St. Davids-Queenston United Church

August 24, 2025, 10:30 AM

Land Acknowledgement

There were people here long before we came to live on this land as settlers and descendants of settlers. We acknowledge these many Nations of Indigenous people who first lived and currently live here. We give thanks to this land, the territory(s) of these Haudenosaunee and Anishinaabe peoples. We do this to acknowledge our responsibility to enhance and promote peace among all who now share this land, as well as good stewardship of it and its resources.

GATHERING AND MUSICAL PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

(SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS)

*OPENING HYMN: VU # 374 'Come and Find the Quiet Centre'

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

(Light the candle.)

We light this candle to be reminded

That Jesus is the light of our life

That Jesus guides our way of heart and mind and soul and strength through many moments of heart.

Moments when I remember and are aware again and again that our Lord Jesus is the light of life...Jesus, may your love burn among us and light my path with new sight!

CALL TO WORSHIP

Gracious God You are my light, beauty and my rest

May God's rest and peace, comfort and call, fill to the brim this moment, these moments; personally, and together.

In the raw moments of my humanness and struggles help me to see with a new line of sight

Through Your Holy Spirit may Your heart simply companion me amidst it all!

GATHERING PRAYER

Amidst this and all 'moments' of faith lead us to worship You from the reaches of my heart and guide me to live out Your heart's way of seeing. This I ask In the Name of Jesus, Your Christ and my Lord!. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Sung) #960

ST. DAVIDS-QUEENSTON UNITED CHURCH

MISSION STATEMENT:

Welcoming all to: Gather in God's Grace,

Grow in Christian Faith and Go in Community Service.

SCRIPTURE LESSON: I Corinthians 13:1-13

Galatians 1:11-14

This is the Word of God for the people of God Thanks be to God!

SACRED MUSIC: "A Journey of Faith" (Choir)

MESSAGE: 'A New Line of Sight'

* HYMN MV# 20 'God of Still Waiting'

HYMN #400 'Lord Listen to Your Children Praying'

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

*OFFERTORY HYMN: "Hearts Full and Ready"
We bring to you Lord, our hearts full and ready
Because of Your grace and provision
All of creation, it cries for redemption
The heartbeat of Your love's inclusion

The hands of the one join hands with the many Our time, our talent, our treasure We pray to you Lord, receive these our gifts And use them in Your love's good measure.

*OFFERING PRAYER

Gracious Lord, I give You thanks for all that is mine because of Your love. I truly give heart, body mind and soul because I have received. May my offering be a reminder of the most faithful sermon...the living of your love, Your line of sight through my life. Bless me, that I might bless You! In the name of Jesus. Amen

*CLOSING HYMN: VU # 273 'The King of Love My Shepherd Is'

*COMMISSIONING and BLESSING

*VESPER

Go now in peace, never be afraid,
God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day;
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true,
Know he will guide you in all you do
Go now in love, and show you believe
Reach out to others so all the world can see:
God will be there, watching from above,
Go now in peace, in faith and in love. Amen

ORGAN POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please join us for coffee, and fellowship in the CE hall following the Worship service this morning.

Thank you to Rev. Doug Jones for leading our Worship service, to Elma Gardner for being the greeter, to Melanie Kelch for being the Lay Reader, to Sharree Eidt and the choir for their Musical contribution, to the Ladies in the Kitchen for preparing coffee and goodies for the coffee hour and to Allen Zhang/Bill Utting/Steve Hardaker for livestreaming the Worship Service this morning.

"WECOME BACK SUNDAY" There will be a potluck luncheon on Sunday, September 7th and Pork-on-a-Bun will be supplied. Please bring salads or desserts.

Continuing prayers have been requested for Bob Kerr, Jim Griffiths, Roy & Jennie Harwood, Michael Antoniuk, Sandi Sinclair, Neil Foss, Ginny Slingerland, Elizabeth Whan and Anthony Logan Siconofi.

Continuing Prayers have also been requested for Josephine Weatherall, Lenore Cardiff-Hinchliffe, Mary Kolbuc and family, Michael Fisher, Marcia Tyrell, Gary Hunt and family, Ray & Chris Smith, Sandra Dunn, Patti Pozebon, the Vandenburg family, Paula Chant, Ruth Nelson, Rebecca Hatfield Gandey, Judith Reed & families and Fred Poirier & family.

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Come and Find the Quiet Centre



- 1 Come and find the qui et cen tre in the crowd-ed life we lead,
- 2 Si lence is a friend who claims us, cools the heat and slows the pace,
- 3 In the Spir it let us trav el, o pen to each oth er's pain,



find the room for hope to en - ter, find the frame where we are freed: God it is who speaks and names us, knows our be - ing, face to face, let our loves and fears un - ray - el, cel - e - brate the space we gain:



clear the cha - os and the clut - ter, clear our eyes, that we can see mak-ing space with-in our think - ing, lift - ing shades to show the sun, there's a place for deep-est dream - ing, there's a time for heart to care,



all the things that real - ly mat - ter, be at peace, and sim - ply be. rais-ing cour - age when we're shrink-ing, find-ing scope for faith be - gun. in the Spir - it's live - ly schem-ing there is al - ways room to spare!





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God of Still Waiting



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