

Ministry Collaboration Team  
December 10, 2025  
Short Notes

**Deep Dive:** Brainstormed ideas for an MCT covenant to help our meetings be more effective and to bring out the best in each other

**Budget requests** are due **January 16** - send to your MCT rep.

**Discussion about the difficulty new people have in finding a group to join** because many groups “close” during the year and there aren’t enough entry points for new people. We request that all group leaders please respond to inquiries about their groups, even if the answer is that they are temporarily closed - let them know when the group opens, etc. We discussed the possibility of offering some more drop-in group experiences to provide connections for newcomers.

We are still in process developing new forms for requesting or establishing new groups.

Working on writing up procedures for Change for the World.

**Calendar -**

December 21	Christmas Pageant for Sunday Worship
December 24	Christmas Eve Services (5pm and 7pm)
January 11, 2026	Module 1, Transforming Hearts study course
January 25	Module 2, Transforming Hearts study course
February 1	Module 3, Transforming Hearts study course
February	Every 28 Days Collection for SHARE
February 7	Love Songs and Chocolate Fundraising Event
March 22	Annual Pledge Campaign Kick Off
April 19	Annual Pledge Campaign End
May 8	Touch of Class Concert
May 31	1st Sunday of summer worship schedule

## **Path to Membership Winter Dates:**

Winter 2026

- (Sa)Jan 24: UU History & Theology w/Kathryn
- UUCV – Then & Now w/Penny & Chris
- (Tu)Feb 10: UU History & Theology w/Kathryn
- (Tu)Feb 17: UUCV – Then & Now w/Penny & Chris
- (Sa)Mar 7: Entering Membership w/all
- (Su)Mar 22: Ingathering @both services

## **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.

UUCV Vision (The Why): Together we cultivate a world that celebrates diversity and champions justice for all beings, grounded in the transforming power of love.