



## **Leaders in Philanthropy** — A W A R D S —

# Keynote Speaker



## **Mita Hans** **Co-Founder of Caremonging-TO**

Caremongering-TO organizes the local community on the grassroots level to ensure vulnerable community members have access to food, housing, healthcare, and other necessities. Their message has spread and the ripple effect of their work can be seen globally.



# Recognizing Outstanding Donor Contributions



## **Susan McCloy**

Susan has been an active donor, member and volunteer since 2003. Her generosity has helped individuals to participate more fully in their community and enjoy a better quality of life.

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## **Brad Saunders**

Getting to see how donations are used to directly support people with intellectual disabilities and their families is what lead Brad to becoming involved as a donor.

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## **Edward and Michelle Lau**

As a team, Edward and Michelle can really see the impact of their gifts of time and money. As champions in the developmental services sector they are committed to making life better for people with an intellectual disability.



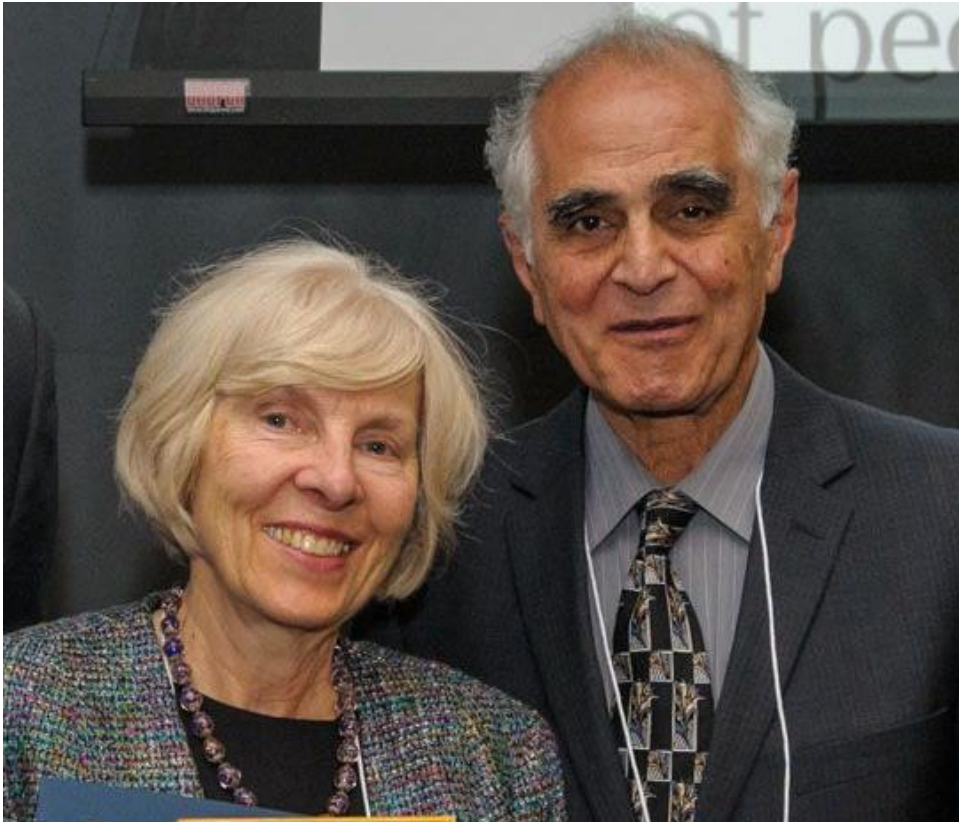
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## Dawn and Tom Lunan

Dawn and Tom have been supporters since the early 2000's. They feel fortunate to have strong family and community supports and realize that not everyone does. It feels good knowing that they can contribute to a worthy cause - one that is so important to her family.

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## **Joan and Galal Karout**

As champions of our cause for over 27 years, Joan and Galal give because Community Living Toronto makes a world of difference in the lives of the people we support and their families.

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## Karen and Victor Figueiredo

Karen and Victor were first introduced to Community Living Toronto when a friend invited them to their first event. They became instantly connected with our association's mission and values - especially the emphasis on inclusion. Karen and Victor feels fortunate to be able to give back to our community.



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## Kingsway Lambton United Church Women

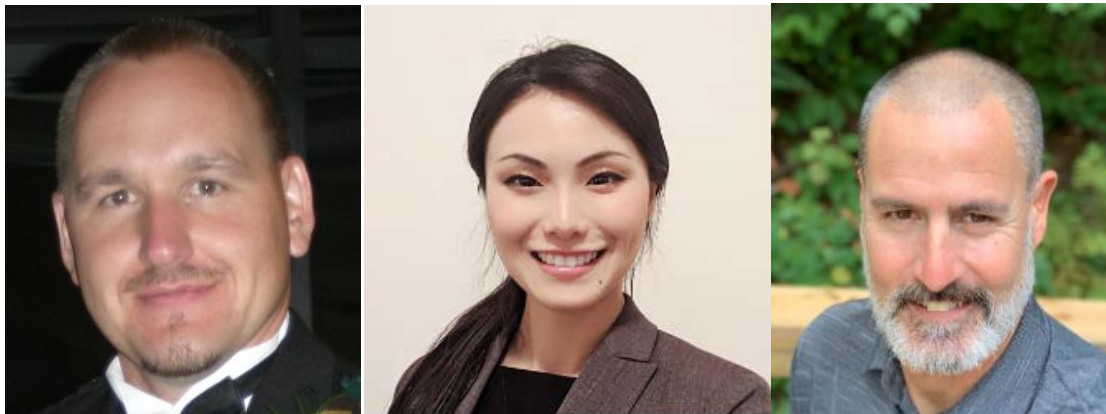
Since 1995, the Kingsway Lambton United Church Women have generously supported the Adult Protective Services program annual holiday dinner making sure that no one goes without over the holiday season.

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## Employees of VMware Canada

Since 2017, VMware employees have helped with IT projects and prepare Shadow Lake for our summer guests. This past year, Community Living Toronto was selected to receive a generous donation to help with technology needs for people in support.





# Fundraising Volunteer of the Year Award



## **Peter Near**

Since 2017, Peter has chaired our Technology Advisory Committee, helping put together long-term plans on how to better support our community. Peter's energy helped us make it through this challenging year. Not only has he helped with our tech needs, he also volunteered with this year's first virtual United Way campaign.

# Outstanding Social Connector Award



## Mary Byne

Mary's has volunteered with Etobicoke Council since her son finished high school. This past year she helped coordinate and deliver meals to individuals in our Supported Independent Living program. This helped her remain socially connected with staff and other parents.



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## **Barb Motyliwski**

For the past two years Barb has helped individuals with their income taxes through the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program. Barb quietly but impactfully sets an example through her everyday interactions and considerate nature for others and is satisfied just knowing that she is able to help the people we support at CLTO.

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## Dee Smith

Dee has been volunteering with Community Living Toronto for over 15 years and is a constant presence in Scarborough where she supports individuals 1:1 in our residential programs. Dee plays a large part in maintaining social connections and has gone above and beyond ensuring that no one feels alone during these challenging times.

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## **Brenda Self**

Brenda started volunteering when her daughter moved into one of Community Living Toronto's residences many years ago. This year, Brenda and her husband have helped boost the morale of the staff at the residence by supporting and recognizing all they do during these stressful times. The couple hope to inspire others to do whatever is possible, no matter how big or small.

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## Janina Coulthard

Janina has been connected to Community Living Toronto since her daughter started attending programs 19 years ago. She's actively involved with our Etobicoke Council and has organized fundraisers to support programs and local needs. Janina's friendly smile, sense of humour, and positivity has helped her foster a sense of community.



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## **Marlena Kaesler**

Marlena connected with our organization through Facebook this past year. She was one of the first people making face masks, and when she received our message that we were in need, she began sourcing out material and contacting friends to help sew more than 1,000 masks. Because of her sewing, we were able to quickly mail out masks to all our staff for personal use.

# Jim Turner Award for Outstanding Voluntarism



## **Sherron Grant**

Sherron's work within Community Living Toronto is well known. She has helped us with our advocacy, fundraising, and community support efforts throughout the years. Sherron is a tireless advocate and a professional and passionate voice for all parents of children with disabilities.

# 2020 Champions





**A heartfelt thanks to everyone who answered our calls for help with your time, donations and energy this past year. You are all champions – thank you!**