

"At Mount Royal United Church, our mission is to serve God; living our faith inside and outside these walls and nurturing each individual on their faith journey."

All Saints Sunday

October 31st, 2021

Congregational responses in bold.

We Come Together

Prelude Greeting Lighting of the Christ Candle Land Acknowledgement Announcements

Silence

- **Prayer:** O Christ, you are united to every human being and still more you come to heal the secret wound of the soul. As you heal, the gates of a heartfelt compassion are opened. Allow that compassion to overwhelm and enfold us now; healing and reminding us that we are each your beloved child, worthy of love and the wholeness of life. Today, we light a light for **Margaret Kay** and **Ruth Smith**. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of their love. Amen.
- Hymn:"O God Hear my Prayer"VU#948

Silence

Prayer: Searching for you, Christ, means discovering your presence even in the silent places deep within us. Happy are those who search, only to find you have already arrived. Today, we light a light for Krista McCabe. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of her love. Amen.

Hymn: "The Kingdom of God"

MV#146

Silence

- **Prayer:** Risen Christ, when we have the simple desire to welcome your love, little by little, a flame is kindled in the depths of our being. Fuelled by the Holy Spirit, it may be quite faint. But it keeps on burning. And when we realize that you love us, the trust of faith becomes our hope. Today, we light a light for **Peggy Appleby**. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of her love. Amen.
- Hymn:"Come and Fill our Hearts"MV#16

Silence

- Prayer: Jesus, our peace, by your Holy Spirit, you continue to be for us today what you were for your disciples on earth. In your Gospel you assure us of God's deep grace. Allow that grace to enfold us now. Today, we light a light for **Reid Steeves**. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of his love. Amen.
- Hymn: "Wait for the Lord" VU#22

Silence

Prayer: Jesus, the Good Shepherd, you never stop searching for the lost or the lonely, the broken or the breaking. Allow our hearts to be open before you knowing that they may be filled by the well of your peace. Today, we light a light for Dr. Amar Pal. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of his love. Amen.

Hymn:

"Jesus Remember Me"

Silence

Prayer: Jesus, hope of our hearts, when we realize that your love is above all, something in us is soothed and even transformed. We ask you, "What do you want from me?" and by the Holy Spirit you reply: "Let nothing trouble you; for I am here". Today, we light a light for **Faye McKay**. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of her love. Amen.

Hymn: "Stay with Me"

VU#950

Silence

- **Prayer:** Christ, for each person you desire joy: a happiness straight from the Gospel. As we experience that joy, allow our hearts to reach out, sharing that joy with those around us. Today, we light a light for **Connie Knox**. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of her love. Amen.
- **Hymn:** "Give Peace to Ev'ry Heart" **MV#86**

Silence

Prayer: Holy Spirit, you breathe within us the breath of life and dispel our fears until the nights of our hearts become the dawn of a new life. Breathe within us now, that we might know your hope in every breath we take. Today we light a light for **Marilyn Millett** and **Myrna MacDonald**. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of their love. Amen.

Hymn:	"Jesus, Your Spirit in Us"	MV#102
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Silence

- **Prayer:** With you, Risen Christ, we go forward from one discovery to another. As we discern what you want from us, our life opens to the Holy Spirit and the Spirit comes, bringing to fulfillment in us things we didn't dare hope for. Today, we light a light for **Olive French**. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of her love. Amen.
- Hymn:"Holy Spirit, Come to Us"MV#75

Silence

Prayer: Christ of compassion, through your Gospel we discover that measuring what we are or what we are not leads nowhere. What matters is the humble trusting of faith. By it, we are led to glimpse the love and grace of God. Today, we light a light for Lori LeBlanc. May that light burn brightly as we remember the warmth of her love. Amen.

Scripture Philippians 4:4-7 Reader: Jean Lawlor

The Lord's Prayer

Silence

Postlude

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Oct 31 – Esther, Nov 7 – Debbie, Nov 14 – Elizabeth, Nov 21 – Erik Sound/Prompter operators for the coming weeks:

Oct 31 – Tracy, Nov 7 – Stephen, Nov 14 – Tracy, Nov 21 – Stephen

This Weeks Events

Monday	7:00pm	Worship Committee	By Teams and
			Church Hall
Tuesday	7:30pm	Visioning Committee	By Teams
Wednesday	7pm	Choir Practice	Sanctuary

