### WESLEY UNITED CHURCH

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Wesley United Church, located on Treaty 4 land, is an Affirming Ministry of Jesus Christ, nurturing spiritual exploration and growth. We advocate for justice and social action. We love and care for ourselves and our neighbours throughout the world.

Minister: Cindy Bourgeois Office Coordinator: Tina Blair Event & Program Coordinator: Kiera Eastley Youth Coordinator: Hannah Dove Caretaker: Jon Weichel Choir Director: Lee Stubbe President: Dan Holbrow Vice-President: Laura Thomson Past President: Stephanie Dove Secretary: Al Goudie Treasurer: Jim Chernick

# 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY January 19, 2020 10:30 a.m.

#### Assisting in Worship

Reader: Tessa Whyte

Congregational responses are indicated by bold italics. \* You are invited to stand

# WE GATHER IN COMMUNITY

PRELUDE

\*WE SING VU #402

We Are One

GATHERING WORDS

For those who are tired may this sacred space be a place of rest.

In the promise of our Covenant.

For those who are hurting may this holy place be a place of healing.

### In the promise of our Covenant.

For those seeking answers to difficult questions, may this be a place where questions are accepted and wise, caring words are spoken.

### In the promise of our Covenant.

We come for different reasons, we come from different places. Here we are all embraced by the same spirit

#### In the promise of our Covenant. Amen.

- WELCOME
- OUR OPENING PRAYER
- ...Unknowable Mystery,
  - We honour the presence of the holy in our midst.
- May the "kin-dom" flourish among us.
- May we have only what we need each day that all might have enough and more tomorrow.
- May we be as generous in offering forgiveness as we have been humbled and grateful in being forgiven.

May we be strengthened through our trials; and may we face evil with courage, truth and love. As we pray in Jesus' name, may we also walk in his way. Amen.

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

We light this candle as a community of Jesus the Christ

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TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

# WE LISTEN

#### SUNG PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

WE SING VU #400 Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying REW BIBLE Genesis 15:1- 6, 12-18

HEBREW BIBLE

GOSPEL

John 1:29-42

As we reflect on these words from our tradition,

may we find wisdom for living.

ANTHEM

#### **SPECULATION**

### **WE RESPOND**

\*WE SING MV #144 Like a Healing Stream MINUTE FOR MISSION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS OUR PRAYERS WE ARE CHALLENGED TO SHARE OFFERTORY \*OUR RESPONSE MV #196 We Will Take What You Offer

\*WE DEDICATE OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

# WE GO FORTH TO SERVE

\*WE SING MV #154

Deep in Our Hearts

WORDS OF MISSION

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE