

ORCHARD VALLEY UNITED CHURCH

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, September 5, 2021, 10:00 am

15th Sunday after Pentecost

Music as We Gather

Gathering

Lighting of the Outreach, Unity and Christ Candles

* Hymn: "Circle of God" MV #37 vs. 1 & 2

Recognition of the Land and Indigenous People

Welcome and Announcements

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you!

Call to Worship:

In gathering, we open our hearts to hear words of compassion.

Help us to listen to the holiness surrounding us.

We open our spirits to strengthen our faith.

Help us to work together for peace and justice.

We open eyes, ready to serve.

Help us be a witness to the healing love shared here.

We open our lives, ready for change, ready to worship.

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

* Opening Prayer

Listening

Children's Time / Time for all Ages

Minute for Mission

Scripture: Isaiah 35:4-7a

Mark 7:24-37

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

Special Music: Inseparable

Sermon: I Could be Wrong

* Hymn: "Open My Eyes, That I May See" VU #371

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.
And the people said ... **AMEN!**

Music as We Depart