

HASTINGS ROSENEATH PASTORAL CHARGE
The United Church of Canada
WORSHIP SERVICE February 3rd 2019
4th Sunday after Epiphany

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^MUSICAL PRELUDE: (*Leader & Choir Enter*)  
(^) *means, please stand as you are able,*  
(**Bold Print** - Congregation Response)  
**LIFE & WORK OF THE CHURCHES**

^EPIPHANY INTROIT:  
“Hope Shines as the Solitary Star” (More Voices 220)  
*Hope shines as the solitary star*  
*Faith is the inner light.*  
*You and I together mirror the Light of Lights,*  
*and illumine the path-way home. (3 times)*

^CALL TO WORSHIP: (*Rev Jamie York*)

^HYMN: VU#389 “God is Here”

OPENING PRAYER: (*In Unison*)  
*Gather us together, O Spirit of God.*  
*Fill our hearts gathered here with goodness,*  
*your worship with creativity,*  
*your world with new possibilities,*  
*and your church with promised gifts.*  
*Gather and fill us, Great Spirit,*  
*in these cold and snowy days of winter*  
*with the robust lives you would have us live.*  
*These things we pray in the name of Christ. Amen.*

CHOIR ANTHEM: (*Roseneath*)

SCRIPTURE READING: Jeremiah 1:4-10 (R)  
Reader: May God bless this reading for God’s people today.  
*People: Thanks be to God! Amen.*

FOR THE CHILD IN US ALL: “When God calls...”

^HYMN: VU#506 “Take My Life and Let it Be”

GOSPEL READING: Luke 4:21-30 (L)  
Leader: In this reading is Good News for God’s people.  
*People: May the Spirit of the Living God be with us today! Amen.*

SERMON: “How angry can you get?”

^HYMN: VU#87 “I am the Light of the World”

MINUTE FOR MISSION: “Alternative farming brings hope”

^OFFERING AND DEDICATION: ∴ (*In Unison*) MV#191  
*What can I do?... What can I bring?*  
*What can I say?... What can I sing?*  
*I’ll sing with joy... I’ll say a prayer.*  
*I’ll bring my love... I’ll do my share. (Repeat)*

^PRAYER of DEDICATION: (*In Unison*)  
*Bless us and these gifts, O God.*  
*May our sharing today be multiplied for tomorrow,*  
*opening a posture of generosity for the world. Amen.*

PASTORAL PRAYERS & LORD’S PRAYER

^HYMN: VU#575 “I’m Gonna Live so God can use Me”

^COMMISSIONING: (*Responsive*)  
A we go from our worship this day,  
*We go in the power of the Holy Spirit.*  
*We go in the grace of Christ.*  
*We go to live out the mind-opening,*  
*heart-warming, life-giving*  
*Good News that God so loves the world.*

**^BENEDICTION: Rev. Jamie York**

**^CHORAL BLESSING: (Go Now in Peace)**

*Go now in peace, never be afraid*

*God will go with you each hour of every day.*

*Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true,*

*Know God will guide you in all you do.*

*Go now in love and show you believe*

*Reach out to others, so all the world can see*

*God will be there, watching from above,*

*Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.*

*A-a-men, A-a-men, A-a-a-men (Don Besig & Nancy Price)*