

The UCW will meet Tuesday, October 7 at 1:30 pm in the parlour.

The monthly pie bake will take place on Friday, October 24 due to Hallowe'en.

Your ongoing support is appreciated as we continue to collect personal items such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, comb/brush, socks, soap, gloves, tissues and personal hygiene supplies. Donations of cash are also accepted and we will do the shopping for you. All donations should be given to Sue Cote.

The activities committee is pleased to have another Beef on a Bun and Euchre night. We look forward to this event Friday, October 10 at 6:00 pm. Come and enjoy the evening. Enjoy beef on a bun with salad, coffee or tea and pie. Tickets are available at the door. Adults \$13.00, children 12 and under \$5.00.

Thank you to Marilyn Beatty our greeter, Val Zuk, Lay Reader, Gaye Norrad for leading the Sunday School, Lisa and the choir for their musical contribution, 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.

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

Continuing prayers have also been requested for Michael Fisher, Marcia Tyrell, John Dunn & Family, Gary Hunt & Family and Jeanne Vanderburg & her mother Beaty.

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October 5, 2025, 10:30am, Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Creation Time 4

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.

Large print hymns are available from the greeters
for those who would like to have them.

GATHERING AND MUSICAL PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

(SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS)

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN:** # VU 635 "All The Way My Saviour Leads Me"

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

We light this candle boldly to help us remember that the shadow of lament and sorrow do not last forever. **The light of Christ is still there, always there, even when we cannot see it. Thanks be to God.**

CALL TO WORSHIP

Eternal God, you are great indeed. **Praise God, O my soul.**
You spread heaven like a tent and make the winds your messengers. **Praise God, O my soul.** You fix the earth on its foundations so that it can never tremble. **Praise God, O my soul.**
You've designed the world for blessing and have blessed us without limit. **Praise God, O my soul.**
Come, let us bless one another and God with our worship.

GATHERING PRAYER

Holy and gracious God, we gather as seekers, lovers, disciples, and friends. We gather to give you thanks for the blessings of our lives and to replenish and refuel for the road ahead. We gather to learn the wisdom of your way and feel the warmth of your love. Bless this gathering as we join together in wholehearted worship. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Sung) #960

MISSION STATEMENT:

**Welcoming all to: Gather in God's Grace,
Grow in Christian Faith and
Go in Community Service.**

SACRED MUSIC: "Come to the Table of the Lord" - Choir

LEARN TOGETHER: # VU 365 "Jesus Loves Me" v1

*Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so;
little ones to him belong, in his love we shall be strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells
me so.*

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Isaiah 25:6-8

1 Corinthians 10:16-17

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

SERMON: **"One Table, One Body, One World in Christ"**

*HYMN: # VU 471 "East This Bread and Never Hunger"

A COMMUNION LITURGY FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD

(Please see the insert.)

OFFERTORY HYMN : VU #542 We give You but Thine Own

*We give you but your own, whate'er the gift may be;
all that we have is yours alone, we give it gratefully.*

OFFERING PRAYER:

**Gracious God, we pray that our offering this morning will multiply
our blessings so that our neighbours next door and across the globe
might be nourished in body, mind, and spirit. We pray that your
reign of love and justice be made tangible and visible and that no
one be left out of the banquet. Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN # VU 424 "May the God of Hope Go with Us"

COMMISSIONING AND VESPER

Go into the world this week knowing you are anointed and blessed
without limit. Share the blessing of God with friends, neighbours, even

strangers. Reach out, extend yourself, and let God surprise you.
Be blessed and be a blessing this week and all your days. **Amen.**

*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

Creation Time in the Season of Pentecost: The United Church of Canada
introduced Creation Time in the Season of Pentecost in 2010. This is a time to
realize and celebrate that we live within a miracle – life on the planet Earth,
and that we are biologically and spiritually kin with all creation. (Sep 14- Oct
12, 2025)

The flowers are dedicated to Darlene, our loyal and devoted secretary. We will
miss you.

We will be having a Fall Thanksgiving Food Drive. Please bring your non-
perishables to the church beginning next Sunday, October 5. They should be
placed in the barrel in the Narthex.

Sunday Service led by a Committee: Oct 19(Sun), 2025. The Spiritual
Care Committee will actively participate in the service. You will hear
their stories of spiritual and pastoral care and they will also let you know
how the committee reaches out to our congregation.

Reformation Sunday: Oct 26 (Sun), 2025. 508th Year of the
Reformation. Join us as we commemorate Reformation Sunday! We give
thanks for the rediscovery of the gospel truth: salvation by God's grace
alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone, based on Scripture alone, for
God's glory alone. **Fun for the Kids!** To celebrate in a joyful spirit, all
Sunday School children are encouraged to wear their Halloween
costumes.