



LICENSED LAY WORSHIP LEADERSHIP ONLINE

A program of
Canadian Shield Region
United Church
of Canada

How does the Program work?

This program is offered over two years entirely online through 4 modules.

- An Orientation webinar that introduces you to the tools you will be using (ZOOM, United in Learning Forums for posting assignments, ...)
- an introductory webinar that provides an overview of the topic for the current module with assigned readings to prepare you for the module
- six online sessions with others and your mentor,
- assignments to be completed (most of the reading is online) and shared with the group during the timeframe of the module.

“This program has opened my eyes to so many aspects of worship that I never thought of before.” - S. Webb

A Licensed Lay Worship Leader is:

a lay member of The United Church of Canada, in good standing, recommended by the Community of Faith, educated then licensed by their region to offer occasional worship leadership and preaching within the bounds of their region.

For further reference see The Manual of The United Church of Canada 2016 (I.1.8.5), and the Licensed Lay Worship Leaders Handbook (2013).

A Licensed Lay Worship Leader is licensed by their own Region.

At the completion of each module, the learner will receive notification that they have completed the module. It is the responsibility of the Region to accredit Licensed Lay Worship Leaders.

“The course is gentle but challenging, rigorous but accessible. It is education at its finest. It draws out all that is best in us while asking us to find something higher, finer and more spirit-filled than we thought we had access to.” – A. Atkinson

Tuition Fee

The fee is \$254.99 for each Module. We offer a \$5 discount if you pay online with a credit card when you register for the Unit. Registration is done on line through United in Learning.

<https://www.united-in-learning.com/>

Refund Policy

If for any reason you find that you need to withdraw from the program, here's the policy about tuition refunds

$\frac{3}{4}$ refund after the Orientation and Introductory Webinars (there are costs of setting up the person in the mentored group, the webinars, the honorarium for the speaker)

$\frac{1}{2}$ refund after the Orientation, Introductory and 1 mentored session (the costs of the mentor is added to the above)

no refund after that as people have had a chance to experience the workload and make the decision to withdraw

*“I have grown in ways that I can only describe as truly incredible. I have gained enhanced spirituality, a deeper insight into leadership, a deeper relationship with my Saviour, and more respect and thankfulness for this course.”
– E. Freeman*