

RETIREE

Brynn Carson



Brynn Carson has had a very interesting career path that led her to ministry. She began as a teacher and then she felt the call to ministry and spent four years in theology at McGill University and then due to family issues, she left and didn't do her internship year. While pursuing other life pursuits, she still felt a call to ministry and supplied in the Ottawa Valley. When she moved to St. Thomas with new job, she continued to supply in the area around St. Thomas but she grew in her desire to enter ministry in a more intentional way and applied to go into the DLM stream. She applied to various places and then she saw an ad from Porcupine United and this sparked her to apply

because she always wanted to be in the north. Since her family was from Timmins and her mother and grandparents were buried in Timmins she applied because they would accept a DLM student. To her great surprise and pleasure after her interview and before she got back down south, they had checked her references and offered the job.

For nine and a half years, Brynn was minister of Porcupine United and enjoyed every minute of her ministry there but due to health issues she was forced to retire. She says if her health had held up she would still be there. Brynn had a very positive ministry in Porcupine and during the pandemic, she phoned every member and adherent every week. She had wonderful mentors throughout her journey with a couple of ministers and a rabbi who she was able to reflect with and gain the strength and knowledge that she needed in her ministerial journey. Some of her happiest moments were being a scout leader over the years and also as a scout chaplain.

Brynn was loved by her congregation in Porcupine and loved them back in return. Her ministry to the youth and others will not be forgotten.