ORCHARD VALLEY UNITED CHURCH

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, September 12, 2021, 10:00 am

16th Sunday after Pentecost

Music as We Gather

Gathering

Lighting of the Outreach, Unity and Christ Candles

* **Hymn:** "There is Room for All" MV #62

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:

The heavens shout of God's presence throughout creation!

There is so much beauty throughout the earth and the heavens!

Look across all of nature and we are reminded of God's creative love.

Day by day we are blessed with visions of God's glory, both large and small.

Let us give praise and thanks always for our God of creation.

We sing and shout our praises of thanksgiving and joy for each new day. AMEN.

* **Hymn:** "New Every Morning" VU #405

* Opening Prayer

Listening

Children's Time / Time for all Ages

The Lord's Prayer

* **Hymn:** "Dance with the Spirit" MV #156

Minute for Mission

Scriptures: James 3:1-12

Mark 8:27-38

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

Anthem: Make this Church a Welcome Place

Offered by Nancy Handrigan, Mindy Vinqvist-Tymchuk, Frank Hartman and Dave Murphy

Sermon: Jesus who?

* **Hymn:** "Called By Earth and Sky" MV #135

Celebrating

Prayers of the People

* **Hymn:** "Will You Come and Follow Me" VU #567

* 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