## **Previous Activities - FUUSB Racial Justice Team**

## 2022

- UU 8th Principle Ratified June 2022!!
- Actively supported Vermont Racial Justice Alliance's Abolish Slavery in VT Proposition 2 campaign - Passed November 2022!
- Vermont Interfaith Action (VIA) Active participation in the VIA Economic Opportunities and Public Safety committees in support of the Vermont Racial Justice Alliance initiatives.
- <u>Richard Kemp Center</u> Championed and brought about the congregation's significant contribution to the realization of the Center's creation and work. https://richardkempcenter.org/

## 2021

- Organized multiple *Me and White Supremacy* book groups for FUUSB congregants and greater Burlington community
- First REWIRE learning group Spring 2021
- VIA subcommittee participation

## 2020

- o Initiated *Me and White Supremacy* book groups
- Joined Vermont Interfaith Action (VIA) racial justice work as way to support VT Racial Justice Alliance and provide FUUSB representation.
  - 1. Public Safety committee
  - 2. Economic Opportunity committee
- Multiple Black History/Racial Justice walking tours
- Visit to Rokeby Museum, North Ferrisburgh
- o Compiled list of racial justice resources

Right: Proposal 2 Launch at First Unitarian Universalist Society of Burlington. Prop 2 to Abolish Slavery with No Exceptions passed in November 2022 with 81% of voters supporting the amendment to our state's constitution. We were one of four states to pass such an amendment this year, bringing the total number of states without exceptions for slavery and involuntary servitude up to eight nationwide.

