

Prairie to Pine Regional Council
Lay Worship Leaders and Retired Designated Lay Ministers
July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026

Prairie to Pine Regional Council is blessed by many trained lay people who serve the Church as Licensed Lay Worship Leaders or Designated Lay Ministers. These folks have taken the required training and been licensed as those who are equipped to provide Sunday morning worship on a supply basis.

A pastoral charge must issue T4As to those Lay Worship Leaders to whom they have paid more than \$500 in a calendar year. Prairie to Pine Regional Council does not currently have a policy on minimum salary for LLWL services. Conversations about remuneration should take place between LLWL and pastoral charge when services are booked.

Lay Worship Leaders are not intended to provide continual coverage every Sunday to a pastoral charge. There are many different circumstances of pastoral charges in our Prairie to Pine Regional Council that require the reliance upon our Licensed Lay Worship Leaders but in general, it would be encouraged to use a variety of LLWLs over the year. Designated Lay Ministers who are receiving a pension are eligible for appointments. The Pastoral Relations Commission has yet to set a policy naming a specific number of Sundays per month.

The information is organized geographically from east to west in terms of where the Lay Worship Leaders are located. It includes the church where membership is held, email, phone contact and the general area where the Lay Worship Leader is willing to offer services.

Group A- East of Winnipeg

Julie Dzeoba First United Church-Dryden

Contact info: jdzeoba@drytel.net Phone: 807-227-2333

Julie is available within Dryden and Vermilion Bay areas.

Nancy Dzeoba-Macklem Vermilion Bay United Church

Contact info: ndzeoba@gmail.com Phone (H) 807-227-2333; (C) 204-890-3291

Nancy is available within Dryden and Vermilion Bay areas.

Millie Lewis Cloverdale United Church

Contact info: millielewis@hotmail.com; Phone: 204-801-0788

Millie is available in Winnipeg and within a 100 km range of Winnipeg. Millie needs at least a week's notice.

Diane McKenty Grey Street United Church

Contact info: dmckenty@gmail.com Phone: 204-918-2041

Diane is available in Winnipeg and 1 hour outside the city, e.g. as far north as Grand Beach or Gimli; needs a minimum of 3 weeks' notice.

Janet Richardson Knox United Church-Kenora

Contact info: richardson_jan@hotmail.com Phone: 807-548-2184

Jan is available in Knox United Church-Kenora, Lake of the Woods Chapel, Sioux Narrows and St. Andrew's United Church, Keewatin.

Group B- immediately north of Winnipeg

Millie Lewis Cloverdale United Church

Contact info: millielewis@hotmail.com; Phone: 204-801-0788

Millie is available in Winnipeg and within a 100 km range of Winnipeg. Millie needs at least a week's notice.

Diane McKenty Grey Street United Church

Contact info: dmckenty@gmail.com Phone: 204-918-2041

Diane is available in Winnipeg and 1 hour outside the city, e.g. as far north as Grand Beach or Gimli; needs a minimum of 3 weeks' notice.

Daniel Schwartz Bird's Hill United Church

Contact info: dcschwartz15@outlook.com Phone: 204-223-3291

Daniel is available within Winnipeg and surrounding areas and the former Selkirk Presbytery area.

Group C- Winnipeg

Millie Lewis Cloverdale United Church

Contact info: millielewis@hotmail.com Phone: 204-801-0788

Millie is available in Winnipeg and within a 100 km range of Winnipeg. Millie needs at least a week's notice.

Maureen McCartney John Black Memorial United Church

Contact info: mamct@mymts.net Phone: 204-582-9925

Maureen is available within Winnipeg and the surrounding area no further than Selkirk and Stonewall.

Diane McKenty Grey Street United Church

Contact info: dmckenty@gmail.com Phone: 204-918-2041

Diane is available in Winnipeg and 1 hour outside the city, e.g. as far north as Grand Beach or Gimli; needs a minimum of 3 weeks' notice.

Group D- West of Winnipeg

Millie Lewis Cloverdale United Church

Contact info: millielewis@hotmail.com Phone: 204-801-0788

Millie is available in Winnipeg and within a 100 km range of Winnipeg. Millie needs at least a week's notice.

Diane McKenty Grey Street United Church

Contact info: dmckenty@gmail.com Phone: 204-918-2041

Diane is available in Winnipeg and 1 hour outside the city, e.g. as far north as Grand Beach or Gimli; needs a minimum of 3 weeks' notice.

Sandra L. Rex (Retired Designated Lay Minister)

Formal association with Prairie Vision Pastoral Charge (has sacraments license which can be exercised throughout the whole Regional Council area)

Contact info: sandra7rex@gmail.com Phone: 204-526-0009

Sandra is available within 100 km of Holland, MB, and prefers one week's notice.

Lynne Sanderson (Recognized Designated Lay Minister-Pensioner)

Formal association with Carman United Church (has sacraments license which can be exercised throughout the whole Regional Council area)

Contact info: urbalanced@gmail.com Phone 204-870-2976

Lynne is available within southern central Manitoba, south of Highway #1 (including Portage area, Gladstone, MacGregor, south to Highway #14, west to #34, east to #75

Wilma Isabel Shirriff McKenzie United Church-Portage la Prairie

Contact info: wilma.shirriff@gmail.com Phone: 204-857-5635

Wilma is available within an hour or so of Portage la Prairie and needs at least 1-day notice.

Myrna Stark (Retired Designated Lay Minister)

Formal association with Altona United Church (has sacraments license which can be exercised throughout the whole Regional Council area)

Contact info: Box 181 Dominion City, MB R0A 0H0; myrnastrk225@gmail.com; 204-427-3918

Myrna is available in the general area of Dominion City; also available for short-term appointment.

Ila Swain Roland United Church

Contact info: ilaswain74@gmail.com; Phone (H): 204-343-2460; (C) 204-750-0249

Ila is available within 1-hour drive from Roland and needs a 2-week notice.

Jim Warburton Meadow Lea United Church

Contact info: warburton.js@hotmail.com Phone: 204-243-2621

Jim is available within the bounds of the former Agassiz and Selkirk Presbyteries. He needs at least a week's notice.

Group E- North of Highway 1 (Neepawa and Minnedosa area)

Wendy Denbow Knox United Church-Plumas

Contact info: cdenbow@hotmail.com Phone: 204-386-2670

Wendy is available within 1 hour driving time from Plumas (e.g. Minnedosa, Holland & McCreary) and needs at least a week's notice.

Rita Friesen Neepawa United Church

Contact info: ritamfriesen@gmail.com Phone: 204-212-2679

Rita is available within an hour radius of Neepawa and needs 6 months' notice.

Carol Frost Minnedosa United Church

Contact info: cfrost@wcgwave.ca Phone: 204-867-3361

Carol is available as far as 50-60 km from Minnedosa in spring, summer, and fall and needs a month's notice.

Julie Hutton Minnedosa United Church

Contact info: juliechutton@gmail.com Phone: 204-868-6265

Julie is available from Minnedosa East as far as Portage; West to the SK border; North to Dauphin; and South to Boissevain; year-round. Needs 2 weeks' notice.

Dora White Minnedosa United Church

Contact info: dorawhite1112@hotmail.com Phone: 204-476-6020

Dora is available in Westman within 100 km. of Minnedosa in spring, summer, and fall and needs 3-4 weeks' notice.

Norma Windle McCreary Pastoral Charge

Contact info: windle.manitoba@outlook.com Phone: 204-835-2318

Norma is available within a 50-mile radius of McCreary and needs a week's notice if possible.

Group F- Brandon area

Carol Frost Minnedosa United Church

Contact info: cfrost@wcgwave.ca Phone: 204-867-3361

Carol is available as far as 50-60 km from Minnedosa in spring, summer, and fall and needs a month's notice.

Dora White Minnedosa United Church

Contact info: dorawhite1112@hotmail.com Phone: 204-476-6020

Dora is available in Westman within 100 km. of Minnedosa in spring, summer, and fall and needs 3-4 weeks' notice.

Group G – The North

Linda Buchanan Westminster United Church-The Pas

Contact info: glbuch@mts.net Phone (H): 204-623-2506; (C) 204-620-8790

Linda is available in northern Manitoba to the Swan River area. She needs 2 months' notice as schedules for The Pas are set for 6 months.

Beverly Joy Leadbeater Rock Lake Pastoral Charge

Contact info: sambev@xplornet.ca Phone: 204-873-2203

Bev is available within the municipalities of St. Louise, Pembina & Roblin in MB. She is currently working ½ time as CDM for Rock Lake Pastoral Charge. Bev needs 3-4 weeks' notice and may be able to do pulpit supply if it is not during the time working in Rock Lake Pastoral Charge.