



Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of the Emerald Coast

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Stepping It Up for Ministry

2017 - 2018 Pledge Guide									
Adjusted Gross Annual Income Up To	Helping (1%)			Supporting (3%)			Sustaining (5%)		
	Monthly Pledge			Monthly Pledge			Monthly Pledge		
	Expenses	Ministry	Total Pledge	Expenses	Ministry	Total Pledge	Expenses	Ministry	Total Pledge
\$10,000	\$8.00	\$1.00	\$9.00	\$25.00	\$4.00	\$29.00	\$42.00	\$6.50	\$48.50
\$20,000	\$17.00	\$2.50	\$19.50	\$50.00	\$7.50	\$57.50	\$83.00	\$12.50	\$95.50
\$30,000	\$25.00	\$4.00	\$29.00	\$75.00	\$11.50	\$86.50	\$125.00	\$19.00	\$144.00
\$40,000	\$33.00	\$5.00	\$38.00	\$100.00	\$15.00	\$115.00	\$167.00	\$25.00	\$192.00
\$50,000	\$42.00	\$6.50	\$48.50	\$125.00	\$19.00	\$144.00	\$208.00	\$31.00	\$239.00
\$60,000	\$50.00	\$7.50	\$57.50	\$150.00	\$22.50	\$172.50	\$250.00	\$37.50	\$287.50
\$70,000	\$58.00	\$8.50	\$66.50	\$175.00	\$26.50	\$201.50	\$292.00	\$44.00	\$336.00
\$80,000	\$67.00	\$10.00	\$77.00	\$200.00	\$30.00	\$230.00	\$333.00	\$50.00	\$383.00
\$90,000	\$75.00	\$11.00	\$86.50	\$225.00	\$34.00	\$259.00	\$375.00	\$56.50	\$431.50
\$100,000	\$83.00	\$12.50	\$95.50	\$250.00	\$37.50	\$287.50	\$417.00	\$62.50	\$479.50

Please bring your pledge form in an envelope with you to the Fellowship and place it in the Collection Basket or mail it to UUFEC, P.O. Box 205, Valparaiso, FL 32580-0205. All pledges are confidential.

**2017 - 2018 Stepping It Up for Ministry
Pledge Form**

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

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May 1, 2017 – April 30, 2018.

Choose your payment schedule:

Weekly \$ _____

Monthly: \$ _____

Yearly: \$ _____

(If yearly, month in which you anticipate remitting your contribution: _____)

The Fellowship is deeply grateful for your continued support. Generous giving enables us to carry out our mission of service, spiritual growth, and caring fellowship.

Yes, I Commit to supporting a minister and will make an additional ONE-TIME donation toward the \$75,000 goal in the amount of \$ _____. I am enclosing that amount.

It's once again time for our annual stewardship drive. This year we are "Stepping It Up for Ministry." We have set a lofty goal of increasing pledges by 15% to pay for ministry. Can you be a Sustaining Member giving 5% of your income to the Fellowship? While we know not everyone can afford this much we are encouraging you to increase last year's pledge. Can't afford a 15% increase? Any increase in your pledge brings us closer to hiring a UU Minister.

You can also help us kick start our search for a UU Minister by making a ONE-TIME commitment in addition to your pledge. No amount is too small.

About the 2017 – 2018 Pledge Guide

There are four major columns:

Adjusted Gross Annual Income on the left,
Helping which is 1% of your income,
Supporting which is 3 % of your annual income, and
Sustaining which is 5% of your annual income.

Within the three columns to the right are three smaller columns:

Expenses. This pledge covers the cost of keeping the lights on, paying for our programs and puts some money aside for future ministry.
Ministry. This amount is 15% of the expense pledge and adds extra funds that can be saved for future ministry. Without these funds hiring and sustaining a minister is impossible.
Total Pledge. This is the amount you will give each month.

Here's how to use your pledge guide:

1. Select your income from the column on the left.
2. Find where your income and level of support cross and you will see the pledge you will make.
3. Decide which level of support you can afford to provide.

Fill out the Pledge Form:

Fill in your name and address then enter the amount you will pay on a schedule that best fits your circumstance and sign and date the form.

If want to make a ONE-TIME donation towards ministry, enter the amount at the bottom of the form.

You can return your form any time but please have them in by the end of the drive on March 19 when will have a special speaker, Rev. Gordon Gibson.

NOTE: Please be generous. Maintain your pledge from last year and step it up for ministry. If, on average, we can get an increase of just \$27 per month or \$324 per year from each pledging unit we can hire a ¾-time UU Minister.