James Bay United Church

Thank you for coming tonight!
...your presence makes a difference.

You were welcomed outside this evening by Amy-Lynn Toth, street performer and UVic student. Her busking continues to help financially with her ongoing student expenses.

Luke 4: 18-19

God's Spirit is on me;
he's chosen me to preach the Message of good news to the poor,
Sent me to announce pardon to prisoners and recovery of sight to the blind,
To set the burdened and battered free,
to announce, "This is God's year to act!"

Life creates economies for living. We, in contrast, have created an economy for making money at life's expense.

- David Korten

Welcome:

Gordon Miller
Neighbourhood Engagement Initiatives
and **Kym Heins**
Activist and Video Journalist

Creating Sacred Space:

Rev. Sharon Moon: Visiting Pastor

Prayer for Light

Set 1: Country Squall

with Mick Baker (mandolin / fiddle), Cluny Macpherson (banjo), and Adam Cleland (guitar)

- songs to be announced
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Reflection: Rev. Sharon Moon

The Indiscriminate Host
Based on a story by John Shea

Set 2: Country Squall

- songs to be announced
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Kym Hines - Activist and Video Journalist

Set 3: Country Squall

- song to be announced

Community Joys , Concerns, Prayer

A paraphrase of the Lord's Prayer by Jim Cotter

Eternal Spirit,
Earth-maker, Pain-bearer, Life-giver,
Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all,
Loving God, in whom is heaven:

The hallowing of your name
echo through the universe!
The way of your justice
be followed by peoples of the world!
Your heavenly will be done by all created beings!
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom
Sustain our hope and come on earth.

With the bread we need for today, feed us.
In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.
From trials too great to endure, spare us.
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.

For you reign in the glory of the power that is love,
Now and forever. Amen.

Community Song

v1 - We are walking a path of peace . . .
v2 - We are walking a path of hope . . .
v3 - We are walking the justice road . . .
v4 - We are walking the path with joy . . .

Some final Announcements:

Daniel Brandes,
Music Director, James Bay United

and a blessing to take you into the night:

Rev. Sharon Moon

"The place God calls you to is the place where your deep gladness and the world's deep hunger meet." - Frederick Buechner

We look forward to seeing you again
next week July 29th, 7pm

All Creation Sings!

(songs of patience protest and praise)
with the James Bay Community
Summer Fun Choir

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