

During its 29 years of supporting growth initiatives in the JPD, Chalice Lighters have funded grants to more than 50 societies totaling over \$2.25 million.

Congregations are encouraged to recruit a **“Chalice Lighter Ambassador”** to organize a Chalice Lighter Sunday every year.

*The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Centre County, PA reports a **record 60%** membership in Chalice Lighters and is a leader in helping to grow Unitarian Universalism in our District.*

“Our successful Joseph Priestley District Chalice Lighters program is a way for individuals, like you, each contributing a small amount to the whole effort, to make a significant investment in spreading the concepts of our free religion.”

Sally and Del Tweedie



Chalice Lighters is a program of the Joseph Priestley District, serving Unitarian Universalist congregations in southern New Jersey, eastern and central Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia and northern Virginia.

JPD Chalice Lighters



Add your spark to our flame

“Growth is vital to the Unitarian Universalist movement and Chalice Lighters fund expansion in our region. I urge those who are not Chalice Lighters to sign up. The few dollars required from each of us go a long way toward spreading our faith and making a difference in the world.

*Karel Toll
First UU Church of Wilmington, DE*

You are invited to make a small contribution to make a big difference in the reach of our faith.

What is a JPD Chalice Lighter?

A Chalice Lighter pledges to respond with a contribution when the request, or Call, is received. The Call announces that it is time for you to “add your spark to our flame” somewhere in our District.

How often will I receive a Call?

The Call will come three times each year, in the fall, winter and spring.

What are some of the projects funded by Chalice Lighter grants?

Grant requests are often for professional staff, acquisition of land or buildings, congregational organizing and innovative growth efforts. Your money responds to the needs of dynamic congregations.

How can my small donation result in significant growth?

Although your individual contribution may be only \$20 per Call, when thousands contribute the total is significant. Since 1987, JPD Chalice Lighters has awarded over \$2.25 million in grants. Of course, larger pledges are welcome and appreciated.

The Chalice Lighters Program is Going Green!

The transition to web-based enrollment and Call notification significantly lessens our environmental footprint.

Enroll Online Today – It’s easy!

Become a member of the Chalice Lighters program and join the 3,000 UUs who are committed to sharing the transforming power of our liberal faith

1. Go to <http://tinyurl.com/CERCLSignup>

2. Fill in the information requested.

You will be asked to enter the amount you pledge to give when your **Call** arrives by e-mail three times each year.

A minimum of **\$20 per Call** is suggested.

3. Click “**submit form**” and you are done.

If you have any questions about Chalice Lighter enrollment or your membership status, please contact Cristina Sanchis at csanchis@uua.org or (302) 377-8971.

To find out more about applying for a grant for your congregation, contact

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call 484-201-4384 or visit

<http://tinyurl.com/CERChaliceLighter>

(Clip and Mail)

I do not want to receive notices electronically, but I want to support growth in the JPD.

Name:

Address:

Congregation:

Phone:

E-mail:

I (We) would like to pledge
\$_____ per Call
three times a year.

**Please mail to Chalice Lighters,
100 W. 10th Street, Suite 1008,
Wilmington, DE 19801**