

COVENANT OF RIGHT RELATIONS

First Unitarian Church of Wilmington

(Adopted at the Annual Meeting, May 18, 2008)

With a sincere desire that our congregation flourish, I promise:

to **be mindful to nurture** my own spiritual health, so that I may help bring a spirit of balance and wholeness to our church community;

to **be attentive** to guests and new members as well as supporting and encouraging those whom I already know, thereby contributing to an atmosphere of welcome and hospitality;

to **seek to understand** others with humility and an open mind, and interact with my fellow UU members with integrity and respect;

to **use wisdom and patience** in challenging or conflicting situations, and to seek honest reconciliation while recognizing we may not always come to agreement;

to **be involved**, knowing that my skills, resources, wisdom and good will are important to my church community;

to **uphold our covenant** to each other in our interactions in the wider community, as exemplars of our empowering faith.

I join with others in this covenant as we seek to become known for our vitality, warmth, and transformative energy.

