



**"TAKE
HEART;
IT IS I.**

**DO NOT
BE AFRAID."**

MATTHEW 14:27

McDougall & Ogden United Joint Service
February 25, 2024
Season of Lent
The Wandering Heart—Rescue Me From Danger

Prelude Music Tanya Wan Lim

Prelude Return to You Sanctified Art

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Chorus *One Light, One Sun* **Screen**

Lighting the Christ Candle

Opening Hymn *Like a Healing Stream* **MV 144**

Extinguishing the Lenten Candle for Second Sunday in Lent

Centering Prayer

Lord's Prayer Spoken

Assurance of Grace

Passing the Peace (Kids go to Kids Table)

Song *Walk With Me* **VU 649**

Prayers of the People

Psalms for Praying by Nan Merrill Psalm 22

Song *Return to You (chorus)* **Screen**

Scripture Matthew 22:23-31

Song *Oceans (Houston, Crocker, Ligthelme)* CS

Reflection Bill Weaver

Affirmation of Faith

Closing Hymn *My Love Colours Outside the Lines* **MV 138**

Benediction

Postlude Tanya Wan Lim

Welcome

McDougall's Affirming Statement: *We strive to be a community of faith where all are welcomed in their diversity, and where we share with each other our struggles, our triumphs and our joys, with deep respect for our differences. We commit to moving beyond being "a welcoming church" to being an inclusive community, where we will be a safe space for all to Seek Wholeness in Christ and Share God's Love.*

Our service runs about one hour and 15 minutes.

- You are invited to light a candle in remembrance, in joy, or in hope, as part of our service ritual.
- McDougall's office is open Tuesday to Friday from 10 to 2 pm. Call Ogden United or Rev. Bill Weaver for info on when the office is open for Ogden.

Ways to Give to Ogden (403-630-5633)

1. Mail a cheque payable to Ogden United Church
2. Online Through Canada Helps
3. Donate by e-Transfer, ogdenminister@shaw.ca
4. Sign up for PAR

Ways to Give to McDougall (403-252-1620)

1. Donate by e-Transfer, office@mcdunited.com
2. On Our Website, www.mcdunited.com
3. Mail a cheque payable to McDougall United Church.
4. Sign up for PAR
5. Support the Gift Card Program



We acknowledge the history, culture and spirituality of the Siksika, Kainai, Pikani, Tsuut'ina and Nakoda peoples of Treaty 7, and their traditional territories within which McDougall United Church resides. We are proud, as Canadians, to share in the ongoing Treaty relationship with Indigenous people, and in the special relationship we honour with the Metis Nation of Alberta and their many members in Region 3 (Calgary-Southern Alberta).

Important Dates This Week

Sunday - February 25

- 10:30 am On-site & Online Service
- McDougall AGM

Monday - February 26

- 11 am Homeschool Group

Tuesday - February 27

- 11 am Bible Study

Wednesday - February 28

- 9 am Heritage Time Out
- 1 pm Exploring Life Through Writing and Discussion
- 6 pm "The Divine Dance" Lenten Book Study

Thursday - February 29

- 6 pm McDougall Singers Rehearsal
- 7:30 pm Sonica Treble Ensemble Rehearsal

Friday - March 1

- 1:30 pm World Day of Prayer
- 2:30 pm Intergenerational Club Meeting



Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 10 — 2 p.m.
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