

Friends of Unity

Dear Friend,

What kind of Spiritual Leader does Friends of Unity want? What skills and other characteristics are we looking for?

To answer these questions, the Board of Trustees asks you to complete the following survey.

Please give this your prayerful consideration, and return your responses by **March 16, 2025**.

MINISTERIAL CHARACTERISTIC AND EXPECTATIONS.

This section is intended to identify and prioritize the qualities, skills, and experiences that we want in our next Spiritual Leader. Please rank the following from 1 to 8, with 1 being your top priority. If there are other qualities, experiences, skills, etc., that you think are desirable, please describe them at the bottom of the last page.

- _____ **Building Leaders and Teams, and Empowering Others**
- _____ **Focus on Prayer, Meditation, Pastoral Care, Chaplaincy**
- _____ **Outreach into the Local Community**
- _____ **Working with a Specific Group (Kids, teens, seniors, men, women, LGBTQ, etc.)**
- _____ **Spiritual Social Activism**
- _____ **Environmentalism**
- _____ **Health & Wellbeing**
- _____ **Administration**

SPIRITUAL EXPERTISE AND EDUCATIONAL ACUMEN.

Unity congregations look to their leaders as sources of spiritual knowledge and inspiration. When hiring a minister, it is important to find one whose spiritual expertise and acumen align with the congregation's educational priorities and demographics. The two questions in this section are intended to identify our TOP priorities.

1. Interests/Area of Expertise: Please identify the TOP THREE areas of expertise you seek from the incoming minister. Rank your top three in order: 1, 2, and 3 with 1 being your strongest area of preference/focus.

- _____ Sunday Services
- _____ Prayer & Meditation / Pastoral Care
- _____ Development and Facilitation of Classes
- _____ Outreach in the Community
- _____ Earth Care
- _____ Interfaith & World Religions
- _____ Current Trending Spirituality

2. Spiritual Expertise and Educational Acumen. Please identify the TOP THREE areas of expertise you seek from the incoming minister. Rank your top three in order: 1, 2, and 3 with 1 being your strongest area of preference/focus.

- _____ Unity Foundational Teachings
- _____ Bible and Metaphysics
- _____ Fillmore (only)
- _____ Classic Unity Authors
- _____ New Thought Authors
- _____ World Religions
- _____ Current Trending Spirituality

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

PLEASE RETURN BY MARCH 16, 2025.

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