

# ORCHARD VALLEY UNITED CHURCH

130 Cornwallis Ave., New Minas, NS B4N 3M7

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, January 10, 2021, 10:00 am

### Baptism of the Lord Sunday

#### Music as We Gather

#### Gathering

\* **Lighting of the Outreach, Unity and Christ Candles**

\* **Hymn:** "Spirit God, Be Our Breath" MV #150 v1

#### Recognition of the Land and Indigenous People

#### Welcome and Announcements

May the peace that Christ gives be with you.

**And also with you!**

#### \* Call to Worship:

As we arrive once again to be in the presence of the baptismal waters, why do we come?

**To be reminded that God's love.**

Why was Jesus baptized?

**Jesus came to be baptized as one of us.**

And to what are we baptized?

**We are baptized into a community of faith.**

And why?

**To grow together, infuse by the love and work of the community.**

Come, let us worship.

\* **Hymn:** "When Jesus Comes to be Baptized" VU #100 vs. 1,3-5

#### \* Opening Prayer

#### Listening

Children's Time / Time for all Ages

Minute for Mission

**Scriptures:** Genesis 1:1-5  
Mark 1:4-11

The Word of God for the People of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Special Music:** "Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness"  
*Offered by David Murphy*

**Sermon:** Seafood Casserole and Pickles

\* **Hymn:** "Spirit God, Be Our Breath" MV #150 v4

#### Celebrating

#### Prayers of the People

#### The Lord's Prayer

\* **Hymn:** "Draw the Circle Wide" MV #145

#### \* Commissioning

#### \* Benediction:

The God of forgiveness bless you,  
the grace of Christ keep you,  
and the wisdom of the Holy Spirit strengthen you.  
Let us go now in peace, to love and to serve.  
Thanks be to God!

#### Music as We Depart