# I Want to Get Involved!

- Add my name to the list of volunteers who can be contacted on short notice to provide one or more of the Sanctuary Hosting services.
- I would like to learn more about volunteering with Centro de Ayuda (Center of Help) to assist immigrant families.
- I am interested in learning more about tutoring with the Anne Arundel County Literacy Council.
- I would like to get more involved with the Sanctuary Church Committee.
- I can assist with fundraising to support the UUCA Sanctuary Church effort.
- $\Box$  I can donate furnishings (cots, cribs, etc.) on short notice.
- □ I am willing to assist in the provision of 24/7 hosting should UUCA provide sanctuary.
- I would like to participate in the support of an immigrant or family being assisted through the AIJN
- I would like to receive updates on the efforts and needs of the AIJN

Name:

Telephone:

Email:

Completed forms may be dropped off at the church office during normal business hours or on any Sunday.

# **ANNAPOLIS IMMIGRATION** JUSTICE NETWORK

UUCA participates in the Annapolis Immigration Justice Network (AIJN) in these and other efforts.

- Providing representation on the governing board
- Connecting immigrants to Esperanza Center, World Relief, and University of Maryland Law immigration Clinic for legal consultation
- Identifying legal resources and seeking funding for legal support for immigrants
- Providing access to medical and dental resources in the Annapolis area
- Connecting immigrants to food and clothing resources in the Annapolis area

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- Seeking donations to meet the needs of immigrant individual or families seeking assistance
- Supporting efforts to strengthen the immigrant community

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The UUCA's sanctuary efforts are funded from individual donations and group fundraising efforts.

To donate, make your check out to UUCA, and write "SANCTUARY" in the memo line of your check. Checks can be mailed to the church or dropped off at the church office during normal office hours or on any Sunday.

Your donation may be used to support the efforts of UUCA or the Annapolis Immigration Justice Network.



The Unitarian **Universalist Church** of Annapolis

# A Sanctuary Church

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### Ways to Volunteer

# **Community Outreach**

- To engage in partnership with organizations that effectively serve the educational and human service needs of the immigrant community
- To engage UUCA members in support of programs that benefit the immigrant community
- To encourage UUCA participation in building interpersonal relationships with immigrant individuals and families (tutoring, mentoring, etc)

### **Outreach Efforts**

Outreach is working with the Center of Help to determine how UUCA members can expand our support of the local immigrant communities through the many programs and services it offers.

#### Contact:

Anita Ramundo (a\_ramundo@yahoo.com)

Outreach is partnering with the Anne Arundel County Literacy Council to identify volunteer opportunities to assist with the tutoring of nonnative English speakers, of the illiterate, and of those seeking Graduation Equivalency Diplomas. Many of our immigrant community members fit one or more of these categories.

Contact:

Stephanie Anderson (sjacape@gmail.com)

### **Sanctuary Hosting**

- To ensure that, should we host one or more sanctuary guests the physical plant and services provided would offer safety and dignity
- To offer ways in which UUCA members and friends can become involved in the hosting or support of an immigrant family

# **Hosting Needs**

Sanctuary Hosting addresses UUCA hosting an immigrant family and/or supporting other churches or organizations that may be engaged in hosting efforts.

On-call (little or no prior notice) volunteer support may be needed for the following:

- · Donation, delivery and set-up of furnishings
- On-site hosting to accomplish 24/7 sanctuary
- Grocery shopping
- · Preparing and delivering meals to families
- Transportation to or from school, shopping, errands, appointments
- Running other errands
- Interpretation services

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### **Justice Advocacy**

- To work within the Annapolis Immigration Justice Network to advocate for and support immigrants potentially facing unjust treatment.
- To engage UUCA members in providing support for immigration justice activities such as letter writing campaigns, ICE check-in accompaniment, etc. to advocate for undocumented immigrants,
- To engage UUCA members in providing volunteer and financial support of the goals and objectives of the Annapolis Immigration Justice Network.

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