

**First Dawn Eastern Edge Regional Council - The United Church of Canada**

**“PRESENCE and HOPE”**

**Annual Meeting, May 14-16, 2021- Via Video Conference**

**Friday, May 14, 2021 (6:30 pm - 9:30 pm)**

- 6:00 Zoom Meeting Opens (to test connections and gather)
- 6:30 Call to Order
  - Acknowledgement of Place
  - Welcome
  - Worship
- 7:10 Moderator’s Remarks
  - General Secretary’s Remarks
  - Welcome General Council Office Representative
  - Welcome Theme Speaker
- 7:30 Check-In (Introduction of self, where you are living, your Pastoral Charge or role in the Region, why are you choosing to be here, where have you experienced Presence and Hope this past year)
- 7:45 Introduction of Students and New Ministers
- 7:55 Opening Procedural Motions
  - Consent Motions (for Reports)
- 8:10 Break
- 8:20 Theme Speaker (Cameron Trimble, CEO, Convergence)
- 9:10 Housekeeping
  - Closing Vespers

**Saturday, May 15, 2021 (10:00 am – 12:30 pm)**

- 9:30 Zoom Meeting Opens (to test connections and gather)
- 9:50 Music Interlude
- 10:00 Call to Order
  - Acknowledgement of Place
  - Welcome
  - Opening Worship (Liturgy Team)
- 10:30 Theme Speaker (Cameron Trimble, CEO, Convergence)
- 11:30 Break
- 11:40 Elections – Part 1 (President-Elect)
- 11:50 Ukulele Church
- 12:10 Mission and Service
- 12:25 Housekeeping
  
- 12:30-1:45 Break

**Saturday, May 15, 2021 (2:00 pm - 4:45 pm)**

- 1:45 Gathering with Music
- 2:00 Proposals
- 2:30 Executive Minister’s Remarks
- 2:35 President’s Remarks
- 2:45 GO Project
- 2:55 Stella’s Circle
- 3:15 Break
- 3:25 Sing 2025
- 3:40 General Council Office Representative (John Young, Executive Minister, Theological Leadership)

- 3:45 Motion to Receive 2020 Auditor's Report
- 3:55 Motion to Approve 2022 Budget
- 4:10 Elections – Part 2 (Commissioners)
- 4:20 Worship (Youth Forum)

**Saturday, May 15, 2021 (6:30 pm – 8:30 pm)**

- 6:00 Zoom Meeting opens (Gathering)
- 6:30 Milestones in Ministry (Honouring Retirements, Anniversaries and those leaving the Region)
- 7:30 Closing Motions
- 7:35 Closing Prayer
- 7:40 Kitchen Party

**Sunday, May 16, 2021 (2:00 pm)**

- 2:00 Celebration of Ministries Service (virtually via live streaming service)

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