#### **ST. ANDREW'S UNITED CHURCH**

April 23, 2023 10:00 am Third Sunday of Easter

#### **Order of Service**

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement:

Life and Work of the Congregation:

### The Peace

One: In the name of Jesus, who is alive in us, peace to you.

All: And also to you.

**Centering for Worship:** 

Hymn – 'Whisper a Prayer'

Lighting the Christ Candle:

Call to Worship (based on Acts 2:43-47)

One: We are called to be the Church.

# All: We come to learn from the lessons Jesus taught.

- One: Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and Signs were being done by the apostles.
- All: We come in amazement of the wonderous things God is doing in the world.

One: All who believed were together and had all things in common.

- All: We come with our own unique stories and histories, drawn Together in God's love.
- One: They would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the Proceeds to all, as any had need.
- All: We come to learn ways we can care for God's people and Creation.
- One: Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, They broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and Generous hearts, praising God.

# All: We come to share in fellowship as God's people.

One: And day by day the Lord added to their number those Who were being saved.

# All: We come to worship God together in community.

## **Opening Prayer:**

**Hymn** – 'I'll Fly away'

Prayer of Confession & Words of Assurance:

Hymn – 'This little light of mine'

Psalm: 67

VU 786 (responsively)

**Conversation:** 

**Hymn** – 'God sees the little sparrow fall'

**Offering Prayer:** 

Minute for Mission: (Ross)

**Hymn** – 'Michael row the boat ashore'

Prayers of the People:

**The Lords Prayer:** (Say together)

VU 959

Going Forth:

Let's go forth from here to be God's noticing people attuned to the Movements and workings of the Spirit around us and letting God be Our guide.

**Hymn** – 'When the saints go marching in'

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#### The Life and Work of the Congregation

#### Zoom

The worship services will continue to be available to participate via Zoom.

# HERE IS THE ZOOM LINK, MEETING ID AND PASSCODE FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP:

Topic: Sunday Worship at St. Andrew's United Church Time: Every Sunday at 09:30 am – Vancouver

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87334367058?pwd=aXF1S2Nwal R2RmthS29EbXMwSENMQT09

Meeting ID: 873 3436 7058 Passcode: 167590

# Upcoming Sunday Worship Services:

April 23 – Judy Fletcher Worship Leader April 26 – Film Night, Travelogue April 30 –