

Faithful Action Council Community Partnership Framework

Partnership Type/Resources Available	Funds: 2+ Offering Plates	Spotlight Sunday Event	Letter of Request to Council for new groups requested	Listed as Faithful Action Partner on website	Follows Partnership application & evaluation Processes	Identified as "Endorsed by Council" on website and brochure	Access to Church Volunteers	Access to Church Communications	Access to Church Space & Rooms	Dedicated time from staff & ministerial resources
Full Community Partner	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Incubator Partner: Pathway to Partnership		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
UU Group						X	X	X	X	X
Endorsed Service Group – External or Internal			X			X	X	X	X	X
Endorsed Advocacy/ Witness Group – external or internal			X			X	X	X	X	X

All groups meet these requirements:

- Aligns with First Universalist Faithful Action Principles. Advances Racial Justice.
- Sponsored by First Universalist congregant or staff/leader.
- Can apply to CIT for offering plate – independent of Council.
- Endorsed groups have met Council requirements: aligns with Faithful Action Principles; many congregants are involved; a congregant acts as the contact, organizer, and coordinator for group's actions with the Faithful Action Council and across the church; requests endorsement from Council/Leadership team. Send letter requesting to become an Endorsed Advocacy or Service group to Council co-chairs.