

Communion Prayer Dan Leaver
Partaking of the Gifts Congregation
***Hymn:** One Bread, One Body VU 467 v. 1 & 3
Reflection: Our Harbor Master Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema

WE RESPOND TO GOD

Gratitude is the Best Attitude Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema
Offertory Prayer Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema
Prayers for the People Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema
***Hymn:** Blessed Assurance VU 337 all verses
***Commissioning & Benediction**
Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema
***Congregational Response** (Sing 2x in unison) VU 649
*Walk with me, I will walk with you
and build the land that God has planned
where love shines through.*
Postlude: Slovak Peasant Dance (arr. Bartok)
Kim Eyre

~~~ WORSHIP ENDS - SERVICE BEGINS ~~~

A warm welcome to all that are present today and to all watching on-line at this time of worship and fellowship. Your presence enriches our church family. May we all feel blessed today by the fellowship we have received.

~~~ SANCTUARY FLOWERS ~~~

Bill Jacklin and Debra Goertz have placed these flowers in memory of their mother, Betty Jacklin, who passed away June 15, 2020.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2022

~ Trinity Sunday ~
~ Confirmation and Communion ~

Worship Team: Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema, Dan Leaver,
Margaret Ryan, Liz Dunlop, MaryBee Haworth

Music Team: Karen Schuessler, Amanda Lynn Stublely and
Martin Horak (soloists), Kim Eyre (flute)

VU = red hymnal Voices United | MV = More Voices hymnal
Music Credits: One License #A-738765 | * = stand if able

WE GATHER TOGETHER

Prelude: Cantabile (Sonata in G) (Telemann) Kim Eyre

Life and Work of the Church Margaret Ryan

Indigenous Land Acknowledgment Dan Leaver

Lighting of the Christ Candle Dan Leaver

WE APPROACH GOD

***Call to Worship** (responsive) Margaret Ryan

One: O Lord, our Sovereign, you are:

**All: Majestic
Compassionate
Glorious
Inspiring
Beautiful
Amazing
Tender
Powerful**

One: Your name is blessed in all the earth.

***Hymn:** Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty VU 315 v 1, 3, 4

Opening Prayer (in unison) Margaret Ryan

O Lord, you reveal wisdom and spiritual insight through your presence in creation. When we look at the heavens, we see your vastness. When look at the seas teeming with fish, and verdant fields painted like canvas, we see your creativity and your bounty. For all of this and for so much more, we praise your name. Amen.

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

Learning with Children Dan Leaver

The Lord's Prayer (in unison) VU page 921 and pew card

Scripture: John 16:12-15 Liz Dunlop

Special Music: Bright Morning Stars are Rising
Amanda Lynn Stublely and Martin Horak

CONFIRMATION

Introduction Dan Leaver

As we prepare ourselves for the act of confirmation, let us affirm our faith by saying A New Creed together.

***A New Creed** (please stand) (VU page 918) Congregation

We Introduce the Confirmand MaryBee Haworth

On behalf of Wesley-Knox United Church, we introduce Oliver Horak to be welcomed into the full membership of the United Church of Canada.

The Confirmand Makes a Profession of Faith
Dan Leaver with Oliver Horak

***Congregation Promise:** (stand as able)

One: Let us pledge to Oliver our continued support and care.

**All: We will continue to support you,
walk with you, and grow with you.
With God's help, we will live out our baptism
as a loving community in Jesus Christ:**

nurturing one another in faith,
upholding one another in prayer,
encouraging one another in God's work.

We Share in a Creed (in unison) written by Oliver Horak
Congregation

I believe in the United and Christian churches,
and the communities that surround them.

I believe in God, creator of the earth, the divine,
and the protector of humanity

I believe in Jesus, the son of God, and the messages
of his story.

Using these beliefs as a guide, I will strive to go forward
throughout my life with compassion, kindness,
understanding, humility, and respect for all living things.

Laying On of Hands
Dan Leaver, Rev Dr. Abiel Khalema, and Oliver's family

We Present the Confirmand with Gifts and Certificates

***Hymn:** I Have Called You by Your Name MV 161 vs. 4

Presentation of Members by Transfer of Membership
Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema and John McFall

Martha Lambert
Caroline Khalema

Special Music: Welcome of New Members
Karen Schuessler and Richard Yake

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to Communion Rev. Dr. Abiel Khalema

One: Wisdom calls:

All: Come eat the bread of life.

One: Wisdom calls:

All: Come drink the cup of fellowship.

One: Wisdom calls:

All: Come partake of truth and grace.

One: Wisdom calls:

Come and be enlightened by the Holy Spirit.