



Tecumseh United Church
~ An Affirming Congregation ~
Sunday, March 9th, 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.*

Lent One

We Gather in God's Love

Welcome and Announcements
Land Acknowledgement
Lighting the Christ Candle

***Hymn # 639 "One More Step Along the World I Go"**

Call to Worship

God invites us to journey in the way of faithfulness,
to walk the Lenten road with Christ.
We journey with confidence, for Christ is with us.
Thanks be to God, for God's steadfast love.

Opening Prayer

**God of the Wilderness, God of the Journey,
soften our hearts and open our ears
that we might heed Wisdom's call.
Stir us to vision and action,
that we may extend your love
wherever there is need for hope or healing.
In this season of Lent, may we journey with you. Amen.**

***Hymn # 460 "All Who Hunger"**

Communion ~ see insert

Faith Friends Time / Lord's Prayer

Hymn # 340 "Jesus, Friend of Little Children" *verse 1*

We Listen to God's Word

Scripture Reading: Luke 4:1-13

***Hymn # 115 "Jesus Tempted in the Dessert"**

Meditation

We Respond to God's Word

Choir Anthem

The Offering / **Hymn # 116 "Giver of the Perfect Gift"** *verse 1*

Prayers of the People/ the Prayer book is read

We Go to Love and Serve God

***Hymn MV # 65 When We Are Tested**

Commissioning & Benediction

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Thanks to Rev. Lexie Chamberlain for preparing and leading the service, to Karen Devries for reading and to Paul & Sharon Higgins and Joannie Weisshaar for hosting Coffee Hour this morning.

Happy Birthday this week to Joyce Sayell and Val Cormier

Irish Stew Dinner on Friday, March 14th from 5-7 pm
\$15 adult ticket & \$5 kids' ticket

Next Sunday we will commemorate P.I.E. Day

P.I.E. is a special day on or around March 14th each year that we can remind ourselves of the commitment we have made to be *Public, Intentional and Explicit* in our welcome to 2SLGBTQIA+ folk of all sexual orientations & gender identities.

Missing: *3 dozen cups and saucers from the church kitchen needed for the second annual High Tea in April. Please let Heather know if you have borrowed them. Thanks!*

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