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

Sunday, May 10th, 2026 - 10:00 AM

Easter 6 – Mother's Day

† indicates stand as you are able

MV = More Voices

Bold indicates participation by the people

VU = Voices United

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



GATHERING AS COMMUNITY

PRELUDE

Thanks for joining us for worship here at Trinity United Church in Prince George, British Columbia. We're glad that you are able to spend some time with us as we ground ourselves in God's Holy Mystery

WELCOME & TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Hadih, Bundada hoonzoo, welcome in the name of The Creator, the Christ, and the Holy Spirit.

All: We are here, and we honour the ancestral and unceded lands of the Lheidli T'enneh people.

One: For many thousands of years, the Lheidli T'enneh have sought to walk gently on this land. We are grateful and we honour the millennia of stewardship, care, and relationship that the Lheidli T'enneh have with their key'oh.

All: Bless our community this morning, O God, with your breath, your presence, and your love.

One: We proclaim publicly, intentionally and explicitly that every human being is cherished as a part of the Body of Christ on earth.

All: Be present with God and with one another here

LIFE & MINISTRY

THE PEACE OF CHRIST The peace of Christ be with you!
And also with you.

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST – Lheidli Dakelh

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

† HYMN

Come In, Come In and Sit Down **VU#395**

CALL TO WORSHIP RESPONSIVE

One: We are called to be the church.

All: We come to learn from the lessons Jesus taught.

One: Leave duty behind, come and sit, be still and listen for the word of God. Leave busyness, anxiety and worry at the door, enter this peaceful place, allow yourself to relax and prepare for worship

All: We come to worship God together in community.

One: We come with our own unique stories and histories, drawn together in God's love

All: We come to share in fellowship as God's people.

One: Let go and come to the quiet centre,

Here is a place and time to focus on God and to allow ourselves to hear God's voice and ponder God's word

All: We come to learn ways we can care for God's people and creation.

One: together listening for your voice, united by your Spirit, In this time of worship, tell us about your kin-dom of kindness so that we can seek it and be it

All: God, you have gifted us all differently. May we always be willing to offer our selves to you

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE:

GROUNDING IN THE HOLY ONE

WA: God is Holy Mystery, beyond complete knowledge, above perfect description. Yet, in love, the one eternal God seeks relationship. God is Holy Mystery, beyond complete knowledge, above perfect description. God creates, tends and enlivens the universe, guiding all things toward harmony with their Source.

God's love and grace is all around us; it is within us, entwining our spirits together in sacred community where each person is affirmed just as they are. We sing of the diversity of creation as the true image of God. Grateful, we sing of God the Spirit, the moving in the human heart, that God's grace is meant for us, freely given. Nothing can separate us from the love of God. Amen

† HYMN: *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* **VU#684**

EMBRACING GOD'S LOVE AND GRACE (Unison)

God, you have created us all differently, all gifted, all with something to bring to serve you by serving each other. So may we value the differences you have created: the noisy and the quiet, the fast and the slow, the thinkers and the doers, the listeners and the talkers, the teachers and the learners. Knowing that we are all loved and that we all have much to give in serving you by loving one another may we use all our gifts to make the world a better place for all, in Jesus' name

A STORY FOR THE AGES

Matthew 25:31-46 (New Living Translation - NLT)

ANTHEM: *Sanctus*

SERMON: *For I was Hungry and You Gave Me Food*

HOLY QUIET

† HYMN: *I the Lord of Sea and Sky* **VU#509**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (Responsive)

SHARING OUR GIFTS FOR MINISTRY

OFFERTORY PRAYER (Unison)

It takes all of us together to support God's ministry in the world. Together we respond to God's love so we can share it with others and the world. Together we embody what it means to be The Church. God of Abundance and Grace, we bring all that we are to you. We thank you for the many colours, cultures, and customs that we share in this world. In our differences, unite us by your love. Enable us to act together to uphold life and to make this world a just and peaceful household for all humanity. Today we ask you: O God, hear our prayer and receive these gifts as symbols of our devotion to you, to one another, and to love in all forms.

† HYMN: *Go Make A Difference* **MV#209**

† COMMISSIONING & BENEDICTION

† HYMN: *You Shall Go Out With Joy* **VU#884**

POSTLUDE

PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP LEADERSHIP TODAY:

Worship Leaders – Marion Bartlett and Cal Melena; Pianist – Vic Steblin; Trumpet Player – Diane Kjorven; Choir Director – Erica Skowron; Associate Choir Director – Diane Kjorven; Adult Choir; Digital Ministry – Rebecca Fillier & Fya Garbutt