

2017 Communications Committee Annual Report

The Communications Committee is responsible for the newsletter, website and facebook page.

In 2017, Nathan Williams, Nancy Rhodes, Brenda Mitchell, Erin Broich, Afnan Elsheikh and Eugenia Kendall served as members of the Communications Committee. Thanks also go to several others who have made our tasks easier, such as Alan Diehl for assisting with Facebook posts and Jen Yukl who continues to support the Council by creating and distributing the Inter-Religious Dialogue event flyers.

Three newsletters were distributed this year. Thank you to those who have written articles in the newsletter including: Charles, Nathan and Alan for writing about their experience in volunteering at the homeless over-flow shelter; Charles for writing about his experience meeting Eboo Patel; Brian for writing about the Children of Abraham name change; Todd and Joan for writing a recap of the Holocaust memorial service; Charles for writing an article honoring Cedric and Taha; Nathan who coordinated all of the updates, formatting and printing, Brenda for mailing and Brenda, Nathan, Meredith, Nancy, Erin, and Afnan for helping fold and address the newsletters.

Thank you to Brenda for coordinating the writing, printing and mailing of the Annual Membership letter.

As of Dec.10, our website has received 19,549 visits. This is 1,106 more visits than last year's total of 18,443. We receive on average 52 visit a day.

Our Facebook page, that was created last year, has 134 likes and 135 followers. As of Dec. 10th, we have had 37 posts. Our highest-viewed post was for Nathan's farewell with 1.3 thousand views, followed by our Show of Unity prayer service promotion at 714 views and the news coverage video link at 513 views.

Thanks again to everyone who supported the Communications Committee efforts this year.

Respectfully Submitted,

Eugenia Kendall, Communications Committee Chair