



May our Covenant of Right Relations be our Guide

We seek to make our church a safe space for everyone. We acknowledge that we are different from each other. Although we are enriched by our diversity, our differences may sometimes be a source of conflict. We acknowledge that we are all responsible for our own words and actions.

In this light, we covenant to:

- Nurture a safe and welcoming community.
- Honour each other's inherent worth.
- Assume good will on the part of each other.
- Listen to each other with care.
- Speak to and about each other with respect.
- Be honest with each other.
- Talk directly to each other even when differences exist.
- Ask for help when conflict is too difficult to handle alone.



People who would like support of any kind are invited to contact the Pastoral Care Team at pastoralcare@uuwinnipeg.mb.ca



Our

Caring Community

An email group designed to connect us with each other in practical, caring, and supportive ways!

Covenant Together

Our Caring Community Email Group is guided by Our Covenant of Right Relations and seeks to support our members by reaching out to one another in practical, caring, and supportive ways. "Caring" is our goal! To promote that goal, we have adopted the following guidelines.

- People may "light a candle" for any joy, sadness, milestone or other personal concern they may have.
- People may ask for personal help or support and offer practical help to others.
- People may simply email their message to the group at our-caring-community@googlegroups.com.
- People may reply to the whole group.
- People may also reply directly and privately to any message.

Things to Remember

If people wish to share a joy, sadness or concern that involves a friend, neighbour or colleague, and want to share identifying information, they must get the person's permission first.

If people do not have permission, they may still share their joy, sadness or concern but not use the person's name or any other identifying information.

They may refer to them simply as a friend, neighbour or colleague.

Not everyone wants their personal information shared.

We expect members to use their own judgment when asking for, accepting, or offering help. Messages are not church sponsored or endorsed. We moderate our group in order to promote a safe and caring space for all.

Come Build Our Caring Community

Email:

our-caring-community+owner@googlegroups.com

with the subject line "subscribe".

Or email pastoralcare@uwinnipeg.mb.ca

This email group is open to members and friends of the First Unitarian Universalist Church of Winnipeg who are over the age of 18.



Although good and important, not all messages support the group's mandate. For instance the following messages will **not** be approved:

- ◆ Forwards
- ◆ Fund raising messages
- ◆ Political messages
- ◆ Theological discussions
- ◆ Messages that contain 3rd party information without permission
- ◆ Messages that lack clarity or key information