Music Co-Directors Annual Report 5-15-20

Since Candace Onweller, Gretchen Ohmann and Nan Lundeen officially began work in October 2019 as Music Co-Directors we have:

- Involved children more in worship services through teaching and leading them in a kidfriendly processional in which they sing and/or play percussion instruments.
- Beginning with BUUF's first virtual service March 15, have shifted all our energies to providing familiar, uplifting music that is technologically viable. This includes many more hours of volunteer work than the usual amount we routinely provide to supplement our paid hours.
- Established a list of BUUF musicians outside of choir who are willing to provide music for services and special events.

Our goals are:

- To provide more child-friendly music and promote children's involvement in services.
- To encourage more musicians to contribute to services.
- To continue to be flexible so that we can respond to the congregation's needs.

Budgetary needs:

- \$400 for an additional mic, a stand for it, and the connections needed to hook it up, including professional assistance for the hookup, if needed.
- \$270 to tune the piano twice annually. This should be a part of every annual budget.

Respectfully submitted,

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