



The CommUUnicator

Newsletter of the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Waynesboro

Your Board at Work

By Nancy Lay, Board President

Did you know that your UUFW Board is always quietly working behind the scenes to ensure that the work of our Fellowship continues smoothly? Since July we have developed a new, comprehensive job description for our minister that can be used for years to come. Additionally, we worked with the RE Team and Sarah Skaar to approve the purchase of playground equipment as well as an expanded footprint in our side yard. We believe this speaks to the value we place on families and children in our Fellowship. We continued planning for meeting our budgetary needs by appointing a Fundraising Task Force.

On Saturday, January 14th, the Board held an all-day retreat at the clubhouse where Susan Clark lives. We spent some time in the beginning sharing our personal journeys as a better way to understand each other. We transitioned then to discussing our hopes and dreams for our Fellowship and discovered that we had similar visions: to grow our membership, attract



Left to right: Monte Hackney, Rev. Paul, Kay Yost, Susan Clark, Bob Norvell, Nancy Lay, Stephen Maxwell, Florence Ferguson

younger members, and have a balanced budget that meets all our needs.

After lunch we broke into small groups to discuss money matters, including how to finance the growing demands of our Fellowship. We talked about the upcoming Pledge Drive and brainstormed ways to increase pledges. The work of the Board is never done.

Standing Against Hate and Injustice

UUFW had a strong presence at two vigils last weekend in the Waynesboro community.



We joined other citizens on Saturday to protest the hateful defacing of the YMCA

mural. And on Sunday, we participated in "Housing for All," a vigil calling for



affordable housing in the City of Waynesboro. Diane Livick, new member of the Social Justice Team, gave the closing prayer.

