



**All transgender\* people  
in The United Church of Canada  
are invited to become a part of the new**

**Please Post  
and Share!**

## ***Trans Network!***

\* Trans: anyone whose perceived gender or assigned sex conflicts with their gender identity

**The confidential “Trans Network” is being created for trans people to:**

- make new friends and get to know one another in a safe online network
- share your story (online or print)
- learn about upcoming events
- hear the latest news about the exciting things happening in the United Church of Canada around transgender issues
- receive invitations to be part of new working groups as they are formed
- volunteer to lead workshops in local congregations
- . . . and more!

### **IF YOU IDENTIFY AS TRANSGENDER**

(transsexual, genderqueer, gender variant, intersex, two spirit,  
bi-gender, pan-gender, androgynous, third gender)

**- PLEASE JOIN THE TRANS NETWORK TODAY!**

If you know of anyone who is trans, **please share this invitation** with them – post it on your church bulletin board, and/or add it to your church bulletin/newsletter!

**To become a member of the *Trans Network*,  
send your name, email address, and how you identify,  
to Jordan Sullivan<sup>FTM</sup> at [transgender@united-church.ca](mailto:transgender@united-church.ca)**



**All names and contact information received will be kept strictly confidential.** When Jordan sends emails to the entire network, he will list your email address in the ‘BCC’ line - to keep them private (no one is able to see addresses in the BCC line). “The use, retention and disclosure of personal information collected from this form is done in compliance with privacy legislation including, but not limited to, the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (2000, c.5).”

**Contact:** Jordan Sullivan [transgender@united-church.ca](mailto:transgender@united-church.ca) 1-800-268-3781 ext. 4151  
Communities in Ministry Unit/Unité Communautés et ministères

# THE TRANS NETWORK ONLINE



## Facebook 'Secret Group'

*"Trans Network [UCCanada]"*

"Trans Network [UCCanada]" is a **new** private group only for trans people in the United Church of Canada.

The group has been created to provide a safe place to network with, support one another, share links to helpful resources, and more.

All members (or former members) of the United Church - who are gender diverse, genderqueer, gender variant, transgender, transsexual, intersex, two spirit, bi-gendered, pan-gendered, androgynous, third gender, and anyone whose perceived gender or assigned sex may conflict with their gender identity/expression - are welcome!

This is a private group. No one else will be able to see the members list, or access any information on the group. The list of members will be kept strictly confidential.

Contact **Jordan Sullivan** on Facebook  or at [transgender@united-church.ca](mailto:transgender@united-church.ca) for instructions on how to join

## The Facebook Open Page

*"Trans and Gender Diversity  
[within the United Church of Canada]"*



**Open to everyone** as a place where trans people, their family, friends, and allies can openly engage in discussions on what it's like being trans in the United Church of Canada, share resources, and post ideas on how to encourage the full participation of all gender identities in the church. No 'membership' is required. Anyone can view, post, and 'like' the site. Find us on Facebook by searching for "Trans and Gender Diversity."

## Transgender & Gender Diversity UCC Web pages

[www.united-church.ca/exploring/trans](http://www.united-church.ca/exploring/trans)

### United Church Resources

- Articles
- Policies

### Additional Resources (for)

- parents/friends of transgender children/youth
- transgender children/youth
- children of transgender parents (or siblings)
  - transgender parents
  - congregations
  - individuals