

Stuart Hastings first joined a UU church in about 1978, when he, his wife Eileen, and their two daughters were living in suburban Buffalo. Eventually he served on the Board of that church. After moving to Pittsburgh in 1987, he and Eileen shopped around a bit, finally joining First Church in 1990. Since then he has served on the Board twice and the Nominating Committee once. Until recently, most of his other church activities were in support of Eileen's many roles here. After she died in 2018, he wanted to honor her memory by sponsoring a lecture about UU

Humanism, an interest of hers to which he also subscribed. This has led to the formation of a Humanist Group in the church, one with a different emphasis from previous such groups here, as far as he is aware.

Professionally, he taught university level mathematics for 46 years, most recently at Pitt, where he is an emeritus professor. His research has continued sporadically since he retired, with a recent spurt which, together with the Humanist Group and activities with friends and family, keeps him comfortably busy. Mary Pat Mengato became a member of First Unitarian Church in 1993. Her husband Larry and she were looking for a spiritual home for their family. While their two now adult daughters were attending RE, Mary Pat taught in RE and served some years on the RE board. She have been active on the Khasi Hills Committee since 2003. She served on the Music Committee, Music and Arts Team and on the Tapestry Concert Series Committee. Mary Pat's interest in



embodied worship led her to be a founding member, and to choreograph for and dance with the Dance Choir since 2003. In the greater Pittsburgh community Mary Pat participates in other spiritual and arts related events.



Margaret Fuhrman has been a member of First Church since 2001. She met her husband, Brian Ramsey, at church and they were married by Rev Herndon in 2008. Margaret was a member of the Social Justice Committee. She was in charge of the Shelter Meal from 2005-2010, and was our church's representative to PIIN for several years in the 2000's. Brian and Margaret served on the Green Sanctuary Committee and the Committee for Justice in the Middle East. Margaret is currently a member of the Women's Alliance and the Racial Justice Task Force. Cathy Rohrer has been a member of First Unitarian for over 20 years. Cathy and her husband, Greg, joined when their oldest son was in kindergarten, their daughter was in preschool, and a third son was on the way! A Montessori teacher by profession, she spent many of the past years



teaching a Montessori-inspired RE class for the preK-K and 1st-3rd children. She served for several years on the RE committee, then was on the Board from 2016-2019. Cathy was one of the original members of the Vision, Identity, Mission (VIM) team, a standing committee reporting to the Board, and has remained on VIM to the present time. She is also a long-time member of the Dance Choir and a regular attendee of a First U environmental justice book club.