

CROSSROADS UNITED PASTORAL CHARGE

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Ministry of Music

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We Gather as God's People

Lighting the Christ Candle

Introit: #122 [MV] This Is the Day

Welcome & Announcements

Minute for Mission

Call to Worship:

One: As friends of Jesus,

All: we gather here today.

One: We've come from many places,

All: many homes, many backgrounds,

One: that we might be one community in Christ.

**All: May our time together bring us closer to the heart of God
and closer to one another.**

Hymn #427 [VU] To Show by Touch and Word

Opening Prayer

Merciful God, we gather this morning on our way from something, on our way to something, but here we stop. We stop to rest, to turn our attention to all that is holy. We stop to gather in community, held and loved. We stop to give praise, to sing, to pray, to listen, to experience your Spirit moving among us. Gracious God, it's good to be here. Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Hymn #133 [MV] Jesus Laughed Out Loud

Time With The Young and the Young-at-Heart

We Listen For God's Word

Prayer of Illumination (on screen)

Scriptures: 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Psalm 138 (#860 VU)

Luke 17:5-10

Reflection

We Respond to God's Word

Hymn #306 [VU] God of the Farmlands (tune #747)

Prayer of Confession

One: We gather together as God's people – in our strength, but also in our weakness.

All: We acknowledge that in our journey of faith, there are moments when we stumble, moments when we don't live for God, but only for ourselves.

One: We gather together as God's people – in our passion to live God's way, but also in our apathy when we become distracted or too busy.

All: We acknowledge that in our journey of faith, there are moments when we lose focus, moments when we're more concerned with our immediate wants, not our real needs.

One: Let's turn to God, seeking the strength to be God's faithful people once more.

All: Let's join together in our resolve to walk with God in a more perfect way in the coming days.

Words of Assurance

One: The Good News is that we're a forgiven people.

All: We have so much to be grateful for each and every day.

One: God will continue to guide us with the knowledge we need to live a life of caring and generosity.

All: We only need to open our hearts and minds to let God be our guide to living in abundance. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Offering, Doxology (#544 VU In Gratitude and Humble Trust, tune #518) and Dedication Communion (insert)

Prayers of the People

Hymn #595 [VU] We Are Pilgrims

Commissioning and Benediction:

One: Strengthened by the word of God and our fellowship together

All: we go forth as bearers of God's love to our community and the world.

One: May the presence of God, the friendship of Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit be with each of us in the days ahead.

All: Thanks be to God. Amen.

Response: Be With Us, O God (on screen)

Announcements

Worship times: August to November: Wawota at 9:30 a.m., Maryfield at 11:30 a.m.

Bulletin Sponsorship: If you would like to dedicate a service to a loved one, please send a cheque of \$6.00 (no cash please) to Lynne Swanson (Box 390, Wawota, SK S0G 5A0). This will cover the cost of the new bulletin covers. Please indicate the week and name(s) of your loved one(s).

Communion: Today, Sunday, Oct.6 in both points.

Continuing Education: Oct.15-17 at Ancient Spirals near Saskatoon.

UCW Fall Rally: Monday, Oct.28 in Glenavon. Presentation on 2019 European tour.

Wawota

Twoonie Draw for M & S: If you are wearing socks and they are the same color.

Kid's Club: Monday, Oct.7 at 3:30 p.m.

DVL Events: visitation Oct.16 at 2:30 p.m.; entertain Monday, Oct.21 at 3:00 p.m.

Fall Supper: Nov. 3 in the Town Hall 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Congregational meeting: Sunday, Oct.27 during worship. Presentation on new church structure in Wawota

Maryfield

Sunshine Club: Oct.10, 17, 24, 31, Nov.7

Fall Supper: Oct.27 in the Lower Auditorium starting at 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.