

CHALICE LIGHTERS UPDATE – February 2007

"UUs helping other UUs"

Fall 2006 Call for the Gulf Coast UU Fellowship (Gulfport MS)

There continues to be an excellent response to the Fall Chalice Lighter Call that will help the Gulf Coast, Mississippi UU Congregation to recover from the devastation of Hurricane Katrina and to grow is wrapping up.

We are pleased to report that thru February 1, we have received \$22,873.07 from 26 of the 51 Metro NY District congregations: Bayville, Beach Lake, Bridgehampton, Brooklyn, Croton, East Brunswick, Flushing, Freeport, Hastings-on-Hudson, Huntington, Kingston, Lincroft, Manhasset, Manhattan - All Souls, Mohegan Lake, Newton, Northville, Orange, Plainfield, Pomona, Princeton, Ridgewood, Stony Brook, Stroudsburg, Summit and Westport. Overall, there has been a very strong response to this Call, with significantly higher contributions from many of our congregations. Hopefully this trend will continue from the remaining congregations who have not yet sent in their contributions. Please send any remaining contributions as soon as possible to: Bill and Rickey Slezak, 14 Marie Terrace, West Orange, NJ 07052.

Honor Roll: Fall 2006 Call

Contributions of \$1,000 or more

Princeton	\$2,009
Freeport	\$1,768
Huntington	\$1,619
Manhasset	\$1,673
Hastings	\$1,536
Ridgewood	\$1,445
Westport	\$1,285
Stony Brook	\$1,255
Manhattan All Souls	\$1,000

Contributions of \$4.00 or more per member

Bridgehampton	\$12.97	Huntington	\$6.13
Flushing	\$12.33	Northville	\$6.11
Freeport	\$11.33	Stroudsburg	\$5.65
Hastings	\$8.53	Stony Brook	\$5.55
Orange	\$8.04	Croton	\$4.88
Beach Lake	\$7.27	Ridgewood	\$4.87
Newton	\$6.76	Pomona	\$4.68
Bayville	\$6.48	Princeton	\$4.54
Mohegan Lake	\$6.31		

Spring 2007 Call for the First Unitarian Society of Plainfield (NJ)

The Spring 2007 Call begins this month to will help the Plainfield congregation implement a marketing campaign, which is a key component of their overall membership development plan. Chalice Lighters coordinators should be hearing from Charles Sweeney, who is coordinating the visits by Ambassadors from the Plainfield congregation. Charles can be reached at (862) 778-8230 or charles.sweeney@novartis.com. Information about the Plainfield Call can be found on the District web site, www.uumetrony.org.

Fall 2007 and Spring 2008 Chalice Lighters.

Do you have an idea for a growth related project but no money to implement? Consider applying to be one of next year's Chalice Lighters recipients. [Click here](#)  for an application. The deadline is March 1. Visit www.uumetrony.org for Chalice Lighters information or contact us: **Bill and Rickey Slezak, (973) 731-9838, Chalice Lighters Coordinators, Metro NY District**