

“The Story of our Discipleship”

Draft Agenda

Annual Meeting of Regional Council 15

The United Church of Canada

Mount Saint Vincent University (MSVU)

June 9-11, 2023

Friday, June 9

Afternoon

- 1:00 Registration Opens
- 1:30 Choir Practice (Meeting Room)
- 2:45 Gathering Music
- 3:00 Welcome and Call to Order
- Opening Prayer
- Acknowledgement of Place
- Greetings from Indigenous Guest
- Introductions and Greetings
- Greetings from the Moderator, The Right Reverend Dr. Carmen Lansdowne
- Constitution of the Regional Council
- Procedural Motions
- Consent Motions
- Introduction of Candidates for Ministry
- Maritime United Church Women Presentation to the Candidates
- 4:00 Maritime United Church Women
- 4:20 Regions East Bookstore
- 4:25 Table Group Time
- 4:55 United Church Bookstore (UCRD)
- 5:00 Announcement and Grace
- Supper

Evening

- 6:15 Gathering with Music
- 6:30 Opening Worship
- Service of Remembrance
- 7:30 Theme Speaker, Rev. Michael Blair
- 8:15 Break
- 8:20 Proposals
- 10:20 Announcements
- Closing Prayer

Saturday, June 10

Morning

- 7:00 Breakfast
- 7:00 Early Morning Worship, Shauna MacDonald (Meeting Room)
- 8:00 Gathering Music
- 8:15 Opening Worship
- 8:45 Theme Speaker, Rev. Michael Blair
- 9:30 Justice, Mission and Outreach: Eco-Justice Working Group
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 Introduction of President-Elect Nominees
Vote for President-Elect
- 10:35 Tatamagouche Centre
- 11:00 Philanthropy Unit
- 11:15 President's Report
- 11:25 Atlantic School of Theology
- 11:50 Children, Youth and Young Adults Minister
- 11:55 Justice, Mission and Outreach: Guaranteed Livable Network (Moderator Video)
Justice, Mission and Outreach: Guaranteed Livable Income Network (The Vigils)
- 12:00 Announcements and Grace
Lunch Break
- 12:30 Choir Practice (Meeting Room)

Afternoon

- 1:00 Workshop (1)
- 2:15 Workshop (2)
- 3:30 Remit
- 3:50 Justice, Mission and Outreach: Breaking the Silence
- 3:55 Executive Minister
- 4:00 Division of Finance and Administration
- Audit, 2022 - Budget, 2024
- 4:15 Presentation of the President-Elect
- 4:20 Report from the Ecumenical Guests
- 4:30 Celebration with Bermuda
- 5:00 Announcements and Grace
- 5:30 Retirees and Jubilarians Banquet (in meal hall)
Celebrating Milestones

Evening

- 7:30 Youth Lead Worship
- 8:00 Welcome and Best Wishes
Closing Motions
Courtesies
- 8:30 President's Reception
- 9:00 Kitchen Party
- 11:00 Kitchen Party Closes (carry on the party as you wish)

Sunday, June 11

Morning

7:00 Breakfast
8:00 Celebration of Ministry Rehearsal
9:15 Choir Call Time
10:00 Service of Praise and Celebration of Ministry
12:00 Closing of Regional Council

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