



Transition Team Communication # 8 June 2022

Rev. Shannon and Rev. Wayne are coming to visit.

Rev. Shannon Mang, our Intentional Interim Minister will be in Ontario from June 15-26th and will be at St. Andrew's for Sunday services on June 19th and 26th. Rev. Wayne Beamer is supporting the Intentional Interim Ministry process by consulting with us about the governance of our church. Rev. Wayne will be co-leading the SAUC worship service with Rev. Shannon on June 19th.

On June 26th Rev. Shannon and the Transition Team will be leading a hybrid Worship and Congregational Event both on zoom and in-person. We hope to have many congregants join us in-person and or on-line for these June services.

On Saturday, June 18th, from 2-4 pm Come for a Meet & Greet and an opportunity to contribute to a congregational prayer

Main Street Markham will be bopping on Saturday, June 18th with the Markham Village Music Festival. The SAUC front lawn will be home to the KidzZone and music from the South Stage will be able to be enjoyed from the SAUC parking lot. Rev. Shannon will be outside of the sanctuary, and congregants are welcome to stop by to meet her between 2 and 4 pm.

The Transition Team has planned to have 2 books available:

- 1) *Prayers for Markham* - a book in which anyone who stops in can share prayers for individuals or our community
- 2) *Prayers for St. Andrew's United Church, Markham* - a book in which congregants and members can share prayers for our congregation as we work through our interim time and prepare to call a new minister and live into the future of our church. These ideas will be used to generate a congregational prayer.

The Governance Goal

Under Rev. Wayne Beamer's leadership, the Governance Team, which is also a part of the Transition Team is continuing to work hard on the SAUC's Intentional Interim governance goal. While Rev. Wayne and Rev. Shannon are in Markham, this team will be meeting in person to continue this important work.

We look forward to seeing you on June 18, 19 and/ or 26th.

A new Search Committee is Starting its Work

Over the Summer months a new Search Committee will be picking up the work that was begun shortly after Rev. Selby left, and helping SAUC search for, and welcome a new permanent minister. There are two positions still needing to be filled on this important team. If you wish to nominate a member of SAUC who has the gifts you know would be helpful on a Search Committee, and you would like to represent you, please contact Michelle Irwin (email: michelle.i@rogers.com) **before June 30.**

