



Tecumseh United Church ~ *An Affirming Congregation* ~

Sunday, October 13th, 2024 - 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

Call to Worship:

The leaves are changing colour as the fall season unfolds.

We gather to give thanks to God.

The harvest is in. Some tables are full, yet some are empty.

We bring our yearnings for a just sharing to God.

The community gathers to worship, to celebrate, and to give thanks to our Creator.

We give thanks to God for this community of faith.

Let us worship together.

****Hymn MV # 185 "Ev'ry Day Is a Day of Thanksgiving"***

Opening Prayer:

God, Our Creator, you have given us so much.

Thanksgiving fills our hearts as we return to worship.

God, Our Foundation, you have supported us so well.

A sense of blessing is ours

as we take our place in the faith community.

God the Challenger, you are ahead of us

as we consider the coming months.

We will not shrink from the path of truth and justice.

God the Eternal One, you know our joys, our fears, and our uncertainties.

**In the good days and the days of anxiety,
we will trust you, our loving God. Amen.**

****Hymn MV # 42 "Praise God for This Holy Ground"***

Faith Friends Time/The Lord's Prayer

Hymn MV # 189 "Jesus, We Are Here"

We Listen to God's Word

Scripture Reading: Matthew 6:24-34

****Hymn # 293 "We Praise You, Creator"***

Meditation

We Respond to God's Word

Choir Anthem

Offering Prayer / **Offertory Hymn #542 "We Give You..."**

Prayers of the People / Prayer Book is read

We Go to Love and Serve God

****Hymn # 707 "For the Faithful Who Have Answered"***

Commissioning and Benediction

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Thanks to John Cafe for reading and to Barb McGraw and Sandy Fliieger for hosting Coffee Hour.

Happy Birthday today to Arlo Luckhardt and later this coming week to Julie Leadbetter and Dana Cortese

Hiatus House Christmas Project The UCW will again provide blankets for the women of the shelter. Donations of \$20.00 will help us buy what we need. Please give to Sue Dowhayko.

TINSELTIME BAZAAR – Saturday, November 2nd from 9am-12pm. Baked goods, frozen meals, meat pies, preserves, knit, sewn and craft items, books and Attic Treasures: good condition Christmas decor, gift items and small home decor. *Deadline for donations to the Attic Treasures Room is Sunday, October 27th. Contributions of baked goods are greatly appreciated.*

UCW Fall Entertainment Raffle - You can win 2 tickets to the Friday, November 15th performance of Windsor Light Music Theatre's "A Christmas Story" and a \$100.00 Gift Card to the Keg. Tickets are on sale now until draw date of November 2nd and cost \$5.00 each or 3/\$10.00

The Windsor Youth Centre is in need of many items.
Please see list on the front entry table.

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