



PRESIDENT – Barbara Davison

At this point in time, I have been involved with the United Church Women for 51years! I began in Winnipeg in 1973 and joined in Calgary in 1975. Over the years, I have been a Unit Leader in a congregation, a Committee Chair on the Calgary Presbyterial, President x 2 of Foothills Presbyterial, Representative of Presbyterial on the local Presbytery, a Committee Chair on the UCW Conference, President of Alberta & Northwest Conference UCW, and at the present time, I am still the President of Foothills Presbyterial or now known as UCW- Chinook Winds, and am also the Editor of the WUCCWNS Newsletter, and chair of the Communications

Committee for the same group. I have attended the National United Church Women's Gatherings for a number of years and was a member of the Guideline Committee a few years ago. I am currently attached to some Committees for National UCW. I attended the General Council meeting in Cornerbrook, Newfoundland and Labrador as President of ANWCUCW. Over the years, I have seen many changes in the working and the structure of the UCW, some for the better, and occasionally some for the worse. I have seen how the women of the UCW have pulled together to make things better, both for the church and the world, and when the National UCW have appealed to the general membership, things have always turned out successful. I am proud to be a member of the United Church Women. It is an honour to be President of the National United Church Women.



PRESIDENT ELECT – Barb DeJeet

I have been involved in UCW since 1995 and I do believe this is where God wants me to be.

I am a mother of 2 grown children, Russell and Angie, grandmother of 2 beautiful granddaughters, Kayliah and Kendall and great-grandmother to adorable great-granddaughter Charlotte. She will be a big sister in March 2025.

I received my learning about women's ministry from my mother, who was chair of her women's group in the Salvation Army called "Home League". She showed me that women have an important part in the family of God.

I have held many positions in our wonderful UCW. President in my own church, President of Four Rivers Area, leadership chair, past president of EOR UCW; was President of Bay of Quinty UCW until the changes in conferences came along. I also have experience in planning weekend retreats.

I am a LLWL, Licensed Lay Worship Leader, Pastoral Care Coordinator and a Sacramental Elder for my home congregation This gives me the opportunity to do Communion and Baptisms for my church, Christ United in Lyn, Ontario. UCW seems to run deep within me.



NUCW SECRETARY – Cheryl Sullivan

Lives in Metcalfe, Ontario with husband and two of five children, one who works close to home when he not travelling for work and the other works with her dad. We also have a daughter who is currently in Stillwater, OK, a daughter in Spiritwood, SK and and son in Guelph, ON. Volunteers as a 4-H leader, chair of Regional 4-H Board, Treasurer of local Museum, committee member on the local Agricultural Society and incoming Federated Women's Institute of Ontario President, as well as being part of her local UC choir, committee member and board member. '

Volunteering is what I enjoy! My parents both volunteered in various capacities as I was growing up, and it is something that I have carried on!'

Cheryl has been involved with UCW at a few churches, from her home church growing up, 'Thames Road United', to Bethany United, Elora, ON, St. James United, Osgoode, ON, St. Paul's United, Kenmore, ON and St. Andrews United, Metcalfe, ON where she currently participates as a UCW member. It has been a blessing to serve in the capacity of Secretary of the NUCW. It was an honour to meet and work with all the UCW representatives from across the country at the National UCW AGM and experience the uniqueness that each member brought to the table, their creativity and community with each other.



National UCW Treasurer - Carolle Dallas-Arbuckle

Lives in a small village within the City of Ottawa. Wife, mother, grandmother and volunteer. I have volunteered on our community association, library board and community museum board. Volunteering gets you out of the house. UCW at all levels, local unit, presbyterial, conference (now region) and at the national level has provided the fellowship, inspiration, encouragement, support as we all share a common purpose. The truth

is UCW is fun.