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Special Edition**



Newsletter
**First Unitarian-Universalist Church
of Detroit**

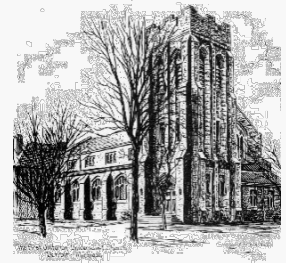
**NOTICE OF SPECIAL
CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**
Sunday, February 10, 2019
12:30 PM — Social Hall

The Board of Trustees of First Unitarian-Universalist Church of Detroit has called a special meeting of the Congregation for Sunday, **February 10, 2019, at 12:30 PM** in the Social Hall, for the purpose of electing church members to serve on a Nominating Committee.

Article VIII(2)(B) of our Bylaws requires the annual election of five church members to serve on a Nominating Committee. A function of this Committee is to identify candidates to serve as Board officers and trustees and as delegates to our regional and national assemblies. The Nominating Committee must convene soon in order to begin the work to identify candidates to present for vote of the membership at our annual congregational meeting in May.

A majority of the Nominating Committee Members who were elected at the May 2018 annual meeting are unable to serve. A special congregational meeting must be held to elect replacements.

Article IV(2)(C) allows special meetings of the Congregation to be called by the Board of Trustees. Subsection (D) requires notice of the time and place of all congregational meetings to be published in the Church Newsletter mailed and/or e-mailed to the last known address of each member thirty (30) days prior to the meeting. The Board is publishing this special edition newsletter in order to meet the notice requirements of the bylaws.



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Vision: First Unitarian-Universalist Church is an urban center in Detroit for spiritual renewal and social justice.

Mission: First Unitarian-Universalist Church strives to be an expanding transformative community whose mission is to liberate truth, radiate kindness, and love courageously.

We are a [Welcoming Congregation](#)

We believe [Black Lives Matter](#)

We stand in [solidarity with Muslim communities](#)

We are a [Member](#) of the [Unitarian-Universalist Association of Congregations](#) — in the [MidAmerica Region](#)

Minister: The Rev. Dr. Stephen Butler Murray

Music Director: Todd Ballou

Board President: Dan Hale

Unitarian Universalist congregations affirm and promote [seven Principles](#).



Church Life



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Community:

Send an email:

- [Amnesty International](#) (Dan Wiest)
- [Share personal business cards](#) (Ruby Jones)
- [Sign the Membership Book](#) (Deanna McGraw)
- [Suggest sermon topics](#) (Worship Committee)

Learn about us:

Send an email:

- ["Intro to UU Detroit"](#) (Sally Borden)

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Reserve a room:

Send an email:

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(Newsletter Editors)
- [Other days](#) (Dee Collins — or call 313-556-1702)

Dates and Deadlines



Potluck: Sun., Jan. 13, 12:00 PM — Social Hall

Congregational Music Discussion to identify new projects or improvements to the Sunday morning music program: Sun., Jan. 13, 12:30-2:00 PM — Parlor (Todd Ballou)

Board Meeting: Sun., Jan. 20, 12:30-2:30 PM — Parlor (Dan Hale)

Skinner Organ Tour: Todd Ballou leads a discussion and demonstration of the Skinner organ, Sun., Jan. 20, 12:30-1:30 PM — Narthex

Amnesty International Meeting: Mon., Jan. 21, 7:30-9:00 PM — Social Hall (Dan Wiest)

Vespers: Wed., Jan. 23, 6:00-7:00 PM — Henry Ford Village, 15101 Ford Rd, Dearborn (Dan Secret)

Social Justice Committee Meeting: Sun. Jan. 27, 12:30-2:00 PM — Parlor (Dan Wiest)

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