

HASTINGS ROSENEATH PASTORAL CHARGE  
The United Church of Canada  
6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter--May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019

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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**

^CHORAL INTROIT: VU#175 Refrain

*This is the day that God has made!  
Rejoice! Rejoice! And be exceeding glad!  
This is the day that God has made!  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Hal-le-lu-jah! (twice over)*

^CALL TO WORSHIP: Rev. Jamie York

^HYMN: VU#509 I the Lord of Sea and Sky

OPENING PRAYER: (In Unison)

*Come, O God, light our path as we gather today.  
Open the gates of our minds and our hearts  
that your Word & Sacrament may penetrate our being this day.  
Lead us to the river of the water of life.  
Refresh us for the work you have set for us.  
Sit us down under the tree of life.  
Let us rejoice in the diversity of its fruit  
and witness to the healing of nations.  
Show us your glory, Sovereign One  
as we come to worship you. Amen.*

CHOIR ANTHEM: "Wings of a Dove" (Roseneath)

SCRIPTURE READING: Revelation 21:10, 22—22:5 (R)

Reader: May God bless this reading for God's people today.  
People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

FOR THE CHILD IN US ALL: "The Promise of Life"

^HYMN: VU#375 Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

GOSPEL READING: John 14:23-29 (M)

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: "Whispering in our ear"

MINUTE FOR MISSION: "A place of worship, a place of 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)

*Accept and bless what we offer this morning, O God.  
Pour out abundantly what we share into our aching world,  
that your grace may multiply, blessing upon blessing,  
enfolding the world with your transformative power. Amen.*

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION to the TABLE: (Rev. Jamie York)

^HYMN: VU#460 All who hunger

COMMUNION LITURGY: Service #2

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

^HYMN: VU#468 Let us Talents and Tongues Employ

^COMMISSIONING & BENECTION: 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)*