

St. John's Unitarian Universalist Church

MEMBER Pledge of Financial Support for the 2019-2020 Operating Budget

YOU MAY COMPLETE THIS FORM ONLINE! <https://stjohnsuu.org/community/donate/>

Name: _____ Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____ Cell or Home? _____

____ I/ we are **MEMBER(s)** of St. John's and proudly pledge BELOW an annual financial contribution.

I/ we affirm the **St. John's Membership Commitment Statement**: *I AM IN ACCORD WITH THE PURPOSE OF ST. JOHN'S UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH AND ITS GUARANTEE OF RELIGIOUS FREEDOM TO ITS MINISTER AND MEMBERS. I COMMIT MYSELF, AS FAR AS POSSIBLE, TO BE ENGAGED IN THE LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION, CONTRIBUTING MY TIME AND TALENTS TO THE SUPPORT OF THE CHURCH AND ITS WORK. I UNDERSTAND THAT FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR CHURCH PROGRAMS AND DENOMINATIONAL AFFILIATION IS AN EXPECTATION OF MEMBERSHIP AND I WILL MAKE AN ANNUAL FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION OF RECORD.*

YOUR FINANCIAL COMMITMENT TO ST. JOHN'S

What is the right amount to pledge? A pledge commitment in our faith tradition often ranges from 3% to 7% of household income. And some folks are working toward a 10% tithe. Some households already pledge at these levels. For those who do not, we ask you to consider working toward this goal over time. You may review the UUA Suggested Fair Share Contribution Guide here: <https://stjohnsuu.org/community/donate/> Most importantly, give what your heart and your pocketbook tell you is the right amount... GIVE WHAT FEELS GOOD!

CONFIRMING YOUR PLEDGE BY **MARCH 31** WILL ASSIST WITH DEVELOPMENT OF NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET.

I pledge to support St. John's with a financial contribution. The total amount I will contribute for July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020 is \$_____. This pledge will be paid (please select one): ___weekly / ___monthly / ___quarterly / ___once annually / ___as I can.

Please review this important information regarding payment methods: *Payments may be made by check, cash placed in an envelope with your name, stock donation, or automatic electronic bank transfer. Payment via credit card or PayPal incurs a fee so if you use these payment methods, please include an extra amount in your pledge to cover the service fee. St. John's does not pay a fee for direct electronic transfers from your bank to St. John's and we encourage you to use this payment method, which is very easy.*

____ I HAVE BEEN USING DIRECT ELECTRONIC TRANSFERS from my bank and wish to continue doing so, with the same bank account. I authorize monthly transfers to fulfill the above pledge amount.

____ I WANT TO SET UP DIRECT ELECTRONIC TRANSFERS from my bank. In order to initiate these transfers, I have completed the AUTHORIZATION FORM on the reverse of this form.

____ I will not be pledging at this time, however I understand that to maintain my membership I will make at least one financial contribution to the operating budget that will be identified as being my annual financial contribution of record.

____ I have decided to resign my membership and will not be making a pledge or financial contribution of record this year.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

THANK YOU! You may drop this off at the Pledge Campaign table in Haehnle, put it in the collection plate, place it in the office mailbox, or mail it to St. John's.

Questions? Contact Joetta Prost or Rita Volz – pledge@stjohnsuu.org or office@stjohnsuu.org

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Authorization Agreement for Pre-Arranged Payments / Electronic Transfers

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. JOHN'S WITH YOUR FINANCIAL PLEDGE
FOR THE OPERATING BUDGET.

WE ARE GRATEFUL THAT YOU WISH TO MAKE YOUR DONATION VIA ELECTRONIC TRANSFER
DIRECTLY FROM YOUR CHECKING ACCOUNT TO THE ST. JOHN'S CHECKING ACCOUNT, AUTOMATICALLY
EACH MONTH.

IN ORDER TO SET UP MONTHLY TRANSFERS, WE NEED TO CONFIRM YOUR BANK ROUTING NUMBER,
ACCOUNT NUMBER AND THE MONTHLY AMOUNT OF YOUR PLEDGE.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Bank Routing Number: _____

Account Number: _____

***// we hereby authorize St. John's Unitarian Universalist Church to initiate electronic
debits to this account on or about the 15th of each month for the monthly amount of
\$_____.***

***This authority will remain in force from July 1, 2019 until June 30, 2020 unless
St. John's Unitarian Universalist Church receives written notification of its change or
termination.***

***In each successive year, you will be asked to confirm that you wish to continue using
electronic transfers to pay your pledge and you will be asked to identify the amount you
wish to have transferred.***

Signature(s): _____ Date: _____

Questions and comments may be sent to Joetta Prost – pledge@stjohnsuu.org

***You may drop this off at the Pledge Campaign table in Haehnle, mail to St. John's,
put in the PLEDGE mailbox in the office in a sealed envelope, or scan and email it to
pledge@stjohnsuu.org or office@stjohnsuu.org.***

THANK YOU!