Unitarian Universalist Funding Program
2016 Action for Public Witness Grants

Birmingham Unitarian Church
Bloomfield Hills, MI  $500.00
Escalating Inequality - Let’s Talk! Speaker Series
For a 3 part speakers series in coalition with five metropolitan UU congregations that will engage the broader metropolitan community in the UUA Escalating Inequality CSAI and identify activists as leaders in congregations.

U.U. Church of Columbia
Columbia, MO  $1,500.00
Towards Collective Liberation
For a community workshop to empower social justice action, Toward Collective Liberation: anti-racist, feminist praxis and movement building strategy”. in Mid-Missouri led by author Chris Crass.

U.U. Massachusetts Action Network
Greenbush, MA  $1,500.00
People Over Pipelines March
To support a climate action event in West Roxbury in protest of the Spectra Energy’s proposed Q1 loop.

University Unitarian Universalist Society
Orlando, FL  $300.00
APW - “The Workers Voice Tour”
For a grant to send buses of UUs to participate in a rally and parade sponsored by the Coalition of Immokalee Workers in support of the Fair Food Program.

UU Advocacy Network of Illinois (UUANI)
Chicago, IL  $1,200.00
Higher Ground Moral Declaration
To mobilize UUs & others across IL to participate in faith-based initiative to gather at state capitols across the US to deliver the Higher Ground Moral Declaration, to get state leaders to move away from extremist politics and policies that benefit the few & move toward policies that are just and fair.

# of Grants Made:  5

Grants Made Total:  $5,000.00
Challenge Grants Made Total:  $5,000.00
Grand Total:  $5,000.00

(Amounts in italics are Challenge Grants)