



Faithfull Footprints – 2023

United Church congregations are offered tools, inspiration, and grants to further their climate commitment and sustainability projects.

Faithfull Footprints encourages and supports the United Church to increase their efforts for sustainability. Together, the United Church and Faithfull Footprints, strives to get every congregation's carbon emission down 80% by 2050, in accordance with the Paris Agreement. Visit [this Faithfull Footprints report](#) on the United Church of Canada's 2019-2020 sustainability report.

Faithfull Footprints offers grants for the United Church, which can help churches access up to \$20,000 for retrofitting or buying new equipment for the church building. There is an extra \$10,000 for decarbonizing space heating or water heating. To get this grant, the churches must fill out an Expressions of Interest Form, have an energy audit done, and finally apply for the fund, with a plan, budget, and 1 year's worth of energy data. Visit [this webpage](#) for more information.

With the help of Faithfull Footprints, Camp Fircom, a water-accessed camp in Vancouver affiliated with the United Church of Canada, strives to reach 90% emission reductions by 2030. Through donations and grants, Camp Fircom installed a unique 16 kW solar roof over their archery shelter. Faithfull Footprints showcases many more success stories that they have helped with. For more stories, [visit this page](#).

Faithfull Footprints is partnered with the United Church of Canada and the Faith & the Common Good. View their website [here](#).