

HOW DOES THE FOUNDATION WORK?

The Foundation's annual grant application is March 15 but grant applications may also be submitted when needs arise. Awards are made to provide life-changing medical and dental care, housing for families in extreme poverty, scholarships to gifted students without means, clean water in rural villages, and a safehouse for migrants seeking to regain their health during dangerous travels.

HOW TO CONTACT US?

You can get in touch with the Foundation team by email and find details about the NGO partners, their key needs, initiatives, as well as specifics about the impact of their work and the reach that each organization has. You can even find various volunteering opportunities!

 Foundationinfo@uufsma.org

 uufsma.org/foundation

HOW TO DONATE?

Donations can be sent by check or electronic transfer in USD. The same applies for Retirement Required Minimum Distributions (RMD).

Donations in Mexican pesos can be sent by electronic transfer (SPEI) to the beneficiary: FRATERNIDAD UNIVERSALISTA UNITARIA DE SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE A.C.


Please get in touch to request banking info at:

Foundationinfo@uufsma.org

Donate by text message:

Text "amount + justice" to give to the SOCIAL JUSTICE FOUNDATION

example: give "\$100 justice"

 +1 413-207-9143

Donate electronically through our website and PayPal's UUFSMA Social Justice Foundation .

Scan to donate, or visit:

https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=T2CUHTXVH7QPC



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SOCIAL JUSTICE FOUNDATION

WHAT IS THE FOUNDATION?

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of San Miguel de Allende has generously supported our Mexican neighbors with great needs for more than 35 years. In 2023 the UU Fellowship established the new Social Justice Foundation to focus more deeply on social justice, expand the reach of our work, launch global fundraising, and form partnerships with other UU congregations.



HOW CAN YOU HELP?

THERE ARE MANY WAYS...

UU Congregations

We will provide personalized recommendations to UU partner congregations to match their interests with the needs of our Mexican neighbors. We also welcome youth volunteers to travel to San Miguel for a hands-on volunteer experience.

Individual Donors

You can donate directly to the Foundation, which has US 501c3 nonprofit and Mexican civil association status. Some retirees choose to share their Required Minimum Distributions with the Foundation. Gifts of all sizes go to carefully vetted NGOs that serve our Mexican neighbors with great needs.

Stewards

Interested volunteers serve as liaisons between the NGOs and the Foundation leadership team, providing critically important feedback on the needs of the NGOs.



ABBA House

Humanitarian services for weary and injured Central American migrants, including a full recovery program for amputees.

Caminos de Agua

Provides clean water, rainwater harvesting, and dry toilets for communities that have lost their watershed.

Casita Linda

Modeled after Habitat for Humanity, houses are built for qualified families in extreme poverty.

CEDESA

Trains local leaders and provides technology for the comprehensive development of rural communities.

Centro Infantil de Los Angeles

High-quality daycare and preschool education for 100 children who live in poverty. Single mothers can work knowing their children are safe and learning.

EEESMA School for the Deaf

Career training and “signed” education for hearing-impaired young people.

Fundación de Apoyo Infantil

Community center for “at-risk” youth, with education, arts, and ecological programs.

Jóvenes Adelante

University scholarship program for top students, including long-term mentoring, equipment, and books.

Libros para Todos

Children from low-income, rural families receive books, meet the authors, and learn the joy of reading.

Mujeres en Cambio

Scholarships to motivated girls from poor rural villages for secondary school through college.

Niños con Autismo

Diagnosis, evaluation, and individual treatment plans for autistic children.

Patronato Pro Niños

Medical, dental, and psychological care for children and adolescents from economically deprived families.