

FOR MINISTERS, CONGREGATIONAL PRESIDENTS, AND ADMINISTRATORS

Dear Friends,

The Unitarian Universalist Association Directory is published annually as a comprehensive listing of addresses, contact information, and other Association data for our member congregations. The information is gathered using data from our files and from questionnaires mailed annually to each Unitarian Universalist congregation.

The 2010 Directory will be available online only, part of our transition to providing more services and resources electronically. It is available for you to view, print, and download free of charge at <http://www.uua.org/publications/directory/>. The pdf version is searchable for your convenience.

The reasons for this change are three-fold:

- Environmental benefits: We're reducing our carbon footprint by eliminating paper and energy consumed in the printing and distribution processes.
- Timeliness: Much of the material in each print Directory is out of date as soon as it is published. Portions of the 2010 UUA Directory will be updated occasionally throughout the year and will be more current than the print versions could be. The 2011 UUA Directory, which will be a searchable, online database, will be updated regularly.
- Cost: The UUA saves money on paper, printing, and shipping charges. In addition, congregations and individuals no longer need to purchase extra copies in order to easily access all the Directory information from home, office, or church.

Check out the new electronic Directory when you have a chance. It contains useful and detailed information about our volunteer structure, staff, congregations, and religious professionals. I hope this new electronic Directory will be a welcome resource for you and your congregations. If you wish to comment on this change, I invite you contact me directly.

Sincerely,

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