

+ORCHARD VALLEY UNITED CHURCH

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, May 22nd, 2022, 10:00 am

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Music as We Gather

Gathering

Lighting of the Outreach, Unity, and Christ Candles

***Introit:** “Behold, Behold, I Make All Things New” MV #115

Recognition of the Land

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you!

Welcome and Announcements

*** Call to Worship:**

Creator God, calls to our spirits, welcoming us together.

We answer the call through love.

God’s Spirit calls us by name, wanting to befriend us.

God’s Spirit calls us to be filled anew.

Through the risen Christ we come together.

Together we come to worship.

***Hymn:** “Creator God You Gave Us Life” MV #27

Opening Prayer

Listening

Minute For Mission

Children’s Time / Time for all Ages

The Lord’s Prayer

***Hymn:** “Dance with the Spirit” MV #156

Scriptures: **Ephesians 1:15-23**

Luke 24:44-53

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

Anthem: **Furaha**

*Offered by Orchard Valley United Church Choir,
Andy Kavanagh, Wayne MacDonald*

Message: **Until Then**

Rev. Don Sellsted

*** Hymn:** “Deep in Our Hearts” MV #154

Celebrating

Prayers of the People

*** Hymn:** “Go Forth for God” VU #418

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!**