

EOR UCC 100th Anniversary Display

INFORMATION

Thank you for your interest in sharing items for the United Church of Canada's 100th Anniversary Exhibit at the EY Centre on June 15th, 2025. The Exhibit Team is interested in obtaining items that will help tell the story of the UCC over the past century. We are looking for items that will help reflect the themes of, Reconciliation work, affirming congregations and LGBTQ+ history, anti-racist church work and black history, environment and climate change sustainability, UCWs, Moderators from the region, COVID-19 responses, other anniversary celebrations, Church response to the wars.

We are looking for the following items;

- Photographs of clergy, church buildings, stained glass windows, ground breaking ceremonies, Sunday Schools and worship, church picnics, Royal family members visits, Reconciliation work, life and work of the community of faith.
- Handwritten Letters and correspondence that shares what was happening in the church at the time.
- Historical Documents such as cradle rolls or special bulletins.
- Bibles. Where is the oldest Bible in the Region?
- Cloth items (stoles, vestments and pulpit cloths and banners)
- Historical Items (Ballot box used at Union)
- Period Costumes from the past 125 years.
- *Have an item but it doesn't fit under the above list, take a photo and send it to us!*

GUIDELINES

Photographs of display items must be submitted for consideration to the Exhibit Team no later than May 2ndth.

The Exhibit Team will review the submission(s) and will let you know if they are able to use the item(s) for the exhibit. Please note, that while all the items are important, we are restricted to the number of items we can accept based on the display stands size and weigh capacity.

Once an item is accepted you will receive an email outlining next steps in the process of lending the item.

Please note all items accepted in the exhibit will be photographed and archived for use in an online exhibit at a later date.

All items will need to be dropped off on **Sat. June 14th at the EY Centre, before 12pm** in order to give the Exhibit Team time to install the exhibit. Items will be returned on June 15th at the end of the day.

Have an item to lend?

Step 1. Take a photograph of the front and back of the item (including photographs) beside a ruler or measuring tape to show scale.

Step 2. Fill out the Submission Consideration form and email it along with the photographs of the item to eoorc.anniversaryinformation@gmail.com.

Step 3. Please ensure to include in the email subject line: **Exhibit Submission**