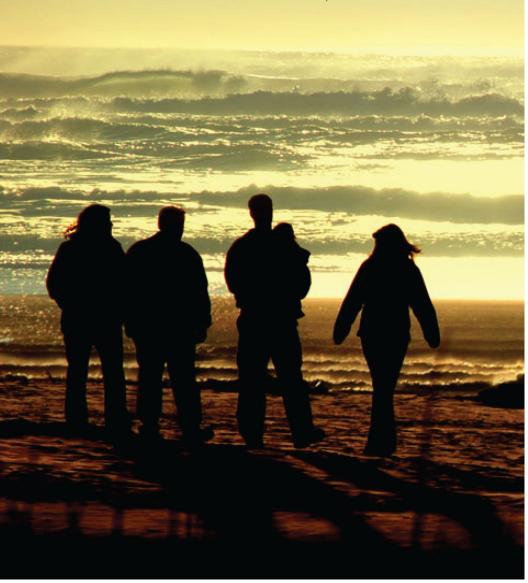
"For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them."

MATTHEW 18:20, ESV



Sunday, March 17, 2024

5th Sunday in Lent - St. Patrick's Day

McDougall & Ogden United Churches Joint Service Wandering Heart Lent 5—Teach me

Shannon Phillips Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Where 2 or 3 are Gathered MV 14 Song

Lighting the Christ Candle

Opening Hymn It's a Song of Praise to the Maker MV 30

Extinguishing the Lenten Candle

Pie Jesu (arr. Mary Lynn Lightfoot) Anthem Sonica

Centering Prayer

Assurance of Grace

Passing the Peace Kids Table

How Then Shall I Live (Good) Song screen

Prayers of the People Great is Thy Faithfulness VU 288

Lord's Prayer

Scripture Matthew 18:15-22

Reflection Some harsh good news Grant Dawson

Closing Hymn Deep in Our Hearts MV 154

Benediction

Shannon Phillips Postlude

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).

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.

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- 1. Mail a cheque payable to Ogden United Church
- 2. Online Through Canada Helps
- 3. Donate by e-Transfer, ogdenminister@shaw.ca
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Ways to Give to McDougall (403-252-1620)

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- 2. On Our Website, www.mcdunited.com
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- 5. Support the Gift Card Program



Important Dates This Week

Monday - March 18

- 11 am Homeschool Group

Tuesday - March 19

- 11 am Bible Study
- 12 pm Acadia Pantry

Wednesday - March 20

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

Thursday - March 21

- 9:30 am Healing Pathways
- 1:30 pm Friendship Club
- 6 pm McDougall Singers Rehearsal
- 7:30 pm Sonica Treble Ensemble Rehearsal

Friday - March 22

- Congregational Survey Deadline
- 1:30 pm A "Canadian" Alberta Afternoon

Saturday - March 23

- 7 pm A "Canadian" Alberta Afternoon



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