

**Pastor Lori-Anne Boutin-Crawford** was born and raised in Saskatchewan and sensed a call from the Spirit to serve in BC's Lower Mainland, where she lives with her husband and family. She has been a pastor in the ELCIC for over a decade, devoted to proclaiming and living out the gospel of grace with several church communities and ministries within the BC Synod.

In addition to her seminary formation and Master of Divinity, Lori-Anne has bachelor's degrees specializing in Education and Religious Studies. She has studied abroad in Russia and Hong Kong, and taught in educational systems in Canada, England, Russia, Japan, and Hong Kong. With a keen desire to deeply listen and accompany others in their journey, Lori-Anne completed five years in Bowen Family Systems Theory and Therapy with the Living Systems Counselling Post-Graduate Training Program in North Vancouver and is also a Registered Clinical Counsellor. She is currently working on a Doctor of Ministry on Contextual and Practical Theology and exploring the essence and meaning of personal and communal spiritual experiences.

Pastor Lori-Anne feels blessed to serve alongside the people of Mount Olive Lutheran Church, and working together with community members to creatively explore living more deeply into God's gracious and unconditional love.