



August 30th 2026
10:00 a.m.

St. Andrew's United Church

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***Those who are able, please stand as marked**

The St. Andrew's family warmly welcomes all visitors and newcomers!

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, please sign our Guest Book in the Narthex and join us for coffee and snacks after service.

Musical Prelude

Announcements

*Lighting of the Christ Candle

Jesus Comes to Me as a Summer Tree

(lyrics on screen)

*Share the Peace of Christ

CALL TO WORSHIP

*(congregation's response in **BOLD**)*

L: This is the day the Lord has made.

R: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

L: This is the day God rested from the labours of creation.

R: We come to rest from our labours and remember those who must labour to serve.

L: Come as you are; come with all the joys and burdens that you carry.

R: God graciously and lovingly receives us as we are.

L: Let us bring God glory and honour.

R: Praise the Lord.

*Opening Hymn: VU #288 – *Great, Is Thy Faithfulness*

(lyrics on screen)

OPENING PRAYER

(in unison)

God of grace and glory, your creative powers are beyond imagining. Your love is wider than the universe. Your mercy is beyond the highest heavens, and your wisdom is deeper than the seas. You became one of us in Jesus, walking the roads we take each day; experiencing the joys and frustrations of life in your world and preaching your reign in word and action. Through your Holy Spirit you are present with us in every time and place. You are there to comfort and challenge us. For all that you have been, are and will be, we worship you as Creator, Redeemer and Spirit now and always. Amen.

THE LESSONS

The Old Testament

Ezekiel 33:7-11

Moses encounters the burning bush

Psalm 119:33-40

Evidences of Grace

The New Testament

The Gospel of St. Matthew 18:15-20

Take up the cross and follow me

*(response after The Lessons in **BOLD**)*

L: These are the Words of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

***Hymn: VU #589 – Lord, Speak to Me**

(lyrics on screen)

Sermon – Say What?

Rev. Scott Brown

***Hymn: VU #561 – Take Up Your Cross**

(lyrics on screen)

WE RESPOND IN LOVE

The Offering

***Offering Dedication**

VU #544 – In Gratitude and Humble Trust

(lyrics on screen)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

followed by:

The Lord's Prayer

(on screen)

COMMISSIONING

(in unison)

We take with us now the great I AM into the world. For the great I AM has sent us to make proclamation that we have a God who is not I WAS nor I WILL BE. God is very present with us in this time, in this place, in this day and the days to come. We go with God.

We take with us the joy of having a companion on the road that we can all share. We take the news that Jesus, who is grace, love and salvation, walks beside us each day. We go with Jesus.

We take with us the strength of the Holy Spirit of I AM. The Spirit that brings good news to the poor; wisdom to those who are confounded by what is happening around us; freedom to the captives and solace to the broken-hearted. We go with the Holy Spirit.

We go now, taking the great I AM to all whom we meet this day and this week.

BLESSING

May I AM bless us and keep us.

May I AM make their face to shine upon us and be gracious unto us.

May I AM look upon us with favour and give us peace. Amen.

Closing Hymn: TLUS #63 – *Land of Hope

(lyrics on screen)

Musical Postlude

Thank You

Worship Leaders

Rev. Scott Brown - Presiding

Vince Anderson – Lead Musician

Robert Woodbury – Cantor

Technical Support

Patricia Wilson – Order of Service & PowerPoint Design

Eldon Wilson – Live Streaming & Sound System

Brent Roy – PowerPoint Operation