



## **Donna Jean Mann, D. Min.**

Adjunct Professor of Women's Studies  
Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary

### **ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS**

Doctorate Degree (Women's Studies) - Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary; 1999

Master of Divinity - Emmanuel College, University of Toronto; 1982

Bachelor Degree (Sociology/Social Work) - University of Waterloo; 1979

### **CERTIFICATES AND LICENSES**

Certified Nursing Training - Groves Memorial Hospital, 1964

Grief Specialist - Grief Institute of Canada; 1999

Supervised Pastoral Care - 4 Clinics (Hospital, Prison, Senior's Home)

Interim Ministry, Baltimore; 2001

Ontario Association of Consultants and Counselors; 1999

Ordination – United Church of Canada, Waterloo, Ontario; 1982

### **DISTANCE LEARNING TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE**

Adjunct professor in Women's Studies (Training: design courses and teach online courses) - Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary; 2000-Present

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Supervised Pastoral Education Four units; 1976-1980

Designing and leading silent retreats: Guided Prayer and Spiritual Direction

Ordained Clergy serving three urban and rural churches; 1982-2000

Consultant - Women in Rural Economic Development; 1992-2000

Police Commissioner - Durham Services Board; 1993-1996

Adjunct Professor of Women's Studies – Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary; 2000-Present

Ordained Clergy serving short term appointments; 2000-Present

Queen's Bush Ministry Director and Chairperson (Helping farm families in Crisis); 2000-Present

Interim ministry with church in transition; 2000-Present

Resource Counselor - Grey County Children's Aid; 2001-Present

Facilitator for exploring Shared Ministry with rural congregations; 2004-Present

### **PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS**

"Seeker of Truth", Wellington County Historical Society; 1992

"The Talk of the Town", (Documenting process for Informing Community); 1993

Canadian Council on Social Development Newsletter, Ottawa, Winter Edition

WWW - Internet Publishing through web sites; 1997

*The Gift of Time*: Three Act Play depicting local church history; 1997

"Ontario Rural Woman Abuse Study' (ORWAS) Ottawa: Justice Canada Ontario; December 1998

"Grieve & Grow" weekly column in three newspapers; 2000-2002

"Seasons of Live" weekly column in two newspapers; 2000-2001

"Grieve & Grow - Practical Thoughts about Grief" Manna Publications; 2001

"Grieve & Grow" online course - Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary; 2002

*WinterGrief*: Manna Publications/ON, Essence Publishing, Bellville; 2003  
*I Wonder – I Do*, Children’s Musical on Creation, Manna Publications/ON; 2005  
Numerous articles about Agnes Macphail (First women elected to Canadian Parliament); 2005-2006  
Provincial project to acknowledge the 85<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Macphail’s election; 2006  
*Faithful Choices*: Congregational workbook for struggling congregation; 2006  
*Aggie’s Storms*, Brucedale Press, Port Elgin, ON; 2007  
Speaker for church and community  
The Rural Voice: Bruce & Grey Federations of Agriculture; 2008  
School visitations because of recent publication of a Grade 5-8 novel; 2008

## **MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS**

United Church of Canada, Grey Presbytery, Ontario  
Ontario Association of Consultants, Counselors  
The International Order of St. Luke  
The Grief Recovery Institute of Canada  
Interim Ministry Network  
The Word Guild  
Canadian Authors Association.  
Alban Institute

## **TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Rural demographic research; Research for historical writing; Grieve and Grow online course;  
Online grief support counselor; Writing coach through personal website; Local people-profiles  
who fade away into history; Local women’s groups with Bible studies