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Secretary: Wednesdays & Thursdays 10am-2pm

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#### Tecumseh United Church

~ An Affirming Congregation ^

## Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 - 10:00 a.m.

We are a fragrance-free environment.
We acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional territory of the Attawandaron, Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee peoples.

### We Gather in God's Love

Welcome & Announcements Land Acknowledgement Lighting the Christ Candle:

Sometimes we feel like we are wandering in a poorly lit space.

At other times we may feel worried about whether it is safe or wise to take a step.

A little bit of light can be a blessing and help us find our way.

We can pass on the light, and help someone else, and be a blessing to them.

Even as we have ourselves been blessed.

## \*Hymn # 222 "Come, Let Us Sing"

## Call to Worship:

We look for God on sunlit fields and in swirling autumn leaves.

## God is everywhere.

We look for God on windy autumn days and in the starry night sky.

# God is everywhere.

We look for God across our dinner tables and across the world.

# God is everywhere.

We look for God in happy times and sad times, in war and in peace, when things change and when things stay the same.

God is everywhere.

## **Opening Prayer:**

Holy Wisdom, Light of Lights, Giver of Hope, as we move towards a new season, we open ourselves to new life, new energy, new purpose.

We long for the gifts of compassion, of caring community, in our everyday struggles and in the troubles of our world.

Together may we find and share the life, love, and peace we need.

May your Spirit fill us to the brim with zeal, imagination, and gusto.

May we read the signs of the times and discer

May we read the signs of the times and discern our special gift, our special calling, our special opportunity to do a new thing in our church and community, for joy for one another and the joy of your beloved world. Amen.

\*Hymn # 232 "Joyful, Joyful We Adore You"

Faith Friends Time: "The Story of Zacchaeus"

Lord's Prayer

Hymn MV # 107 "God Loves Me"

We Listen to God's Word

Scripture Reading: Luke 19:1-10

\*Hymn # 574 "Come, Let Us Sing of a Wonderful Love" Meditation ~ "Redemption Centres"

We Respond to God's Word

Choir Anthem

Mission Reflection

The Offering

Offertory Hymn # 539 "God of All Good" verse 1

Prayers of the People / The Prayer book is read

We Go to Love and Serve God

\*Hymn # 424 "May the God of Hope Go with Us"

Commissioning & Benediction (Rev. Ryan)

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**Thanks** to Rev. Darrow Woods for preparing & leading the service, to Robert Honor for reading, and to the U.C.W. ladies for hosting the Pot-Luck lunch following the service today to welcome Rev. Ryan and Luke and say thanks to Rev. Darrow!

Happy Birthday this week to Joan Rieveley

UCW Fall Entertainment Raffle tickets on sale now!!
Win a \$100 Keg gift card and 2 tickets to "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" by Windsor Light Music Theatre.
Tickets: \$5 each or 3/\$10. Draw date is on Saturday.

**UCW Meeting** this coming Tuesday at 1pm. All ladies are welcome!!

Stop by the Tinsel Time bazaar
on Saturday, November 8th from 9am-12pm

Donations of all types of baked goods would be greatly appreciated

and can be delivered to the church this Friday afternoon, Nov 7th

Next Sunday, November 9th

Rev. Ryan will be here to lead the Remembrance Day service, featuring the Men's Choir & Kevin Bunt playing bagpipes.

<u>Hiatus House Christmas Project</u>-the UCW is again providing blankets for the women at the shelter. Donations of \$20.00 will help us buy what we need. Please give to May Lou Haskell.

Friday, November 21<sup>st</sup> ~ Dinner and Trivia Night at TUC (Men's Club Fundraiser) \$25 per person.

Come as a team (max 6) or singly and we will get you on a team.

Dinner at 5:30pm, Trivia 6:30-8pm Prizes and Lots of Fun!