____
(how much per month or how much per year?)

I will pay my pledge: (choose one)

- with the preauthorized deposits that I have already set up
- with preauthorized deposits that I would like to set up now please (call Andrew)
- with cash, cheques, or online donation that:
 - I will send or donate now (include with pledge form)
 - I will send later (I've explained when in the notes)
 - I will pay as I am able (explain in the notes)

If you have any other notes, instructions, or comments please include them here or call or email me any time.

The canvass page www.uce.ca/canvass has more info and an electronic pledge form

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Put your completed pledge form in a return envelope; place in the collection; mail to the church; or drop at the office.

Supporting the Journey

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