

Kingsview United Church

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Our Mission Statement: To show God's love as revealed in Jesus Christ.

Sunday, October 13, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. *The Season of Creation*Thanksgiving Sunday

*Please stand in body or in spirit.

Prelude

*Introit:

Come and Find the Quiet Centre

VU# 374 vs. 1

*Words of Welcome

Life and Work of the Church

Acknowledging the Territory

Affirming Moment

*Lighting of the Christ Candle

L: Christ is our guiding light.

P: No matter where we are or what circumstances we find ourselves in, Jesus is with us.

L: The Christ candle is a reminder of the Light that never goes out. The peace of Christ be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

*Songs of Praise and Adoration

Call to Worship

L: We see the bounty of harvest and the colours of fall.

P: Thanks be to God.

L: There are miracles of nature all around us from migration to hibernation.

P: Thanks be to God.

L: We come in a spirit of humility and thankfulness.

P: Thanks be to God.

L: Come let us worship God!

Opening Prayer (Unison)

God of all blessings, we come today with gratitude and thanksgiving. For family and friends, gatherings in-person or virtually, for food and fellowship, for love and acceptance, our thanks flows naturally to you, O God. In this time of harvest, as daylight hours grow fewer and the temperature begins to drop, we are grateful for all this season reminds us of when we stop to remember that you are with us, that you are the source of our abundant living. For all this and so much more, we give you thanks. Amen.

Hymn:

We Plough The Fields

VU# 520

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture:

Joel 2:21-27 Do not fear, God will provide

Matthew 6:25-33 Do not worry

L: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church today.

P: Thanks be to God. Amen.

Anthem: All to Bring You Glory

Message: Stone Soup

*Hymn:

Called By Earth And Sky MV# 135

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (VU pg. 921)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,

and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering

*Offertory Response:

Grant Us, God, the Grace VU# 540

*Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn:

Sing to the Lord of Harvest VU# 519

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Sung Response:

We Are One VU# 402 vs. 4

Postlude

Worship Leaders:

Word: Rev. Mary-Jane Hobden

Music: Melanie MacLeod, Anne Lynd, Kingsview Choir & Praise Team

Projection Booth & Live Streaming Team

Screen Pictures & Slides Presentation: Elizabeth Plancke

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