



Unitarian Universalist Funding Program
Action for Public Witness
2017 Grants

Birmingham Unitarian Church

Bloomfield Hills, MI

\$925.00

Escalating Economic Inequality: Detroit and the 1967 Rebellion

A coalition of 7 metropolitan Detroit UU congregations will commemorate the 1967 Detroit uprising with a 2-part program: an historical analysis of economic change and public policy in the decades leading up to the events of July 1967, followed by a staged reading of a new play based upon the oral histories of Detroit residents who lived through the rebellion.

First Unitarian Church, Des Moines

Des Moines, IA

\$1,500.00

Showers for Host Sanctuary Congregation

To install a shower so First Unitarian Church, Des Moines can serve as a Host Sanctuary Congregation.

Natural History Week - Star Island

Portsmouth, NH

\$1,500.00

Natural History Week

To support a conference for adults designed to help non scientists understand the complex world that we live in and our relationship to it in an increasingly technological era.

Tapestry UU Congregation

Mission Viejo, CA

\$1,500.00

Friends of Orange County Detainees

To connect with and assist immigrant detainees, to increase the number of visitors by 5% in 2018 through additional volunteer recruitment, and to create better systems for tracking asylum seekers.

U.U. Church of Ellsworth

Ellsworth, ME

\$1,500.00

Rainbow Ball Weekend

To host an annual April weekend of educational and social activities for up to 250, mostly-rural Maine LGBTQQ & allied high school students to address the isolation, underdeveloped aspirations, academic challenges, health risks (including suicide risk) and insufficient hope faced by many rural Maine LGBTQ youth.

UU Justice Ohio

Worthington, OH

\$1,500.00

To conduct three regional public witness actions in Central, Northern and Southwest Ohio. They include: Central Ohio - Mass Incarceration & Restorative Justice: From Harm to Healing; Northern Ohio - Social Justice - Advocacy as Spiritual Practice; and Southwest Ohio - Action Steps to Justice.

of Grants Made: 6

Grants Made Total:	<hr/>
<i>Challenge Grants Made Total:</i>	<i>\$8,425.00</i>
Grand Total:	<hr/> \$8,425.00