



Who Are We?

We are a community of Unitarian Universalists who are spiritually nurtured by our relationship with the Earth and who choose to offer the gifts of our love, our time, our energy, and our resources to build a just and enduring Earth home. Please join us – form on reverse.

Our Vision

A world in which reverence, gratitude, and care for Earth are central to our lives.

Our Purpose

To inspire and support personal, congregational, and Association practices that honor and sustain Earth and all beings.

What is Environmental Justice?

Environmental justice is the human affirmation of our place within the interdependent web of all existence. It pursues simultaneously the protection of natural systems and the ecological health of human communities – especially communities of the poor, minorities, and indigenous peoples.

Unitarian Universalists can work to create environmental justice by:

- Guaranteeing basic needs for all Earth’s people;
- Distributing the benefits of Earth’s resources fairly and sustainably;
- Avoiding inequity in bearing the burdens of humanity’s impact on the Earth;
- Recognizing that people have common but differentiated responsibilities according to abilities and resources available to them;
- Ensuring the moral and political rights of all to participate in decisions affecting their environment and wellbeing;
- Providing equal participation in decision-making processes regardless of race, class, gender, age, language, education, or economic barriers;
- Applying and enforcing environmental rules, regulations, and laws equitably and impartially;
- Recognizing the inherent value of all species; and
- Acknowledging our human responsibility to seek the sustainable balance between the rights of nature and human rights.

Yes! I want to help Unitarian Universalism and UU Ministry for Earth grow the Environmental Justice movement!

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Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone #: _____

Congregation: _____

I/we wish to receive UU Ministry for Earth’s monthly e-news updates and special alerts

I/we wish to make a donation to support the work of UU Ministry for Earth; a check for \$_____ is enclosed (please mail to the address below)

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My employer’s matching-gift form is enclosed

Company name: _____

I would like to become more involved in UUMFE’s work; please contact me about volunteer opportunities

I wish to join the UU Young Adults for Climate Justice network (for people ages 18-35)



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