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# **Sunset United Church**

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Sunset United, located on Treaty 4 Territory, is an Affirming community of faith.

All are welcome here.

#### **Welcome & Announcements**

Spiritual Care Time - Building an Altar & Candle Lighting (Call to Worship and Opening Prayer)

Opening Song – Fill Up My Cup

Fill up my cup ... Fill up my cup let it overflow Fill up my cup ... Fill up my cup let it overflow Fill up my cup, let it overflow, let it overflow with love.

Amazing grace ... Amazing grace, how sweet the sound That saved a wretch ... That saved a wretch like me, I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.

Since we've been here ... Since we've been here 10,000 years,

Bright shining as ... Bright shining as the sun, With no less days to sing God's praise than when we first begun

Amen Amen ... Amen Amen Amen Amen (x3)

#### **Share Time with Children**

Hymn - VU#577 Peace Like a River (WITH ACTIONS & ENTHUSIASM)
I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river, in my soul.
I've got peace like a river, in my soul.

I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain in my soul. I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.

I've got love like the ocean, I've got love like the ocean, I've got love like the ocean, in my soul. I've got love like the ocean, in my soul.

I've got peace like a river, I've got joy like a fountain, I've got love like the ocean, in my soul. I've got peace like a river, I've got joy like a fountain, I've got love like the ocean, in my soul.

Scripture Reading - Psalm 104:10-18

Sunset Kids Sing - Snore Monster by Penny Rosten

**Reflection - LBC Staff** 

Campfire Songs

**Minute for Mission** 

## Prayer

Holy spirit we gather this morning and give you thanks. We thank you for the sun and stars, for the trees and lakes. We thank you for the gift of imagination which helps us picture this, not as a church but a cathedral of the great outdoors. We thank you for the gift of fun - to follow you is a joy and the beauty you've built into creation must always be sought and treasured. Be with us as we laugh and pray, as we sing songs and share stories. Be with us as we offer all to you who is our mother and 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.

## Response Hymn - This Little Light of Mine

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine

Hide it under a bushel? NO! I'm gonna let it shine Hide it under a bushel? NO! I'm gonna let it shine Hide it under a bushel? NO! I'm gonna let it shine Let it shine, let it shine

Won't let anyone \*blow\* it out, I'm gonna let it shine Won't let anyone \*blow\* it out, I'm gonna let it shine Won't let anyone \*blow\* it out, I'm gonna let it shine Let it shine, let it shine.

I'm gonna take it out to camp, I'm gonna let it shine I'm gonna take it out to camp, I'm gonna let it shine I'm gonna take it out to camp, I'm gonna let it shine Let it shine, let it shine

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine

Closing Hymn - Bind Us Together
Bind us together Lord, bind us together,
with cords that cannot be broken.
Bind us together Lord, bind us together,
Bind us together with love.

There is only one God Whose love we all bring There is only one body That is why we sing

Bind us together Lord, bind us together, with cords that cannot be broken.
Bind us together Lord, bind us together, Bind us together with love.

## **Blessing and Sending**

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