



UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST COMMUNITY OF CASPER

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April 19, 2022

Greetings from your UU Casper Board,

First, we would like to thank all members and friends who have been donating so generously this current fiscal year (July 2021 through June 2022), including those who made specific pledges to support UU Casper financially. These current pledges were \$34,500, which represents a significant portion of our overall budget of \$41,688. Your donations and pledges ensured that we re-opened the building, hired professional cleaning services, hired Drew Hill as our AV person and continued to develop our technology to provide dual services and events, an achievement for which we owe a great debt of gratitude for the efforts of our amazing tech people!

Second, we are launching the 2022-23 UU Casper pledge drive this month and will focus on sustaining the operating budget. We have experienced challenging times but hope that everyone will join in the pledge drive, and match or possibly exceed their past pledges, as well as inspire others to pledge for the first time. Regular pledge reports will follow, with the plan that most pledges for next year will have been made by *May 15th, 2022*. This target date will enable us to plan more effectively for the coming fiscal year (July 2022 through June 2023), which will certainly bring many more great opportunities for our members and friends to support each other in their spiritual journeys as well as positively impact our larger Casper community and beyond. Our small community has been tremendously supportive to one another, not least through the minister's discretionary fund, which has been invaluable in relieving some members from financial difficulties. The support that we have received from financial pledges, donations, and volunteering has helped us to continue in our mission as part of Casper's spiritual community.

Our spiritual community continues to be a refuge for Casper's UUs, relying solely on the financial generosity and the commitments of both time and talents of each and every one of us. Please look over the enclosed pledge form, fill out your personal information, and indicate the operating fund pledge amounts and payment schedule that you prefer for the coming 2022-2023 fiscal year. You can e-mail the form back to admin@uucasper.org, mail it (Attn: Treasurer), drop it in the collection basket, or hand it to Treasurer Stuart Mackenzie at a Sunday service. *Please be assured that all pledge information is kept confidential.* We also encourage you to fill out the pledge information at the bottom of this letter and retain this letter as a reminder of your pledge commitment to UU Casper.

If you have any questions about pledging or have any other questions about the financial matters of UU Casper, please contact Treasurer Stuart Mackenzie at admin@uucasper.org or 307-259 3883.

In celebration of our beloved Unitarian Universalist Community of Casper,
The UU Casper Board

My operating fund pledge to the Unitarian Universalist Community of Casper for the fiscal year July 2022 through June 2023 is: \$ _____, to be paid \$ _____ per _____



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2022-2023 Operating Fund Pledge

Yes, I want to pledge my support for the Unitarian Universalist Community of Casper! I pledge the amount noted below for the fiscal year July 2022 through June 2023 operating fund:

1) Total amount I am pledging for the fiscal year 2022-2023 UU Casper operating fund:

___ \$100 ___ \$250 ___ \$500 ___ \$1,000 ___ \$1,200 ___ \$2,400 ___ \$3,600

___ Other \$ _____ (please fill in amount of total operating pledge)

2) I plan on fulfilling my operating fund pledge through donations made:

\$ _____ all at one time

\$ _____ weekly

\$ _____ monthly

\$ _____ quarterly

\$ _____ other (explain) _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Donations by check will be designated to your operating budget pledge unless otherwise noted (e.g., the Bob Patrick Building Fund). Cash donations during services can be attributed to your pledge by placing them in an envelope with your name noted and placing them in the collection baskets.

Your financial support for the UUs of Casper is most appreciated!

Your pledge and your contributions, help us meet our operational needs and keep us vibrant and growing!