



Woodland Sanctuary  
St. Andrew's United Church Lacombe  
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## **Volunteer Information**

### **What is the job of the volunteer planter?**

Planters will be orientated by our expert; will dig holes, plant, mulch and water trees, shrubs, perennials and grasses; and will wrap trees. And have fun! See the St Andrew's Facebook and webpage about us!

### **Where & when is the planting?**

Woodland Sanctuary, which is on Woodland Drive, one long block west of 58 Street

- June 6 & 7: planting trees and shrubs
- June 20 & 21: planting perennials and grasses
- Planting volunteers will get specific details about times, dates etc. In general, the day will run from 9am to 4pm with each volunteer being on site for an hour or two.

### **Who are the planters?**

- 50 volunteers on each planting day; 10 people starting each hour with an orientation by our expert
- Each team of 2 will plant, wrap, water and mulch 4 trees/shrubs; or plant, water and mulch bunches of perennials and grasses
- Arrive 15 minutes prior to your shift start time; planting will take about 1.5 – 2 hours

### **How do I sign up to volunteer?**

- Email [greenteam@lacombeunitedchurch.ca](mailto:greenteam@lacombeunitedchurch.ca) or text or call 587-306-0191

Give us your name, contact information and preferred planting dates. We'll get back to you with your assigned time/s & date/s based on your availability.

### **What do I bring on planting days?**

- pail you can carry containing water for the plants just planted
- spade suitable for digging a large hole (if you have one, there will be some spades on site as well)
- closed shoes; gardening gloves and gardening hand tools (if you have them)
- sun protection &/or rain protection as needed
- full, personal reusable water container (please no bottled water); snacks will be available

### **Questions?**

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