

In June 2011, the conference body passed a resolution empowering research for the goal of creating a new organization that would integrate the missions served by Unity Worldwide Ministries with Unity Worldwide Headquarters at Unity Village. In a subsequent joint board meeting in August 2011, it was acknowledged that both organizations recognize that financial stability is essential for a healthy integration process which will be complex, require legal consultation, funds, time, and attention from staff. Therefore, the number one step for moving forward at this time is having our financial operations healthy and stable.

In a recent meeting of the integration team (comprised of leadership from both boards) additional actions include:

- 1) Conducting periodic meetings to monitor financial progress,
- 2) Clarifying the steps to creating an organization that unites our efforts,
- 3) Remaining cognizant of trends which may impact our efforts,
- 4) Looking for ways in which our current communication and collaboration can be effectively increased, and
- 5) Remaining open to new ideas which may further our objective.

We realize this process may take longer than envisioned. Yet we remain committed to serving the world together as we connect deeply, nourish souls, stretch minds, expand consciousness and celebrate the sacred on our journey to integration.