

Forest Hill United Church
'open doors, open hearts, open minds'



4th after Pentecost Sunday June 28, 2020 10 a.m.

WELCOME to worship!

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Please share the following phone number with your vulnerable friends. If you have any need for any reason call 1-844-462-8387

At Forest Hill United Church, we acknowledge that our church is built on ancestral, traditional and unceded Wolastoqey land.

Forest Hill United Church is a safe place for people to gather, regardless of race, creed, age, cultural background, family status, sexual orientation and gender identity.

Gathering

Prelude:

Lighting of the Christ Candle

**Introit:

MV 156

**Dance with the Spirit early in the mornin'
walk with the Spirit through-out the long day.
Work and hope for the new life a-borning',
listen to the Spirit to show you the way.**

Welcome

Call to Worship:

We gather in the presence of God's Spirit.

The Spirit is life and peace.

The Spirit offers promise to each new day.

The Spirit brings hope out of despair.

And even in death—through God's Spirit, we discover life.

God's Spirit dwells within us.

We gather to worship in the presence of God's Spirit.

Thanks be to God.

Gathering Prayer: (All)

God of Hope, wise, gentle, strong,

you open a heavy door to reveal what is beyond.

You prepare our trust account for when the

material world collapses, freeing us from the

need to know why things happen as they do,

and building the bridge of humility

we must cross to you.

Dear God, may hope bring us a new day. Amen.

**Opening Hymn: Sing Your Praise to God Eternal

VU 244

Story Time:

Responding

Prayer that Jesus Taught

Presentation of our Gifts

**Our Father/Mother in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
 your kingdom come,
 your will be done,
 on earth as in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.
 Forgive us our sins
 as we forgive those who sin against us.
 You, who does not lead us into temptation
 but delivers us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power,
 and the glory are yours
 now and for ever.
 Amen.**

Prayers of Our Community:

Verbal Response: Lord, hear our prayer

Lord, listen to your children praying, VU 400
 Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
 Lord, listen to your children praying,
 send us love, send us power, send us grace!

**Song of Praise: There's a Wideness in God's Mercy VU 271

**Closing Hymn: Wherever You May Go MV 216

**Sharing the Light

**Commissioning and Benediction:

**Choral Amen: VU 649

Prayer of Confession

**Walk with me,
 I will walk with you and
 build the land that God has planned
 where love shines through.**

Promise of Assurance

Postlude: God Be with You til We Meet Again VU422

Exploring

Words from Our Bible:

Psalm 13
 Genesis 22:1-14

One: In this is the word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God

Reflection:

Special Music: O God Why Are You Silent by JS Bach

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