

**Sunday, June 28, 2020**  
**Fourth Sunday After Pentecost**

**Gathering:** *MV 62 There Is Room For All*

**Good Morning/Welcome**

**Music for Lighting the Candle**

**Our words today are from Jami Frances, St. Andrew's UC in Indian Head, Saskatchewan**

O what a lovely light – it is the light of Christ in our midst  
**Filled with this light, Jesus bids us shine our own light. May it be so for each of us. Amen**

**Call to worship**

Welcome! In the name of God, welcome.  
God's love stretches wide, ready to embrace all with love.  
You who are thirsty for the presence of God, welcome.  
May your thirst be satisfied. You who long for a caring touch, welcome. May you know God's love through the care of this community. **In the name of God, welcome to all; let us drink deeply of God's presence and share this grace with one another. Come, let us worship.**

**Music leading Into Prayer:**

**VU 400 Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying**

**Opening Prayer**

God of steadfast love, today we remember Jesus' words: "Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me, and anyone who welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me."

**We pray to welcome the outcast as we would welcome you, to do what we can to provide water to the stranger, and to trust always that you will be there. We pray to know that kindness is brave, but always worthwhile, and that where love is, there you are. Amen.**

**Hymn** *MV 1 Let Us Build a House verses 1 and 2*

**Prayers for Grace and Transformation/  
Words of affirmation**

**Scripture** **Matthew 10: 40-42 (NIV)**

**Reflection**

**Hymn:** *VU 563 Jesus You Have Come to the Lakeshore*

**Offering**

**We move into our Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer**

**Our benediction**

**Extinguishing the Candle**

**ALL: We extinguish the flame but carry the light in our hearts until we meet again. Amen**

**Closing Hymn**

*MV 1 Let Us Build a House verses 4 and 5*