UUSS BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

Thursday, December 28, 2023, 6:30 p.m., via Zoom and in person

Agenda

- 6:30 Welcome to Board and guests/Establish Quorum: Anara Guard
 - Chalice Lighting and Centering: Denis
- 6:35 Consent Agenda
 - Approve November Minutes

6:40 Board Business

- 1. Authorize Rosemary Dodd to perform marriage ceremony
- 2. Fundraising for Solar installation
- 3. Reminder that BOT made commitment to increase rentals
- 7:00 Treasurer's Report: Victoria Owens
- 7:05 Ministers' Reports Rev. Lucy Bunch, Rosemary Dodd

7:10 Committee Substantive Issues, if needed

- a. Program Council: Susan Davis-James
- b. APMC (Administration and Property Management): Denis Edgren
- c. FRST (Fundraising Strategy): Service Auction and Pledge Drive, Jed Shapiro
- d. Nominating Committee: Hally Cahssai
- e. Social Justice Coordinating Council: Leanna Pierson
- f. Safety Committee: Denis Edgren

Next Meetings:

- a. Executive Committee Meeting (via Zoom): Monday, January 8, 5 pm
- b. Board Meeting (via Zoom & in person): Thursday, January 25, 6:30 pm

Recap board decisions for November Monthly Board Update: NEED VOLUNTEER FOR THIS TASK Closing: Denis

7:40 Meeting Adjournment

Board Events	Date
Recruit - GA Delegates	January 2024
Budget/Review of contracts, letters of intent	February 2024

Stewardship Campaign	March 2024
Spring Congregation Meeting	May 19, 2024
New Board Member Orientation	July 2024
Board Retreat	August 2024
Fall Congregational Meeting	October 2024
Auction	November 2024

White Supremacy Culture

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CHARACTERISTICS	ANTIDOTES GUIDE
 Perfectionism Sense of Urgency Defensiveness Quantity over Quality Worship of the Written Word Only One Right Way Paternalism Either/Or Thinking Power Hoarding Fear of Open Conflict Individualism I'm the Only One Progress is Bigger, More Objectivity Right to Comfort 	 Create a culture of appreciation by publicly expressing gratitude for people's work and contributions Choose Integrity and actively refuse to participate in gossip Foster a culture of learning where mistakes are viewed as learning opportunities Understand defensiveness is linked to fear of losing power, face, privilege, comfort Identify other antidotes already in place within the organization and seek ways to highlight and build upon them