

Prairie to Pine Region Nominations 2024

Prairie to Pine Executive

1	Erica Wittevrongel	past chair	3-2025
2	Dawn Rolke	cochair	1-2026
3	Lynne Sanderson	cochair	1-2025
4	Doug Neufeld	cochair-elect	1-2025
5	Pat Bird	past chair	3-2025
6	Jennifer Pakula	Treasurer	2-2026
7	M Chorney		2-2025
8	James deBeer		3-2025
9	Craig Miller		2-2025
10	Tricia Gerhard		1-2025
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12	Youth Representative (alternating)		1-2025

Officer of the Court

James deBeer

Lori Stewart

Property Commission

1	Ken Thomas	Chair	3-2025
2	Chuck Ross		3-2025
3	Wayne Sanderson		3-2026
4	<i>vacant</i>		
5	<i>vacant</i>		

Trustees

	Bev Simpson		3-2026
	Teresa Melnychuk	secretary	3-2026
	Al Franchuk	chair	3-2026

Nominating Committee

1	Betty Kelly	past chair	3-2025
2	Joey Dearborn	chair	3-2026
4	Frances Flook		2-2025
5	Marissa Smirl		1-2026
6	Harold Kenyon		1-2026

Pastoral Relations Commission

1	Patrick Woodbeck	chair	1-2026
2	Harold Kenyon		4-2026
3	Sherri McConnell		3-2026
4	Linda Buchannon		2-2025
5	Aileen Urquhart		3-2025
6	Paul Duval		1-2026
7	Lorraine Kakegamic		1-2026
8	Simba Mazhara		1-2026

Pastoral Relations Liaisons

1	Mary Best
2	Linda Buchanan
3	Mona Denton
4	Loraine Kakegamic
5	Paul Duval
6	Harold Kenyon
7	Aileen Urquhart
8	Patrick Woodbeck
9	Sherri McConnell
10	<i>vacant</i>
11	<i>vacant</i>
12	<i>vacant</i>
13	<i>vacant</i>
14	<i>vacant</i>
15	<i>vacant</i>
16	<i>vacant</i>
17	<i>vacant</i>
18	<i>vacant</i>
19	<i>vacant</i>
20	<i>vacant</i>

Committee on Ministry Personnel Support

1	David Howell	liaison to regional council	3-2026
2	Joan Jarvis	secretary	3-2026
3	Christopher Davis		2-2025
4	Susan Tillman		2-2026
5	Cathy Maxwell		2-2026
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Committee on Community of Faith Support

1	Pat Bird	chair	3-2026
2	Heather Sandilands		2-2025
3	Silas Lee		2-2025
4	Irene Chabluk		2-2026
5	Bill Millar		2-2026
6	<i>vacant</i>		
7	<i>vacant</i>		
8	<i>vacant</i>		
9	<i>vacant</i>		
10	<i>vacant</i>		
11	<i>vacant</i>		
12	<i>vacant</i>		

Committee on Lay Ministry Support

1	Don Schau	chair	4-2026
2	Dianne Kowalchuk		2-2026
3	Hope Mattus		3-2025
4	Jim Warburton		2-2025
5	Paul Lemire		1-2026
6	<i>vacant</i>		
7	<i>vacant</i>		
8	<i>vacant</i>		
*	<i>vacant</i>	chaplain	

Mission Support Grants Committee

1	Anna Stewart		3-2025
2	Anne Duncan		2-2026
3	Joan Neuman		2-2026

Young Adults and Youth Committee (YAAY)

	Emma Seamone	Adult Advisor	
	Tanis Podobni	Adult Advisor	
1	Xander Miller	Co-Convenor	
2	Marissa Smirl (interim)	Co-Convenor	
3	Julia Antonyshyn	Secretary	
4	George Meggison	Co-Coordinators	Coordinator
5	Elizabeth Kenyon	Website Coordinator	
6	George Meggison	Executive Liaison	
7	Chelsea Sosiak	Social Media Manager	

8	Selina Santos	Social Media Manager
9	Elizabeth Kenyon	Website Coordinator
10	Xander Miller	Nominations Manager
11	George Meggison	Executive Liaison
		Staff Assistant
12	Sarah Meggison	Western Event Coordinator
13	Aidan McLeod	Google Drive & Archives Administrator - Rock Lake United Church Camp
14	RJ Martinez	Representative -
15	Chelsea Sosiak	Travelling Youth Group Representative -
16	Ayla Hamilton	Reconciliation Representative
		Safer Spaces Covenant Sub-Committee - Lilja Best & Xander Miller

Succession Planning Sub-Committee - Marissa Smirl, Chelsea Sosiak, George Meggison, & Xander Miller

Equity and Diversity Committee

1	Linda Rodgers	secretary	3-2026
2	Alan Gershuny		3-2025
3	Carrie Martens		1-2025
4	Tannis Podobni		1-2025
5	Susan Wepler		1-2025
6	Kristen Woodburke	chair	1-2025
7	Heather Robbins		1-2025
8	<i>vacant</i>		1-2025

Board/Council Appointments of Region

Annual Meeting of Initiatives for Just Communities

Caryn Douglas	2022
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Prairie To Pine United Church Development Inc.

1	Dwight Rutherford		1-2024
2	Dennis Butcher		1-2025
3	Del Sexsmith		2-2023
4	Betty Young	secretary	2-2024
5	Stuart Fletcher-Cook	chair	2-2025
6	Gordon Goossen	treasurer	3-2024
7	Lisa Lix	vice-chair	3-2024
8	Teresa Moysey		member
9	Sharon Miller		member
10	Waren Thomson		member
11	Kirk Windsor		member

Fred Douglas Society

- 1 *vacant* indefinite
- 2 *vacant*

Jubilee Fund

- 1 Lynda Trono 1-2023

Manitoba Council for International Cooperation (MCIC)

- 1 Ellen Wood 2-2022

Manitoba Multifaith Council

- 1 Diane Dwarka 2022

Rock Lake United Church Camp Inc.

- Kathryn Avery-Deines
- Carole Bere
- Kelvin Campbell
- Jan Martens
- Rodney Guilford
- Bonnie Robbins
- Steve Harbicht
- Nancy MacAulay
- Margaret Treble

University of Winnipeg - Board of Regents

- 1 Grant Christensen 2-2027
- 2 Evan Podaima 1-2025
- 3 Mac Balacano 2026
- 4 Michelle Pereira 2-2025
- 5 Shanna Sterling 3-2025
- 6 Kathleen McCandless 2-2026
- 7 Greg Messer 2-2026
- 8 Richard Jones 2-2026
- 9 *vacant* student Rep 2024
- 10 *vacant* student Rep 2024

Wellman Lake United Church Camp Board of Directors

- Joyce Bateman
- Breana How
- Blair Mullin
- Lucile Neufield

Max Polon
Kendal Stechyshyn
Candace Wenzel
Lanaya Harris

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Teresa Moysey

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