

### **Terry Fox 2023**

#### **DONATIONS FOR 2023: WE ARE ON THE WAY!**

Tecumseh United is continuing its support for the annual Terry Fox walk/run. The event this year will be held on **September 17<sup>th</sup>**.

Tecumseh United was the first group to join as a team for the Tecumseh area. Over the years (more than 10 now), we have usually raised more than \$2000 annually and last year we raised \$2885 thanks to the generous support of our TUC community.

Donations can be made online at TEAM TUC | Terry Fox Run .  
If you donate online, you will receive your tax receipt immediately.

**AS OF September 3<sup>rd</sup> , OUR TOTAL DONATED  
FOR THIS YEAR IS over \$1,000**

In person donations will be accepted at the church  
on Sunday one last time!

As part of our community presence, we look forward to people joining together as TEAM TUC on September 17 to participate in the walk/run. Please feel free to pass on this information to family and friends and invite them to donate to our team.

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Tecumseh United Church

~ *An Affirming Congregation* ~

Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 - 10:00 a.m.

*We acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional territory of the Attawandaron, Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee peoples.*

\*Please stand as you are able

*We Gather in God's Love*

Welcome and Announcements

Land Acknowledgment

Call to Worship:

As our lives return to regular routines after a long-weekend conclusion to summer, let us gather to offer thanks for the ways that we have reconnected with the holy this summer, enjoying God's creation in nature.

**Our rich blessing as Canadians is to have lakes and mountains, star-filled night skies, fishing and boating, golfing and gardening, hiking and biking, swimming and sunshine.\***

In our worship this day, may we share gratitude for these gifts and be inspired to conserve them for future generations. May we come to know our place within the web of life God has placed us in on earth.

**Let us praise God, the giver of all good things.**

**\*Hymn # 395 "Come In, Come In and Sit Down"**

Opening Prayer:

**Designer of All Goodness, we are in awe of your work:  
tundra swans flying by the stars  
and the glow of the moon at night;  
the call of the loon in the morning mist on the lake;  
the rush of the salmon upriver and the bears  
as they wade in the flowing streams;  
maple trees providing sap, shade, and shelter;  
the soil that nourishes seeds, bulbs, and roots;  
and worker bees pollinating plants and filling honeycomb.**

**You are goodness, Triune God,  
beyond the world you created,  
yet within all life and all who breathe.  
We honour you on this day of quiet reflection  
and join in harmonious singing:  
"This is the day you have made.  
We will rejoice and be glad." Amen.**

**\*Hymn # 296 "This Is God's Wondrous World"**

*Faith Friends Time / The Lord's Prayer*

**Hymn MV # 101 "Jesus, You Fill Our Hearts" (sung 2X)**

*We Listen to God's Word*

Scripture Reading: Matthew 18:15-20

**\*Hymn # 691 "Though Ancient Walls"**

Meditation

*We Respond to God's Word*

**Musical Interlude**

Offering Prayer

Prayers of the People / Prayer Book is read

*We Go to Love and Serve God*

**\*Hymn # 884 "You Shall Go Out with Joy"**

Commissioning & Benediction

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**Rev. Robin will be away for the next 2 Sundays.**

**We thank Peter D. Scott for leading the service next week.**

**Happy Birthday** this week to Donna Wilson, John Beemer, Lauren Snyder-Gault, Jasmin Gault and Jenne Beemer.

**Happy Anniversary** this week to Bill & June Grangier and Columbe and Joan Provencher

**Thanks** to Karen Devries for reading and to Barb Snyder and Deb Holek for hosting Coffee Hour this morning. **Coffee Hour Hosts needed!**  
*Sign-up sheet is on the entry table. Thanks!*

Monetary donations can be made by simple e-transfer to  
donations@tecumsehunited.com