

2025

Calendar Call for Photos

Submit your photos for the United Church's calendar!

**Deadline
Jan. 15
2024**

We're looking for photos of United Churches being church

- **Interior shots of people:** at worship, church events, the choir singing, architectural details, altar displays, the communion table, a filled baptismal font, etc.
- **Exterior shots of churches:** not just church buildings but also community gardens, architectural details, greening projects, outdoor services, social justice events, etc. **Remember to include winter, spring, and fall shots too.**
- We'd love to see more photos from Manitoba, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Newfoundland and Labrador please!

What we'll do

- We'll pay a \$100 honorarium for every photo chosen.
- We'll credit each photographer.
- We'll send you a copy of the calendar when it's printed.

How to submit

Please use our online submission form: unitedchurch.formstack.com/forms/calendar_submission

More information can be found on the [Submit Your Photos](#) page on united-church.ca.

Do's

- Send BRIGHT, colourful, crisp pictures, that are well lit.
- Take photos in all seasons.
- Send large, high-resolution images.
- Avoid cropping photos too much or even at all.
- **Remember: Calendar photos are horizontal—we need WIDE photos!**

Don'ts

- Please do not e-mail photos!
- **Avoid cropping, adding special effects, filters, or text.**
- Photos shot at night or that are very dark may not work.
- Avoid distractions such as hydro wires, cars, microphones, etc. as much as possible.

Photo quality is important! See note on reverse!



Lisa Forestell



Gil Collicott



The United Church of Canada



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Entry Form for 2025 Calendar Photos

(please use one form per photographer)



Photographer's full name: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postal code:

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Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Photo credit as it should appear if images are chosen: _____

Name and location of United Church(es) in your photo: _____

- I am including written permission from any people (or from the parents/legal guardians of children) who appear in my photos whose faces are clearly visible.
- I am including written permission from any artist whose work appears in my photos (e.g., sculptor, quilter, painter).

Submit online

unitedchurch.formstack.com/forms/calendar_submission

- Put photographer's name in the file name—e.g., HenryLee-TrinityUC.jpg, SusanSchwartz_CampChapel.jpg.
- Upload in batches of up to 5 photos.
- A batch cannot exceed 25 MB total. If file sizes are large, you will need to send in smaller batches.

Photo quality is IMPORTANT!

Please make sure images are sharp when enlarged to 8" x 10".

Digital images should be from cameras of at least 6 megapixels in resolution set to the highest setting. Save jpegs at maximum quality; ideally, file size should be large ranging from 2–8 MB.

Please be wary of using cellphone or tablet cameras—not all cameras are created equal!

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or contact: creativeservices@united-church.ca

Thank you for submitting! Please note that only chosen photographers will be contacted.