



## Ecumenical Shared Ministry Resources

Ecumenical Shared Ministry is a creative option for vital and life-giving ministry, in both urban and rural communities - a witness to gospel calls for unity in diversity, and another path of deep spirituality, bold discipleship and daring justice. Ecumenical Shared Ministries have existed in Canada for many years - some of the oldest are in the Northern Spirit region - and new ones continue to emerge as communities of faith seek ways to support and strengthen ministry in their contexts. A number of resources are available to help communities explore the gifts and challenges of Ecumenical Shared Ministry. For further information or conversation please contact Gail Allan, [gail.allan@alum.utoronto.ca](mailto:gail.allan@alum.utoronto.ca).

- [Ecumenical Shared Ministries Handbook](#)
- [Sharing Ministry Ecumenically: Creating and Sustaining Ecumenical Shared Ministries - Some Insights and Guidelines](#). A Study Text Produced by the Anglican Church of Canada/United Church of Canada Dialogue, August 2020
- Prairie Centre for Ecumenism - [Ecumenical Shared Ministries Directory](#).
- Sandra Beardsall, Mitzi J. Budde and William P. McDonald, [Daring to Share: Multi-Denominational Congregations in the United States and Canada](#) (Pickwick Publications, 2018)
- ESM Webinars on the United in Learning website:
  - [Click here for the version for judicatory leaders](#)
  - [Click here for the version for local leaders](#)
- ESM video clips:
  - [Why does shared ministry matter?](#)
  - [Three examples of shared ministry](#)
  - [Moving forward in ecumenical shared ministry](#)

