Trinity United Church

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You are...Wanted...Valued...Included...Affirmed

Sunday, October 19, 2025 - 10:00 AM Theme: Prayer: Lectionaries + Baptism

†indicates stand as you are able - MV = More Voices

Bold indicates participation by the people - VU = Voices United - TLUS = Then Let Us Sing

Core Values: Living Faith - Inclusive Fellowship Joyful Service - Being Anti-Racist - Affirming All

GATHERING AS COMMUNITY

PRELUDE

WELCOME & TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Hadih, Bundada honzoo, welcome in the name of The Christ.

All: Welcome to this place of worship, situated on the Ancestral and unceded lands of the Lheidli T'enneh people.

Welcome to this place of blessing, this space of grace, and this holy sanctuary.

This place where we discern how to live into the way of Jesus.

All: We gather this morning to share in song, word, and prayer, to publicly, intentionally, and explicitly affirm that we are all an expression of the divine's holy light.

Be welcomed.

All: Be present.

Be a blessing.

LIFE & MINISTRY

THE PEACE OF CHRIST SHARED WITH ALL

The peace of Christ be with you!

And also with you.

LEARNING AND SPEAKING PEACE – Lheidli Dakelh

Peace of Christ be with you – Dez-ghel nawhulh 'unt'oh And also with you – Cha nyulh 'unt'oh

† HYMN: I Know that ev'ry time I pray TLUS#54

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

L: We journey into God in familiar and unfamiliar ways.

P: Each story a new experience, each retelling a reimagining of God.

L: Dare we gather today and wonder where we shall go? What will the word open up? What will the spirit provoke in us?

P: Let us gather for the adventure and seek God in the unexpected places.

THE LIGHT OF CHRIST AND RECONCILIATION

GROUNDING IN THE HOLY ONE

EMBRACING GOD'S LOVE AND GRACE

WA: Beloved, know this day and always that God's love is for everyone. That love is for every race, gender, orientation, ability, age, and story – none excluded, all embraced. Even when we don't feel loved, or wanted, valued, or affirmed, the Holy embraces us with open arms, calling us their own.

P: God's love holds us. It gives us courage to express our gratitude and live into Christ's way of love and justice as we embody hope for one another.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AND MEMBERSHIP

† HYMN: I Have Called You by Your Name MV#161

A STORY FOR THE AGES

Lectionary@Home: Jeremiah 31 :27-34 ; Psalm 119; 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5; & Luke 18:1-8

FOCUS READINGS: Joshua 10:36-43 & 2 Timothy 3:14-17

WA: This is the witness of The Church.

M: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM: Only Faith

SERMON: The Story of In and Out

HOLY QUIET

A Time for Quiet Reflection and Contemplation (2 mins)

BEING THE CHURCH THROUGH SERVICE

† HYMN: Deep in Our Hearts MV#154

COMMUNITY AND DISCIPLES' PRAYER

SHARING OUR GIFTS FOR MINISTRY

OFFERTORY PRAYER (Unison)

Generous God, we give thanks for the wonders of creation and all that you have entrusted to us for ministry. May your generosity inspire us to love more fully, share our time wastefully, and offer our gifts lavishly so that a broken and hurting world might see there is a better way. Amen.

† HYMN: Will Your Anchor Hold VU#675

†COMMISSIONING & BENEDICTION

†HYMN: We have been Called (Love's Wide Embrace)

TLUS#148

POSTLUDE

PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP LEADERSHIP TODAY: Worship Leader — Rev. Dr. Bob Fillier; Worship Assistant — Shannon Carson; Pianist — Vic Steblin; Trumpet Player — Diane Kjorven; Choir Director — Erica Skowron; Associate Choir Director — Diane Kjorven; Adult Choir; Digital Ministry — Rebecca Fillier

