

ORCHARD VALLEY UNITED CHURCH

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, November 21st, 2021, 10:00 am

Reign of Christ Sunday

Music as We Gather

Gathering

Lighting of the Christ Candle

We light the Outreach Candle to cast warmth on our call to servanthood.

A light to caring for friend, neighbour and stranger.

We light the Unity Candle to shine on God's love of all people.

A light on the pathway to understanding and inclusion.

We light the Christ Candle to illuminate the way of Jesus.

A light to our footsteps, guiding us in the path of truth, justice and peace.

* **Introit:** "There is Room for All"

MV #62 x2

Recognition of the Land

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you!

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship:

We come to this place searching...

For truth, honesty and integrity.

We come to this place caring...

For family, friends, neighbours and strangers.

We come to this place with a desire...

For justice, peace, unity and harmony.

God is with us here to enliven and inspire us to be Jesus...

To others and ourselves, today and always.

Come let us worship!

* **Hymn:** "You, Lord, Are Both Lamb and Shepherd" VU #210

* **Opening Prayer**

Listening

Children's Time / Time for all Ages

The Lord's Prayer

* **Hymn:** "Water Flowing from the Mountains" MV #87

Minute for Mission

Scriptures: Revelation 1:4b-8

John 18:33-37

The Word Of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

Anthem:

Let Me Walk With You

Offered by Orchard Valley United Church Choir

Sermon:

What Is Truth

* **Hymn:** "Touch the Earth Lightly"

VU #307

Celebrating

Prayers of the People

* **Hymn:** "Forth in Your Name, O Christ"

VU #416

* **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!**