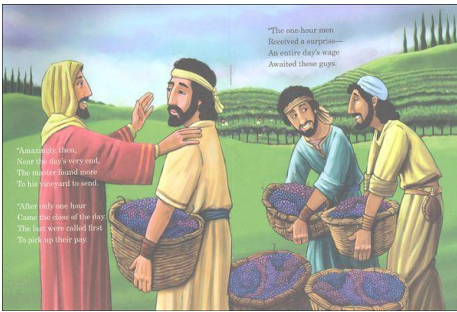


EMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH

March 17, 2019
2st Sunday in Lent



A warm welcome to all who have joined us for worship today.

Please note this is a scent free environment.

(*please rise in body or spirit)

Today, we welcome to Emmanuel **Jennifer Henry**,
Executive Director of KAIROS Canada.

Prelude: "O Quanta Qualia" - Philip Cranmer

Welcome and Announcements

**Gathering: MV #20 "God of Still Waiting"*

Centering Time for Worship: Lighting of the Candles

Hanging Around the Market Place

**Invitation to Community*

Come and enter the vineyard

A place where there is life and growth

Feel its shade, see the sun

We tend to the eternal vine

Nurture the fruit of justice and peace

For we live in the vineyard of the Divine

**Gathering Prayer:*

Great Spirit, you call us to bear fruit, to nurture love, to make equity.

Remind us to hold those vocations before us as we walk toward

shadow, as we are pushed to the place of the skull. In the name of

Jesus, the one of the cross, we make this prayer. Amen.

Candles of Joy and Concern

**Hymn: MV #127 "I Saw the Rich Ones"*

Lent Challenge 2: Reader: Patti Shaw

- Sue Browning St. Andrews-Westminster and Littlewood United Churches, London, ON

Worship with the Young at Heart

Whine, Whine, Whine!

Preparation for Proclamation:

MV #14 "Where Two or Three are Gathered" x3

Scriptures:

Psalm 16, VU#738

Reader: Rachel Baker

Matthew 20.1-16

Anthem: "Lord of the Small" - Anderson/Forrest

Reflection

Hymn of Response: VU #108 "Throughout These Lenten Days and Nights" vs. 1

First and Last, Last and First

Video: Affirming PIE (Public, Intentional, Explicit) Clip

Offering: "Ricerca" - Jacobo Fogliano

**Hymn of Presentation:* MV #172 "God Says" vs 4

**Prayer of Dedication*

Holy One, we offer these wages as we offer our hands and our hearts, that the fruit of wholeness will blossom into nurture, so that all Creation may sing of your love. Amen.

Prayers of the Faithful

Petition: Holy Friend

Response: The last shall be first and the first shall be last.

**Hymn:* VU #227 "For the Fruit of All Creation"

**Sending Forth*

From the marketplace to the vineyard, from the vineyard to nurture, from nurture transformed into Divine love for all. Amen.

**Concluding Rite:*

“May the Christ Who Walks on Wounded Feet”

**May the Christ who walks on wounded feet
walk with you on the road.**

**May the Christ who serves with wounded hands
stretch out your hands to serve.**

**May the Christ who loves with a wounded heart,
open your hearts to love;**

When you leave this place

may you see the face of Christ in ev'ryone you meet;

And may ev'ryone you meet see the face of Christ in you.

- Trad. Celtic blessing/Roger C. Bond

Postlude: “Psalm 116 from Tabalature Book” - Anthony van Noordt

In Appreciation

Minister: All the Congregation and Rev. Don Uhryniw

Music: Arlene Gray and the Choir

AV: Deb Donovan/Brian James *Sunday School:* Sue Masters

Refreshments: David Darling & Robert Moreton

Elevator: Christine Lewis

Ushers & Greeters: Kathy Gillis, Ted Shaw, Joyce Hawthorne,
Jacquie Robinson

IN MEMORIUM

Robert (Bob) Peltz - Mar. 10/19

James (Jim) Lillico - Mar. 13/19

Charles (Chuck) Neads - Mar. 13/19

Our condolences to their families & friends.

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We acknowledge that we live on the traditional territory
of the Mississauga People of the Anishnaabe Nation*

