

Trinity United Church

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

Sunday, November 2, 2025 - 10:00 AM Theme: Christ On The Edge

†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: As we gather from wherever we are, we create this unique space of worship.

P: Here may we find the silence we need, the hope we long for, the forgiveness we seek, the renewal we crave, the compassion we do not deserve, and the God who claims us as his own.

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.

† HYMN: Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You VU#232

A STORY FOR THE AGES

Lectionary@Home: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18; Psalm 149; Ephesians 1:11-23; and Luke 6:20-31

FOCUS READINGS: Mark 12:41-44 and Deuteronomy 24:17-22

WA: This is the witness of The Church.

M: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM: Marchin' with the Saints

SERMON: The Gospel is DEI

HOLY QUIET

A Time for Quiet Reflection and Contemplation

BEING THE CHURCH THROUGH SERVICE

† HYMN: Draw the Circle Wide MV#145

COMMUNITY AND DISCIPLES' PRAYER

SHARING OUR GIFTS FOR MINISTRY

OFFERTORY PRAYER (Unison)

Creator, we give you thanks that it isn't about the size of the gift but the size of our discipleship that matters. Help us recognize the depth of discipleship offered in our community and how it shapes our expression of ministry in the world. Amen.

† HYMN: All Who Hunger VU#460

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

RETURNING THANKS

Holy One, may this re-membering and grounding in your everlasting presence remind us of your presence in our daily lives and all the transitions we make each day. May these symbols of bread and cup become for us reminders that you call us to be the voice, hands, and feet of Jesus in the world. Amen.

†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 – Sheona Mitchell-Foster; Pianist – Vic Steblin; Trumpet Player – Diane Kjorven; Choir Director – Erica Skowron; Associate Choir Director – Diane Kjorven; Adult Choir; Digital Ministry – Rebecca Fillier

