



UCIM is a busy church and there are lots of needs and ways to offer your service. This is just a sample of what known needs are:

For more information on these, and other opportunities to serve at UCIM contact Board Chair, Erin Crawford (through the office ucm@ucim.org, 204.256.7002) or Minister, Caryn Douglas (minister@ucim.org)

Stewardship Ministries

- Join the Property Committee
- Join the Finance Committee
- Join the Stewardship Team
- Be an offering counter
- Respond to calls for assistance with church maintenance and yard work (Painting/Cleaning/Carpentry/Electrical/Plumbing, Grass cutting/Repairs and Maintenance/Yardwork)
- Be involved with fundraising projects such as bake sales, Mother's Day Tea, Plant Sale, Lights for Christmas
- Helping with Capital Projects (Applying for Grants, Contractor Quotes/Site Supervision of Project)
- Assist with office tasks such as stuffing and data entry
- Assist with book keeping
- Create engaging Stewardship materials
- Assist with computerization of stewardship campaign
- Be involved in volunteer recognition events
- Initiate a new fundraising program or help with existing projects

Communication Ministries

- Join the Communication Working Group
- Help create/compile the weekly Quick notes
- Take photographs

- Make videos and slideshows for worship and education programs
- Assist in the sound booth and with live streaming
- Monitor Facebook and other social media
- Share your artistic talents to design promotional materials
- Fact-check the website
- Help to update website
- Join the small group of computer nerds who keep us running

Educational Ministries

- Join the Christian Education Committee
- Mentor youth in confirmation
- Assist with Baptism preparation and the baptism service
- Participate in leading a study group
- Join the planning team for events like Truth and Reconciliation Day (September 30)
- Be a children's church leader
- Assist in the Lamb's Corner and care for small children during worship
- Work with youth to help them plan special events
- Volunteer to prepare the program for Men's Group or UCW
- Help with outdoor movie nights
- Get involved with Camp Meadowood (Summer Children's Day Camp)
- Prepare crafts for children's activities

Fellowship Ministries

- Attend Men's Group, Gardening Group, United Church Women (UCW)
- Join the planning team for Cookies, Carols and Candles
- Take a turn preparing Sunday morning refreshments
- Help out with newcomer events
- Become a Sunday morning host/greeter
- Help with the monthly Senior's Lunch
- Create a new small group ministry around a topic, issue or activity

Pastoral Care Ministries

- Join the Pastoral Care Committee
- Prepare gifts/cards for shut ins
- Deliver pastoral care gifts at Christmas and Easter
- Phone/Visit those unable to attend Church
- Participate in pastoral care related workshops

- Promote pastoral care events and programs
- Provide a ride on Sunday mornings or for mid week programs
- Knit prayer shawls
- Be a funeral or wedding host
- Be involved in preparing funeral receptions

Leadership Ministries

- Join the Ministry and Personnel Committee
- Become a Board member
- Get involved with any of the Committees that facilitate the work of the church
- Be a congregational representative to another level of the church: Region, National, International

Community Ministries

- Assist with lunch for social justice focused after church events
- Volunteer at a 1JustCity location (United Church outreach ministries in the city)
- Coordinate projects like gathering items for Low Cost Christmas Store, Small Change Sunday, Toiletries for local outreach programs,
- Become a gardener (growing produce for outreach projects)
- Deliver donated food to agencies
- Join the Outreach Committee
- Become active in advocacy on issues like homelessness

Worship Ministries

- Be a reader
- Take a turn serving communion
- Help to prepare and clean up with special services
- Join the Worship Committee
- Join the choir
- Tell the Music Director about your musical talent
- Get involved with the team that leads worship in care homes
- Lead a service
- Help to prepare communion or be a communion server
- Get involved in liturgical art (designing, decorating)
- Provide leadership for worship in care homes