



LECTIONARY READINGS

October 7 - World Communion Sunday

Job 1:1; 2:1-10	Job tested by the Tempter
Psalms 26	Prayer for Level Ground
Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12	God's word through the Son
Mark 10:2-16	Jesus on marriage & children



AFTER WORSHIP COFFEE SERVICE

Sep 30 - Group 8

Carla Simsic
Pam Smith
Jackie Steele
Anne Stephenson
Gordon & Jean
Sukut
Dave & Cathy
Teichroeb

Oct 7 - Group 9

Clement Birikukiye
Wayne & Donna
Tillotson
Brenda Turta
Reg Currie
Pearl Wood
Darlene & Ray
Wachter

Oct 14 - Group 1

Kathy Alexander
Laura Armer
Mary Ann Bailey
Barbara Baillod
Dianne Barrett
Nellie Behersky
Sue Brooks
Cynthia Cole-Hynes

KNOX UNITED CHURCH

September 30th, 2018

Season of Creation 4 - "Mountains"

Sharing the Gospel of Jesus with all people through worship, service and care.

As we gather for worship today, we acknowledge that the land on which we gather is Treaty 6 territory, the ancestral land of several Indigenous nations, and part of the homeland of the Metis. We respect the sacredness of our shared home and the ground on which we walk, and we are grateful for its stewardship through the centuries.

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SINGING THE SPIRIT (MV 1)

Let us build a house where love
can dwell and all can safely live,
A place where saints and children tell
how hearts learn to forgive.
Built of hopes and dreams and visions,
rock of faith and vault of grace;
Here the love of Christ shall end divisions:
All are welcome, all are welcome,
All are welcome in this place.



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GATHERING PRAYER (All)

We seek to know and feel the touch of the Holy One who is the source of all love and the ground of our being.

Gracious God, who creates, sustains and redeems all life, we come seeking your presence and comforting peace. May your spirit be with us, and move within us in this time of worship. We praise you for the joy of being your people. Give us hearts that hear your Word, and minds that are open to the transforming power of your love. Amen.

HYMN - O Beautiful Gaia (MV41)**LIGHTING THE TRINITY CANDLES****GREETING GOD'S FAMILY**

Children and youth may join Sunday School in the lower church hall.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS****MISSION MESSAGE & OFFERING****MUSIC BEFORE PRAYER (VU 374, vs. 1 only)**

words: S.E. Murray, alt. 1989; music: attrib. B.F. White 1844, harm. R.A. Nelson 1978

Come and find the quiet centre
in the crowded life we lead,
Find the room for hope to enter,
find the frame where we are freed:
Clear the chaos and the clutter,
Clear our eyes, that we can see
All the things that really matter,
be at peace, and simply be.

**COMMUNITY PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER (VU 959)****PRESENTATION OF PRAYER SHAWLS****HYMN - We Shall Go Out (VU 586)****BENEDICTION****POSTLUDE**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (All)

God of all creation,
 You love us into being, yet often we flee our
 rightful place in Your creation. We confess
 that we exploit the gifts You place around us,
 and dominate the richness of the natural order.
 Forgive our needless accumulation of "stuff".
 Forgive and restore us, O God. Remind us of
 other ways to live. Remind us of a place called
 home, where creation reflects Your goodness,
 and each thing lives in balance with all others.
 Set us free from a past we cannot change, and
 open us to a future in which we can be changed.
 Grant us grace to grow more and more in Your
 likeness. Come and find us, set us right again,
 and take us home. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

HYMN - *Your Hands, O Christ* (VU 622)

WORDS FROM OUR SCRIPTURES

Gospel: Mark 9: 38-41

Epistle: James 5: 13-16

**REFLECTION****HYMN - *Christ Has No Body Now But Yours* (MV171)****ANTHEM *Creation Will Be At Peace***

Isaiah 11:6-9; Adapt.: J. P. Williams (ASCAP); Music: A.L. Page (ASCAP)

In the holy mountain of the Lord
 all war and strife will cease;
 In the holy mountain of the Lord
 creation will be at peace.
 In the holy mountain of the Lord
 all war and strife will cease;
 In the holy mountain of the Lord
 creation will be at peace.
 The wolf will lie down with the lamb,
 the cow and bear will feed,
 their young will play together;
 A little child will lead, a little child will lead.
 In the holy mountain of the Lord
 all war and strife will cease;
 In the holy mountain of the Lord
 creation will be at peace.
 The leopard and goat will graze,
 the lion will feed on straw.
 They will war no more, they will war no more;
 A child will lead them all, will lead them all.
 In the holy mountain of the Lord
 all war and strife will cease;
 In the holy mountain of the Lord
 creation will be at peace.

