

ORCHARD VALLEY UNITED CHURCH
130 Cornwallis Ave., New Minas, NS B4N 3M7

Sunday, June 10, 2018, 9:00 am

Pentecost 3
The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Welcome & News of the Community

Music: **“Come All You People”** **MV #2 (X3)**
Come all you people,
come and praise your Maker,
come all you people,
come and praise your Maker,
come all you people,
come and praise your Maker,
Come now and worship the Lord.

Basket of Blessings

Gathering Words:

One: As if this were the only time, and this the only place, and we
the only people, Jesus Christ will meet us here

All: **As if this were the only time, and this the only place, and
we the only people, let us worship God.**

Music: **“I’m Gonna Shout!”** **MV #183**
I’m gonna shout, shout,
shout out my love for Jesus, for Jesus!
I’m gonna shout, shout,
shout out my love for God’s most holy child!
For whatever I might do today,

At home, at school, at work, at play,
I've got Jesus' love deep down inside of me!

Additional verses:

"I'm gonna raise, raise, raise up my hands..."

"I'm gonna dance, dance, dance all around..."

Children's Time

Sharing the Story: Mark 3:20-35

Focus on the Word

Music: "As We Gather"

VU #457

As we gather at your table,
as we listen to your word,
help us know, O God, your presence;
let our hearts and minds be stirred.
Nourish us with sacred story
till we claim it as our own;
teach us through this holy banquet
how to make Love's victory known.

Turn our worship into witness
in the sacrament of life;
send us forth to love and serve you,
bringing peace where there is strife.
Give us, Christ, your great compassion
to forgive as you forgave;
may we still behold your image
in the world you died to save.

Gracious Spirit, help us summon

other guests to share that feast
where triumphant Love will welcome
those who had been last and least.
There no more will envy blind us
nor will pride our peace destroy,
as we join with saints and angels
to repeat the sounding joy.

Sacrament of Holy Communion

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One: ... and joining your unending hymn:

Sanctus:

***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven
and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.***

Invitation

Fraction and Distribution

Prayer after Communion

Affirmation:

One: Let us go from this place with hearts lifted up.

All: Let us go with spirits rejoicing.

One: Let us go with music in the air around us and a story of love among us. Amen!

Music:

“How Great Thou Art”

VU #238
vss. 1,2,4

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Refrain:

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
How great thou art! How great thou art!*

When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze. **R**

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
and there proclaim, 'My God, how great thou art!' **R**