## **Fueling the Fire of Commitment**

## **2024-2025 Pledge Drive**



"When the fire of commitment sets our mind and soul a blaze
When our hunger and our passion meet to call us on our way
When we live with deep assurance of the flame that burns within,
Then our promise finds fulfillment and our future can begin."

- The Fire of Commitment

SUUS is an energetic and compassionate community. All that happens here is a result of the commitment we make - to SUUS, to each other, and to the larger community. This commitment serves us now and sets the path for the future.

We have so much to be grateful for and so much to help nurture. A new Minister. A new Director of Faith Formation. An exceptional and dedicated Staff. Inspiring services with wonderful music. Renewed social justice initiatives. More events and activities. New members.

The annual pledge is the most direct way to show your support for SUUS and our mission. And pledges are the single largest source of the finances we need to help keep SUUS vibrant. As you consider your pledge for the coming year, think about what SUUS is now and what lies ahead.

**Your support is the fuel that helps our fire of commitment burn strong**. Many thanks for your generosity.

As a Welcoming Congregation dedicated to Love, Faith, Justice and Reason, the Shoreline Unitarian Universalist Society's mission is to:

- nurture the spirit and enrich the mind;
- foster a reverence for life in all of its complexity and mystery;
- build a spiritual community dedicated to social, economic, and environmental iustice:
- explore the search for truth by providing a safe space for the exchange of diverse perspectives;
- inspire members, friends, and our larger community to go forth and make the world a better place.

(please see other side for Pledge Form)

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## The goal for our 2024-2025 Pledge Drive is \$200,000

(In 2023-2024, the total for pledges was \$167,000)

- Pledges are due by Sunday, April 21.
- Return this completed form to the Pledge Drive Collection Box at SUUS or Mary Strieff.
- You can also *pledge online*; see the SUUS website for details.
- If SUUS does not receive a pledge form from you, your *current pledge will auto-renew* on July 1, 2024.
- An annual pledge is a *requirement of membership*. If this presents a challenge to you, please contact Rev. Craig Nowak.

My/Our 2024-2025 Annual Pledge: \$
Name
Signature