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Lois Wilson



With great sadness, The United Church of Canada announces the death of The Very Rev., The Honourable Dr. Lois M. Wilson, the denomination's 28th Moderator, and the first woman to fill the role. She faithfully served as Moderator from 1979 to 1982. Rev. Wilson died in hospital in Fredericton, NB, on September 13, 2024. She was 97 years old. Her faith drove her actions, and she remained involved in the work of the Church right to the end.

We give deep thankfulness for the life of Lois Wilson and the tremendous contributions she made to The United Church of Canada. Lois Wilson's ministry and tireless activism for justice changed the United Church, and indeed, changed Canada and the world.

Funeral arrangements will be shared when available.

Please read the full announcement here.