

## Vision and Call Statement

## **Our Vision:**

We are called by Jesus as a Christian community of faith to make a better world.

## Our Call:

**We** journey together inspired by love and service, building relationships, seeking justice, promoting harmony and healing through peace and reconciliation, and fostering a sustainable future for all.

**We** come together as seekers and teachers, believers and questioners, speakers and listeners.

**We** celebrate diversity by inviting the full participation of people with many identities into the life and work of Kanata United Church, irrespective of gender identity, sexual orientation, culture, age, race, disability, socio-economic status or previous faith or non-faith experience.

**We** strive to be an inclusive community as an Affirming Congregation within the United Church of Canada, that welcomes everyone with open arms, minds and hearts into our accessible and safe space.

We gather in worship, study, friendship and service.

We nurture our children and youth while expanding our efforts to care for the diverse pastoral, social and spiritual needs at all stages of life.

**We** are called to reach out to the wider community and to learn about and respond to the world. In doing so, we seek a deepening understanding of how our faith speaks to us in this time and place.