

**TRINITY UNITED CHURCH  
PETERBOROUGH, ONTARIO**

**We acknowledge that we meet and live  
on the traditional territories of the  
Mississauga Anishinaabe People.**

**We give thanks for their care for the land  
over thousands of years and  
for their deep spirituality and  
honouring of the Creator and the creation.**

**May we live with respect in God's creation  
and in harmony with our neighbours.**



**Trinity United Church  
360 Reid Street  
Peterborough, ON K9H 7G6  
Telephone: 705-743-3301  
Email: [trinitychurch@cogeco.net](mailto:trinitychurch@cogeco.net)  
Minister: [trinityminister@cogeco.net](mailto:trinityminister@cogeco.net)  
Confidential Pastoral Care: 705-874-8603  
Website: [www.trinitypeterborough.com](http://www.trinitypeterborough.com)**



**July 11, 2021**

**TRINITY UNITED CHURCH**

July 11, 2021

**Pentecost 7**

*Welcome to all.*

*May this time of worship touch our hearts and minds and offer hope and promise  
for the days to come*

**PRELUDE:** "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"  
(In the style of Karg-Elert) Van Denman Thompson

**WELCOME**  
**LIFE and ACTION of the COMMUNITY OF FAITH**

**CENTRING**

**PRAYER OF APPROACH**

**OPENING HYMN: VU242<sup>1</sup>** "Let All Things Now Living"

Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving  
to God our Creator triumphantly raise;  
who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,  
by guiding us on to the end of our days.  
God's banners are o'er us, pure light goes before us,  
a pillar of fire shining forth in the night;  
till shadows have vanished and darkness is banished,  
as forward we travel from light into Light.

By law God enforces, the stars in their courses  
and sun in its orbit obediently shine;  
the hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,  
the depths of the ocean proclaim God divine.  
We, too, should be voicing our love and rejoicing;  
with glad adoration a song let us raise:  
till all things now living unite in thanksgiving,  
to God in the highest, hosanna and praise.

**TIME FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART**

**HEBREW SCRIPTURE:** 2 Samuel 6: 1-19

**PSALM INTRODUCTION**

**PSALM 142: VU864**

*Refrain:* You will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

With my voice I cry out, O God;  
**with my voice I plead for your mercy.**  
I pour out my trouble before you;  
**I tell you of my distress. R**

When my spirit is faint within me, you know my way.  
**In the path where I walk**  
**they have hidden a snare for me.**  
Look on my right hand and see:  
there is no one who takes thought for me.  
**I have no way of escape and no one cares for me. R**

I cry to you, God.  
**I say: you are my refuge;**  
**you are all that I have in the land of the living.**  
Give heed to my cry, for I am brought very low.  
**Save me from those who pursue me,**  
**for they are too strong for me.**  
Bring me out of my prison,  
so that I may give thanks to your name.  
**The righteous will gather around me,**  
**for you will show me your loving kindness. R**

**REFLECTION:** "More Than Cheering"

**CONTEMPORARY WITNESS<sup>2</sup>**

"The Protector" by John Bell & Graham Maule

**HYMN: MV144<sup>3</sup>** "Like a Healing Stream"

Like a healing stream in a barren desert,  
Spirit water bringing life to dusty earth,  
God is trickling through our lives  
as in a dream unfolding,  
promising revival and rebirth  
like a healing stream

Like a gentle rain on a thirsty garden,  
Spirit water come to nourish tiny seed,  
God is bubbling through the soil  
to coax a new creation  
yearning for an end to want and need  
like a gentle rain.

Like a river strong with a restless current,  
Spirit water rushing on to distant shore,  
God is carving out a channel  
in a new direction,  
calling for an end to hate and war  
like a river strong.

Like a mighty sea reaching far horizons,  
Spirit water with a love both deep and wide,  
God is working in our hearts  
to shape a new tomorrow:  
God will always challenge and provide!  
Like a mighty sea, like a river strong,  
like a gentle rain, like a healing stream.

### **PASTORAL PRAYER** **LORD'S PRAYER (VU916)**

Eternal Spirit,  
Earth Maker, Pain Bearer, Life Giver,  
Source of all that is and that shall be,  
Father and Mother of us all,  
Loving God, in whom is heaven  
The hallowing of your name echo  
through the universe!  
The way of your justice be followed  
by peoples of the world!  
Your heavenly will be done  
By all created beings!  
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom  
sustain our hope and come on earth.  
With the bread we need for today, feed us.  
In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.  
In times of temptation and test, strengthen us.  
From trials too great to endure, spare us.  
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.  
For you reign in the glory of the power that is love,  
Now and for ever. Amen

**SOLO:** "The Lord's My Shepherd"

Jessie Seymour Irvine

### **BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE:** "The King of Love"

Leading in worship today are Rev. Joanna MacQuarrie, Peter Darling as Peter; Margaret Marris, Soloist; Karla Buckborough, Technical Production.

#### Credits:

- <sup>1</sup> Tune: ASH GROVE, 66 11 66 11 D; Welsh; harm. by Gerald H. Knight, 1908–1979, © Text: Katherine K. Davis, 1892–1980, © 1939, 1966, E. C. Schirmer Music Co.; Reprinted under One License A-726544.
- <sup>2</sup> In Bell and Maule, Eh...Jesus...Yes, Peter...?no.2, Wild Goose, 1988, 20-22.
- <sup>3</sup> Words and Music: © 2003, Bruce Harding. All rights reserved. Used with permission. Reprinted under One License A-726544.

### **OFFERING**

Your donations are appreciated and used carefully to further Christ's work in the world. In these weeks, when gatherings are not possible, please make donations to Trinity UC and to the Mission and Service Fund of the United Church of Canada by one of the following methods:

#### **Four ways to Donate:**

1. Cheques placed in secure mailbox beside main door of church
2. PAR (pre-authorized remittance monthly). Contact church office and they will make arrangements.
3. Electronically through e-transfer or by using Canada Helps, a Canadian not-for-profit organization. Just go to Trinity's web page <http://trinitypeterborough.com> and click on the 'Donate Now' button located at the upper right hand side of the page. Canada Helps will issue a tax receipt in Trinity's name.
4. Send your donation via e-transfer.