

2020

Calendar Call for Photos

**Deadline
Dec. 30
2018**

Please consider submitting photos for the United Church's calendar!

We're looking for photos of United Churches across the country

- **Exterior shots of churches:** not just the buildings but also prayer gardens, architectural details—and outdoor services, picnics, church camps, etc. Remember to include winter and fall shots too.
- **Interior shots of churches:** not just empty sanctuaries (we'd love to see some people in them!) but also architectural details, seasonal altar displays, etc.
- We'd love to see more photos from PEI, Saskatchewan, and New Brunswick, please!



D. Renault



Gil Collicott



C. Kutchukian



Ian Ball



Kaitlin Bardswich

What we'll do

- We'll pay a \$100 honorarium for every photo chosen.
- We'll print a photo credit naming the photographer for each photo.
- We'll send you a copy of the calendar when it's printed.

How to submit

Please use our online submission form: https://unitedchurch.formstack.com/forms/calendar_submission or send entry form and photos on USB key to:

Calendar, Communications Unit
The United Church of Canada
3250 Bloor St. West, Suite 200
Toronto ON M8X 2Y4

More information:

www.united-church.ca/community-faith/get-involved/submit-your-photos

Do's

- Send us BRIGHT, colourful, crisp pictures, that are well lit, in all seasons.
- Take photos of your church in different seasons.
- Send us large, high-resolution images.
- Avoid cropping photos too much or even at all.
- **Remember: Calendar photos are horizontal—we need WIDE photos!**

Don'ts

- Please do not e-mail photos!
- Avoid adding special effects, filters, or text.
- Photos shot at night or that are very dark are usually not well suited to the calendar.
- Avoid distractions such as hydro wires, cars, microphones, etc. as much as possible.

**Photo quality is important!
See note on reverse!**

Entry Form for 2020 Calendar Cover Photos

(please use one form per photographer)



Photographer's full name: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postal code:

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Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Photo credit as it should appear if images are chosen: _____

Name and location of United Church(es) in your photo: _____

I am including a self-addressed, stamped envelope and will receive my CD/DVD/USB key back in June 2019.

No thank you, I do not need it back.

I am including written permission from any people (or from the parents/legal guardians of children) who appear in my photos.

I am including written permission from any artist whose work appears in my photos (e.g., sculptor, quilter, painter).

Photo quality is IMPORTANT!

Please make sure images are sharp when enlarged to 8" x 10". Digital images should be from cameras of at least 6 megapixels in resolution set to the highest setting. Save jpegs at maximum quality; ideally, file size should be no smaller than 2 MB. Please be wary of using cellphone photos—not all phone cameras are created equal!

Submit online

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- Send in batches of 5 photos.
- Batches cannot exceed 25 Mb. If files sizes are large, send in smaller batches.

Submit by mail

Do NOT send originals. The United Church cannot accept responsibility for lost or damaged prints, CDs/DVDs, or USB keys.

Label submissions

- Put photographer's name in the file name—e.g., HenryLee-TrinityUC.jpg, SusanSchwartz_CampChapel.jpg.
- Include a typed list of submitted photos: photographer's name, photo location, and any helpful information for each.
- Remember to label disks or USB keys.

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or contact
creativeservices@united-church.ca

Thank you for submitting! Please note that only chosen photographers will be contacted.