

Ministry Collaboration Team Agenda  
February 12, 2025  
Short Notes for Distribution

**Present:** Natalie Hutchison Duff (staff, infrastructure), Eric LaBrant (community rep), Betty Montgomery (community rep), Christine Smith (infrastructure rep), Grace Teigen (UUCV led social justice rep), Deborah Willoughby (learning rep) , Rev. Kathryn Bert (convener, worship and social justice rep), Ian Terrell (community rep)

**Regrets:** Sarah Coleman-Payne (community rep), Allison King (staff, worship)

**Question** to the groups we link to: **What would your church group do with \$1,000 extra dollars?** (this is a fun thought experiment, not an offer of \$1,000)

**Clarification of Fundraising Rule** - we tweaked [proposed language](#) in the Fundraising rule and approved it going before the Board for adoption.

**Annual Pledge Campaign (APC)** will send a connector to all groups of the church - give your groups a heads up, please. The Pledge Campaign takes place between March 16 and April 12.

**Approved the formation of an LGBTQ+ Group** formed by new member Bevyn Rowland

**The All Congregation Vision Workshop on Saturday, March 15** is just the launch of a project that will continue until we're satisfied with the language. We will be able to integrate our new learnings from the Enneagram and Intercultural Skills worship into the vision by including people who took those classes on the small team that drafts our vision following the workshop. The ultimate product will be approved by the congregation.

**Calendar** -

February 16	Congregational meeting on Endowment bylaws
February 23	Intercultural Skills Workshop BCWG
March 1	LGBTQ+ Saturday Treat Family Potluck!
March 9	Intercultural Skills Workshop BCWG
March 15	Rachel Maxwell leads Visioning Workshop
March 16	Annual Pledge Campaign Kick Off
March 23	Intercultural Skills Workshop BCWG
April 12	Annual Pledge Campaign End
April 26	Touch of Class concert
April 27	Election Meeting/Congregational

May 3	David Roth Concert
May 4	Dining 4 \$
May 11	Dining 4\$
May 18	Dining 4\$
May 25	Dining 4\$ and Switch to one worship at 10:30
June 1	Choir Sunday
June 8	Community Sunday
June 22	General Assembly Ends/Livestream GA Worship
September 7	Return to two worship services at 9:15 and 11 am

**Reminders:**

Our **website** is only as good as the information we share on it. Here's the [form for requesting changes](#) to the website with information from the groups you represent.

**MCT Mission Statement**

—The MCT (Ministry Collaboration Team) will focus on clearly and proactively communicating (in person, phone calls, emails, group drop-ins, articles or videos) the UUCV mission to deepen spiritual experience, grow beloved community and act on our values in the wider world.

—Members of the MCT will advocate for the UUCV mission while facilitating regular communication with all groups affiliated with UUCV, to better serve the congregation as a whole.

—The purpose of each MCT member is to act as a liaison between the church's mission and the needs, interests and concerns of groups, with the ultimate goal to strengthen relationships and community within the church.