

**ST. DAVID'S UNITED CHURCH**

**July 8, 2018  
Stampede Service**



**A Good Samaritan**

# Welcome to St. David's United Church

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**Sunday, July 8, 2018**

Presiding – Alison Demeter and the People & Friends of St. David's

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***We gather as a Christ infused community of faith***

## **SEED OF MEDITATION**

"A true cowboy is one who says it was nothing when it was everything and that believes that he did better than first but worse than last."

- Cowboy Proverb

## **PRELUDE**

*Shortnin' Bread*  
*Tumbling Tumbleweeds*  
*Buffalo Gals*

*Traditional*  
*Bob Nolan*  
*Traditional*

## **WELCOME AND COMMUNITY NEWS**

## **GREETING**

## **LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE**

We light this candle to celebrate Christ at the center of our faith tradition.

**For the guidance, wisdom, and compassion that Jesus showed in his ministry, through which we are called to live, we give thanks.**

## **ENTRANCE INTO WORSHIP**

Jesus said: Love one another.

**We come to worship God who is love,  
that we may learn to love one another.**

Jesus said: No longer do I call you servants; I call you my friends.

**We come to worship God, whose friends we are in Christ.  
We come to worship God; a people with a part to play in  
the singing of songs, in the saying of prayers, in the  
sharing of love and friendship within a community, and in  
the telling of our faith stories.**

**Home on the Range**

Chorus:

Home, home on the range  
 Where the deer and the antelope play  
 Where seldom is heard a discouraging word  
 And the skies are not cloudy all day

Oh, give me a home where the buffalo roam  
 Where the deer and the antelope play  
 Where seldom is heard a discouraging word  
 And the skies are not cloudy all day

How often at night where the heavens are bright  
 With the light of the glittering stars  
 Have I stood there amazed and asked as I gazed  
 If their glory exceeds that of ours

**GATHERING PRAYER**

**Gracious God, you are the joy of all the earth;  
 great and small, rich and poor, powerful and weak.**

**God of grace and hope,**

**Fill us with your spirit that we may know your will  
 and act upon it. Help us to do the things you ask so we  
 may bear the fruits of justice and love in our world.**

**Strengthen us in faith to be your ministers among our  
 neighbors.**

***...we hear the wisdom of God***

**REFLECTION:**

Based on Luke 10:25-37  
 The Good Samaritan

A few songs will be presented during the reflection. You are invited to join in singing the songs, as you are comfortable: (Words at the back of the worship folder.)

*Oh What a Beautiful Morning* Richard Rodgers & Oscar Hammerstein II

*Old Time Religion*  
*Traditional*  
*Keep On the Sunny Side*  
*Traditional*  
*Back in the Saddle Again*  
*Whitley*

*Gene Autry & Ray*

**...we respond**

**INVITATION TO OFFER OUR GIFTS**

**OFFERTORY**     *Don't Fence Me In*     *Cole Porter & Robert Fletcher*

**RECEPTION OF OFFERING AND DEDICATION HYMN**

Count your blessings, name them one by one  
Count your blessings, see what God hath done  
Count your blessings, name them one by one  
Count your many blessings, see what God hath done

*Traditional*

**MEDITATIONS OF THE HEART IN SONG**

*VU #238 vs. 1&2*

Oh Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder

Consider all the works thy hands have made  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee  
How great thou art! How great thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee  
How great thou art! How great thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander  
I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees  
When I look down on lofty mountain grandeur  
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee  
How great thou art! How great thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee  
How great thou art! How great thou art!

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our  
trespasses,  
As we forgive those who trespass against us;  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,  
Forever and ever. Amen.

## SONG

In the *Sweet Bye & Bye*

*Traditional*

### In the Sweet Bye and Bye

Chorus:

In the sweet (in the sweet) by and by (by and by)  
We shall meet on that beautiful shore  
In the sweet (in the sweet) by and by (by and by)  
We shall meet on that beautiful shore (*tag last time*)

There's a land that is fairer than day  
And by faith we can see it afar  
The Creator waits over the way  
To prepare us a dwelling place there

We shall sing on that beautiful shore  
The melodious songs of the blessed  
And our spirits shall sorrow no more  
Not a sign of the blessing of rest

To our bountiful God up above  
We will offer our tribute of praise  
For the glorious gift of God's love  
And the blessings that hallow our days

***...and are blessed.***

## BLESSING

Go from this gathering to meet your neighbour  
with open hands and an open heart  
giving and receiving the goodness of God's love.

**Happy Trails**

Happy trails to you, until we meet again  
Happy trails to you keep smiling until then  
Who cares about the clouds when we're together  
Just sing a song and bring the sunny weather  
Happy trails to you, till we meet again

**WORSHIP AND SPIRITUAL NURTURE**

**July 15, 2018**

**Kelley Warner**

**SAVE THE DATE**

Don't miss your opportunity to celebrate Rev. Kelley's time with St. David's on July 22, 2018. She will be presented with a small token of our appreciation and we will enjoy some cake with her after the service. Cards will be available in the foyer for you to sign the Sunday services leading up July 22.

**WELCOME TO ST. DAVID'S UNITED CHURCH**

We hope that your heart is touched, your faith inspired and your spiritual life deepened in this gathering time and worship experience. If you are visiting for the first time please know that you are welcome, you are valued, and you enhance this sacred place by your presence.

If you wish to know more about St. David's, please fill in a "Response Card" found at the back of the Sanctuary and place it in the box or the offering plate.

**Thank you for making this a scent free environment.** It is a joy to have you with us today, please be welcomed and embraced. Please join us following worship in the TM room for conversation, coffee/tea and fellowship. Washrooms are opposite the front entrance and in the basement.

**OFFERING ENVELOPES** are available in the Voices United hymn book, at the back of the church, or from an usher. If you would like to have contribution envelopes, please contact the office. Tax receipts are issued at the end of the year for all identified donations and offerings. If you give

through PAR, PAR cards are available from the ushers to be placed on the offering plate as a symbol of your offering given through PAR.

**PRAYER CONCERNS** The prayer chain is committed to praying for you in times of crisis for a period of 30 days. Please contact the office or one of the ministers.

**FLOWERS** enhance our church services each Sunday. Remember loved or joyous occasions all year with donations to the flower fund. Dedications are placed in the worship folder.

If anyone has celebrations or events they wish to have acknowledged in the worship folder or newsletter, please contact the office administrator at the church office at 403 284-2276 or [admin@sduc.ca](mailto:admin@sduc.ca) no later than Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.

The flowers in the sanctuary today are donated by  
Margaret Pellicci, in loving of memory of her husband,  
Mario.

***PASTORAL CARE*** *If you have any pastoral concerns about yourself or others please contact Kelley Warner or Peggy McDonagh at the church office. If you know someone who is in long term care, in hospital or is in need of a visit, please contact the office.*

**We need your help** ... in a congregation the size of St. David's it can be difficult to know who has not been present in worship for some time. If you are aware of someone you have not seen for awhile please contact the office or contact the people and let them know that they are missed. As a congregation, we all have to be aware of one another and acknowledge those absent to ensure everyone feels cared for and valued. Let us all do our part to keep connected.

**THANKS TO THOSE ASSISTING WITH OUR SUNDAY  
WORSHIP EXPERIENCE**

- Greeters.....July Sacred Service Team
- Ushers .....July Sacred Service Team
- Counters.....
- Sunday Receptionist.....
- Music ..... Brent and Alison
- Accompanist.....

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## ST. DAVID'S WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun. July 8	10:00 am 11:00 am 2:30 pm	Sunday Worship – Sanctuary Refreshments – TM Room Iglesia Ni Cristo Church – Sanctuary & TM Room
Mon. July 9	12:30 pm 6:00 pm	Best Beginnings – Robertson Hall Orchestra Rehearsal – Robertson Hall
Tues. July 10	6:00 pm	Iglesia Ni Cristo Church of Christ – Sanctuary & TM Room

Wed. July 11	9:30 am	Qigong – TM Room
Thurs. July 12	6:00 pm	Orchestra Rehearsal – Robertson Hall
Fri. July 13	4:00 pm 7:30 pm 8:00 pm	Wedding Rehearsal – Sanctuary Iglesia Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary Iglesia Church – TM Room
Sat. July 14	12:00 pm 6:00 pm	Wedding – TM & Sanctuary True Light Church – Robertson Hall
Sun. July 15	10:00 am 11:00 am 2:30 pm	Sunday Worship – Sanctuary Refreshments – TM Room Iglesia Ni Cristo Church – Sanctuary & TM Room

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## **Oh What a Beautiful Morning**

Chorus

Oh what a beautiful morning, oh what a beautiful day  
I've got a beautiful feeling, everything's going' my way

There's a bright golden haze on the meadow  
There's a bright golden haze on the meadow  
The corn is as high as an elephant's eye  
And, it looks like it's climbing clear up to the sky

All the cattle are standin' like statues  
All the cattle are standin' like statues  
They don't turn their heads as they see me ride by  
But a little brown mav'rick is winkin' her eye

All the sounds of the earth are like music  
All the sounds of the earth are like music  
The breeze is so busy it don't miss a tree  
And an ol' weepin' willer is laughing at me

## **Old Time Religion**

Chorus:

Give me that old time religion, give me that old time  
religion  
Give me that old time religion and it's good enough for  
me

It was good for the Hebrew children,  
It was good for the Hebrew children  
It was good for the Hebrew children and it's good enough for  
me

It was good for Paul and Silas, it was good for Paul and Silas  
It was good for Paul and Silas and it's good enough for me

It was good for John the Baptist, it was good for John the  
Baptist

It was good for John the Baptist and it's good enough for me

### **Keep On the Sunny Side**

Chorus:

Keep on the sunny side, always on the sunny side  
Keep on the sunny side of life  
It will help us every day, it will brighten all the way  
If we'll keep on the sunny side of life

There's a dark and a troubled side of life  
There's a bright and a sunny side too  
Though we meet with the darkness and strife  
The sunny side we also may view

Oh the storm and its fury broke today  
Crushing hopes that we cherish so dear  
Clouds and storms will in time pass away  
The sun again will shine bright and clear

Let us greet with a song of hope each day  
Though the moment be cloudy or fair  
Let us trust in our Savior always  
Who keeps ev'ry one in his care

### **Back In the Saddle Again**

I'm back in the saddle again, out where a friend is a friend  
Where the long horn cattle feeds on the lowly jimson weed  
I'm back in the saddle again

Riding the range once more, totin' my ol' forty-four  
Where you sleep out every night, where the only law is right  
I'm back in the saddle again

Whoopee ti-yi-yo, rockin' to and fro  
Back in the saddle again  
Whoopee ti-yi-yay, I go my way

Back in the saddle again

**Don't Fence Me In**

Oh give me land, lots of land under starry skies above  
Don't fence me in  
Let me ride through the wide-open country that I love  
Don't fence me in

Let me be by myself in the evening breeze  
Listen to the murmur of the cotton-wood trees  
Send me off forever, but I ask you please  
Don't fence me in

Just turn me loose let me straddle my old saddle  
Underneath the western skies  
On my cayuse, let me wander over yonder till I see mountain  
rise

I want to ride to the ridge where the west commences  
Gaze at the moon till I lose my senses  
Can't look at hobbles and I can't stand fences  
Don't fence me in



Happy Stampede 2018