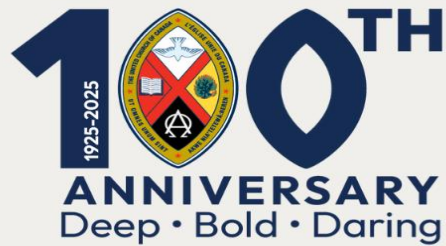


HERE I AM



**UCW Worship Service for the 100th Anniversary
of the United Church of Canada**

“Here I Am”

March 2, 2025

Welcome:

† Trinity is Welcoming, Open, Inclusive, Accessible and an Affirming Congregation.

† Our building is open 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, Monday through Thursday - (Closed on Statutory Holidays)

† Please remember that **Rev. Takouhi’s weekend** is Monday and Tuesday. If Monday is a Statutory Holiday, the weekend includes Wednesday.

† If you wish to meet with **Rev. Takouhi** please contact her directly: **613-777-0880** – revtakouhi@terrautopia.ca

Welcome,



as we gather for worship this Sunday morning. If you are a visitor or a newcomer to this Community of Faith, either in person or virtually, we extend a warm welcome. May you come in as a stranger but depart knowing you are part of the family.

Welcome Home!

Land Acknowledgment

Announcements – God In My Week

Introit: MV 7 "Gather Us In" (Choir)

Lighting the Christ Candle

Call to Worship

Gathering Prayer

(Please stand as able)

Opening Hymn: VU 395 "Come In, Come In and Sit Down"

Prayer of Understanding (CGP 0M004 used with permission)

Scriptures: 1 Samuel 3: 1–19
Matthew 10: 5–15

Reflection: Here We Are!

(Please stand as able)

Hymn: VU 509 "I, the Lord of Sea & Sky"

Our Offerings – Supporting God's Ministries:

*Mindful of the abundance we have received from God,
we offer ourselves and our gifts to the world that God Loves
so much.*

*For all those joining us virtually, on YouTube or Cogeco TV
please go to our website and find out the many ways you
may contribute and partner with us in carrying the Work of
Jesus... **"Our offering plates are at the back of the
sanctuary and aren't passed hand to hand since COVID
and they aren't brought forward."***

Offering Prayer

Communion/Agape Meal

Introduction to the Agape Meal

Gathering at the Table (responsive)

Grace Before the Meal (sung)

The Bread & The Cup (responsive)

The bread and the cup are shared

(Please stand as able)

Hymn VU 473 "Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence"

Prayers of the People (VU 909, adapted)

(Please stand as able)

Hymn: VU 332 "The Church's One Foundation"

Commissioning

Closing Prayer

Sending VU 964 "Go Now in Peace" (To be spoken)

Go now in peace, go now in peace.

May the love of God surround you

Everywhere, everywhere you may go.

Postlude MV 135 "Called by Earth and Sky" (Congregational Choir Practice)

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Announcements

Please join us for Social Time after Worship in the Fellowship Hall – If you wish to volunteer to help with Social time, the sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. Individuals or groups are invited to sign-up. **Please note that there will be no social time after the service on March 2nd due to the Covenanting Worship Celebration at 2 p.m.**

Please remember Smiths Falls Community Food Bank in Your Generosity – Your Donations are appreciated immensely.

Offering Options

Trinity has several ways in which to offer our financial gifts for the life and work of the church, by...

- E-transfers to secretary@trinityunitedsf.ca
- delivery to church office
- through Trinity's website DONATE button
- and by PAR

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A note from the Property Team

Note that if you have any custodial/maintenance issues regarding the building, please contact **John Quinn**, who will now be the liaison to call in order to solve property issues. He can be reached at 613-206-1795.

Covenanting Worship Celebration – Sunday, March 2 at 2 p.m. to be held at Trinity United Church in Smiths Falls.

Rev. Takouhi Demirdjian-Petro will be covenanting with Trinity Pastoral Charge, Smiths Falls. The Rev. Michael Blair, the General Secretary of the United Church of Canada, is our special guest speaker. Following the service, refreshments will be served in the Fellowship Hall. **All are Welcome!**

UCW Meeting – Monday, March 3rd. Gather at 9:00 for the meeting which will start at 9:30. For those who also go to Chair Yoga, please note that it will be starting at 12 noon instead of 11 a.m.

Freezin' for a Reason! The 2025 Polar Plunge fundraiser for Special Olympics is coming up on Saturday March 8th 11:00am to 1:30pm. Sandy Rankin from Trinity United Church's Chill Team will be jumping so you don't have to. We would love some donations to help the cause. Please go to <https://soopolarplunge.crowdchange.ca/91815/team/52485> and fill out your pledge. See Sandy or Patty from Outreach and Social Justice for more information. Thank you for your support!

This Week at Trinity...

Monday, March 3 – Office UCW Meeting Chair Yoga	9am – 1pm 9:30am (gather at 9am) 12:00pm – 1:00pm
Tuesday, March 4 – Office Service at Van Horne (UCW Coffee break following the service)	9am – 1pm 2pm – 3pm
Wednesday, March 5 - Office Bible Study – All Are Welcome	9 am – 1pm 9:30am – Downstairs Parlor
Thursday, March 6 - Office	9 am – 1pm
Friday, March 7	Office Closed
Saturday, March 8	Office Closed
Sunday, March 9 Worship Celebration	Office Closed 10:30 a.m. Leader: Rev. Takouhi

The National UCW executive invites you to
celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the United Church of Canada. Working
together we have created this
bulletin and worship service for you to use.

Your National UCW executive

Debra Sparkes-Mercer	Margaret Guitard	Juanita Andrews
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Carolle Dallas-Arbuckle	Cheryl Sullivan	

President: Barbara Davison
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UCW Support Staff at UCC: Angie Musonza

We would like to acknowledge with gratitude the women from; the
Presbyterian Church, the Methodist Church, the Congregational Church,
who decided to continue their service to God, as part of the United Church
of Canada and later became known as the UCW (United Church Women).
You have blessed us all.

We would like to thank Carrie Arbuckle Smith for taking our design and
turning it into a bulletin cover.