

“YOU ARE THE
MESSIAH,
THE SON OF THE
LIVING GOD.”

MATTHEW 16:16, NRSV



March 3, 2024
Lent 3 – Praise the Mount
Communion

Prelude		Tanya Wan Lim
Video	Return to You	Sanctified Art
Welcome and Announcements		
Call to Worship		
Chorus	Like a Rock	MV 92
Lighting the Christ Candle		
Poem	Praise the Mount	Sarah Speed
Opening Hymn	Worship the Lord	VU 401
Extinguishing the Lenten Candle		
Centering Prayer of Confession		
Assurance of Grace		
Passing the Peace		
Service of Communion		
Anthem	In the Silence	
	Holy, Holy, Holy Lord	MV 206
	Memorial Acclamation	MV 207
Prayers of the Community		
	Doxology	VU 541
Lord's Prayer		
	Great Amen	MV 208
Communion is Served		
	Communion Hymn We Gather Here	VU 46
Kids Table		
Scripture		Matthew 16: 13 - 20
Reflection		Joanne Anquist
Affirmation of Faith		
Closing Hymn	When Morning Gilds the Skies	VU 339
Benediction		
Postlude		Tanya Wan Lim

Welcome

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).

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. Sign up for PAR
4. Mail a cheque payable to McDougall United Church.
5. Support the Gift Card Program



Important Dates This Week

Sunday - March 3

- 10:30 am On-site & Online Service
- Soup's on Sunday

Monday - March 4

- 11 am Homeschool Group

Tuesday - March 5

- 11 am Bible Study
- 6:30 pm God at the Movies

Wednesday - March 6

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

Thursday - March 7

- 12 pm Taste & Try
- 6 pm McDougall Singers Rehearsal
- 7:30 pm Sonica Treble Ensemble Rehearsal

Friday - March 8

- 2:30 pm Intergenerational Club Meeting
- 7 pm RSVP deadline for \$10 tickets for the Family Dance

Saturday - March 9

- 5 pm Family Dance



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