

United Churches of Langley – Murrayville

January 11, 2026, 10:30am

In-person worship live-streamed on YouTube

1st Week after Epiphany – *The Call of Baptism*

WE GATHER IN THE SPIRIT

Prelude

Gathering Hymn: River Running in You and Me MV163
Verses 1,2,3,7

Welcome

Honouring of Indigenous People and Lands

Call to Worship

Lighting the Christ Candle

Singing the Bowl (moment of silence)

AWE Moment – Baptisms & Birthdays

Hymn *I Am a Child of God*, vv. 1,2,5 MV157
(after song, children depart to Spirit Academy)

Prayer of Opening

WE OPEN TO WISDOM

Hymn of Illumination *Christ When for Us You Were Baptized*
vv1,2,4 VU99

Scripture Reading Isaiah 42:1–6, Luke 3:15-16,
Matthew 3:13-17, Mark 1:11,
Luke 3:22, Acts 8:14-17

Reflection *Belovedness & Baptism*

Ritual of Beloved Blessing

with *You Have Put on Christ* VU452

OUR SPIRITED RESPONSE

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Hymn: *Spirit God, Be Our Breath* vv1,3,4 MV150

Ministry Highlights

Invitation to Generosity

Offertory

Dedication of the Offering

WE GO FORTH, BELOVED AND CALLED

Call & Commissioning

Closing Anthem *Send the Light/This Little Light of Mine*
Arr. by Joseph M. Martin

Postlude

***We thank all those who contributed their time and talents
to today's service:***

Worship Leader: Rev. Sophia Ducey

Music Team: Sharon Lauze, Jamie Eguia

Hymn Leader: Barb Nelson

Scripture Reader: Heather Bidnall

Spirit Academy: Rhiana Antoniuk-Davies

Production Team: Paul Hughes (live stream), Jay Hanna (sound),
Sherrie Radatzke (PPT) and Tim Jones in Fort Langley

Greeters: Kayla and Ian Neufeld

Welcome Table: Toots Tucker

And all the office staff and volunteers working behind the scenes
to offer this beautiful service.