



Kincardine United Church

Mission Sunday

September 15th, 2019 10:30 a.m.

Welcome. You bless us with your presence. If you are a first time worshipper, please sign our guest register at the front entrance of the church. Thank you for turning off your cell phones and for refraining from flash photography. Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the downstairs hall following the service.

Black bold print in the bulletin & on screens invites you to say the words.

*An asterisk in the bulletin indicates you may sit or stand.

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PRELUDE I Call to Thee

Bach & Dupré

WELCOME

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE LAND

For thousands of years, First Nations people have walked on this land. Their relationship with the land is at the centre of their lives and of their spirituality.

We begin our worship this morning by acknowledging the unceded territory of the Saugeen Ojibwe.

We are all Treaty people, parties to Crown Treaty 45 ½ in 1836.

Keep us mindful of the covenants that have been made – and broken –

with First Nations peoples.

May we grow into living with respect on this land,
walking into reconciliation through peace and friendship,
while honouring all who live, work and worship on it.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST TO THE FOUR DIRECTIONS

GOD GATHERS US

INTROIT Peace Song

Sheila Robson

LIGHTING OF THE SACRED FIRE

TEACHING ON THE PEACE SONG

*OPENING HYMN "Here in This Place (Gather Us In)"

1. Here on this land that's Saugeen Ojibwe,
we come to worship: neighbours and kin.
In hope and trust, with wampum our pathway,
broken and fractured by settler sin.
Gather us in to mend and to ponder
pain from our past that haunts us today
that we can heal and no longer wander
list'ning to learn and then to God pray.
2. Here in this place the new light is streaming;
now is the darkness vanished away;
see in this space our fears and our dreamings
brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken;
gather us in, the blind and the lame;
call to us now, and we shall awaken;
we shall arise at the sound of our name.
3. Not in the dark of buildings confining,
not in some heaven, light years away:
here in this place the new light is shining;
now is the kingdom, and now is the day.
Gather us in and hold us forever;
gather us in and make us your own;
gather us in, all peoples together,
fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN WORD

SHARING TIME "Stolen Words"

Joyce Johnston and Vanessa Keeshig

THE LORD'S PRAYER *we sing*

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 who 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.

BIBLE READING Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28 in the Old Testament on page 702

read by Martha Pedoniquotte

DOXOLOGY "Praise with Joy the World's Creator" #312 Voices United
 Praise with joy the world's Creator, God of justice, love, and peace,
 source and end of human knowledge, God whose grace shall never cease.
 Celebrate the Maker's glory, power to rescue and release.

***VOICES UNITED** 307 "Touch the Earth Lightly"

MEDITATION "Relationship"

Joyce Johnston

GOD INVITES US TO RESPOND

ANTHEM "The Bear Song"

Shelia Robson

COMMUNITY PRAYERS

OFFERING INVITATION

OFFERING PRAYER (in unison)

Through the land, Gracious Creator, you provide all we need.
 Accept the portion here of what we give back in Christ's name,
 blessing these gifts as sacred ways of healing a broken world,
 blessing us as your disciples inspired by Spirit breath. Amen.

***MORE VOICES** 144 "Like a Healing Stream"

***BENEDICTION**

***SONG OF COMMITMENT** "We Are Marching" #646 Voices United

We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God.
 We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God.
 We are marching, marching, we are marching (oo),
 we are marching in the light of God.
 We are marching, marching, we are marching (oo),
 we are marching in the light of God.

POSTLUDE Trumpet Tune

Purcell



AV MINISTRY TEAM 🗣️

Dave Leaning, Stu Mowry,
Mary Phillips

COUNTERS 💰

Stu & Donna Mowry

SEPTEMBER HOUSE LEADERS 🏠

Joan and Wayne Hartwick

MUSIC 🎵

Sheila Robson, David Hamilton

NURSERY ATTENDANT ♦

Thank you

SCRIPTURE READER 📖

Martha Pedoniquotte

SLIDE PRESENTATION ♦

Sarah MacKenzie

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER ♦

Jackie Clements

WORSHIP 🕊️

Joyce Johnston, Vanessa Keeshig