

## 2022 Campaign Timeline

### January: Getting Started

Gathering major gifts, building enthusiasm, contacting friends beyond the congregation

### February: All-Church Pledging

February 13–Inspiration Sunday with Rev. Vail Weller; Pledge Parties on weekends

### March: Celebrating Our Success

March 13–Celebration Sunday; final pledges come in!

### April-May: Finalizing the Plans

Refining project list, planning overall schedule

### Summer: Contracting the Work

Signing contracts, getting on contractors' queues



## Congregants say:

*"In awe of the building project team; it's amazing and well thought out."*

*"Felt really heard by the Building Committee and Rev. Nancy about changes needed to the building."*

Your Capital Campaign Team:

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**Join us for  
Inspiration Sunday  
February 13  
featuring  
Rev. Vail Weller!**

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**Building a New Way:**

**Making Space  
for Radical  
Inclusion**

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## Building a New Way to Fulfill Our Mission

### New Ways for a New Era

The challenges of the 21st century call the First Unitarian Church of San José to be flexible and inclusive. When our building reflects this open-heartedness, our mission to Make Love Visible soars.

### The Building Shares Our Message

With a new roof and fresh paint, the building speaks: We are thriving! Come in to find hope, community, and joy. Join us as we help to make the world a better place.

With a professional audio/visual system, air conditioning, flexible seating, and a new carpet that holds the labyrinth at its heart, FUCSJ lets everyone know: We care about your comfort, inclusion, and safety. We offer you the gifts of beauty and peace.

### We Are Ready!

After a year of preparation by our Capital Campaign Team and Rev. Nancy, this winter's Financial Feasibility Study says we are ready to succeed. Our response to the COVID-19 pandemic proves we can face any challenge when we work together!



## Building a New Way by Giving with Joy

Sign up for a Pledge Party by emailing us at [stewardship@sanjoseuu.org](mailto:stewardship@sanjoseuu.org). See the Annual Pledge Drive brochure for dates and times.

Give with joy, generosity, and faith! Your pledge may be paid all at once or over the course of 1-3 years. Let us stretch together!

When you help us to raise \$1.8 million, we can accomplish all the most requested priorities for our Capital Campaign. This amount is 4.3 times our last annual pledge. Some of you may be able to give 5 times your annual pledge, while many may not. Every pledge makes a difference! This Gift Table shows how we can achieve our goal:

Gift Range	# Needed	Totals
\$200,000 to \$275,000	1	\$250,000
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1	\$175,000
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2	\$200,000
\$60,000 to \$99,999	3	\$195,000
\$30,000 to \$59,999	6	\$250,000
\$20,000 to \$29,999	10	\$250,000
\$10,000 to \$19,999	15	\$200,000
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	\$175,000
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20	\$65,000
\$1,000 to \$2,499	15	\$25,000
Up to \$999	Many	\$15,000

## Building a New Way with These Proposed Projects

### To Ensure Health, Safety, and Comfort:

Add air conditioning and HEPA air filtering; replace the wrinkled, worn carpet in the sanctuary; add a security system; renovate the main floor's gender-inclusive bathroom for water conservation and comfort.



### To Preserve Our Home:

Replace the leaking roof and inadequate gutter system; protect and preserve our stained glass windows by repairing wood rot in window frames; restore the front doors; preserve the integrity of our historic structure by painting the exterior.

### To Create Inclusive Community Space:

Install a professional audio/visual system that expands possibilities for FUCSJ, community, and rental events; replace current sanctuary seating with comfortable, well-designed chairs for flexibility and accessibility.

Find out more about the Capital Campaign at [sanjoseuu.org/capitalcampaign](http://sanjoseuu.org/capitalcampaign).