

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn "In Christ there is no East or West" 606

Blessing

"May God's blessing surround you each day,
as you trust God and walk in his way.
May God's presence within
guard and keep you from sin.
Go in peace, go in joy, go in love,
Go in peace, go in joy, go in love."

The Benediction

Amen (3)

Postlude

Prayer list

Rev. Brenda Miller, the families of Dorothy Liang and George Lim, on the passing of their beloved sister, Margaret, Dorothy's son-in-law, Robert and her brother, Edward, Helen Lindsay and her nephew, Douglas Kelly (brain cancer), Bob Favel (stroke), Laurie Keller, the Euler and Galang families on the loss of Vic, Auntie Lipa and cousin Jaruko Dilgato, the Tanzler family on the loss of Walter, Dagmar Hudson, Tom and Joanne Ogawa, Darlene, Rylan, the Barbosa family, Samantha Kelly, Peggy Wilkie, Kim, Joanne Fraser, Preya, Randy, Kevin, Michael Brotsche, Jean & Don Burgess, Michael Kelly, Barbara Syred's son, Craig (heart surgery), the Bowers family on the loss of Sylvia, Mary Ann Ellis, Jasmine Pear, Craig Wright (brain cancer), George Brown (blind in one eye), the Nagata family on the loss of Kory.

Steveston United Church

August 16th, 2020

10:00am (outside)



Welcome to our ninth Sunday worship outside.

(our last worship service in the sanctuary- March 15, 2020)

Social distancing, masks, hand sanitizer, chairs 6 feet apart. If, at any time, you are uncomfortable for any reason, please feel free to move your chair, or leave if you like

**Please place your offering in the basket on the table at 'the back.'*

Lighting the Christ Candle

"Let the light of Christ fill this space! Amen"

Announcements and Prayer Requests

We Welcome One Another in the Name of Christ

One: Open our ears.

All: to hear your word.

One: Open our eyes

All: to see your presence.

One: Open our arms

All: to embrace the community.

One: Open our minds.

All: to the beauty of truth.

One: Open our hearts

All: to the joy of new life.

(no singing please)

Hymn "Come in, come in and sit down" 395

Come in, come in and sit down,
You are a part of the family.
We are lost and we are found,
We are a part of the family.

You know the reason why you came,
Yet no reason can explain,
So share in the laughter and cry in the pain,
We are a part of the family.

God is with us in this place,
Like a mother's warm embrace,
We're all forgiven by God's grace,
For we are a part of the family.

Opening Prayer

All: God of Heaven and Earth,
we long to be truly free.
In this hour of worship,
help us to grasp the freedom that
comes from seeing you more clearly,
loving you more dearly,
and following you more nearly.
Day by Day, give us strength and
courage to be your people in this time,
In this place. Amen

Story

Hymn "Let there be light" 679

We Hear God's Word Matthew 15: 21-28

The word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

"Gloria"

Hymn "O for a world" 697

