Mountain View United Church

NOVEMBER 1, 2026



Gathering Music: **What a Beautiful Name**

V1 You were the Word at the beginning, one with God the Lord Most High. Your hidden glory in creation, now revealed in You our Christ.

C1 What a beautiful Name it is. What a beautiful Name it is. The Name of Jesus Christ my King. What a beautiful Name it is. Nothing compares to this. What a beautiful Name it is. The Name of Jesus.

V2 You didn't want heaven without us, so Jesus You brought heaven down. My sin was great Your love was greater, what could separate us now.

C2 What a wonderful Name it is. What a wonderful Name it is. The Name of Jesus Christ my King. What a wonderful Name it is. Nothing compares to this. What a wonderful Name it is. The Name of Jesus. What a wonderful Name it is. The Name of Jesus.

B1 Death could not hold You. The veil tore before You. You silence the boast of sin and grave. The

heavens are roaring. The praise of Your glory. For You are raised to life again.

B2 You have no rival. You have no equal. Now and forever God You reign. Yours is the kingdom. Yours is the glory. Yours is the Name above all names.

C3 What a powerful Name it is. What a powerful Name it is. The Name of Jesus Christ my King. What a powerful Name it is. Nothing can stand against. What a powerful Name it is. The Name of Jesus.

Words of Welcome

God is good, **all the time**… all the time, **God is good.**

Announcements

Hymn: God is Here VU 389

1 God is here! As we your people meet to offer praise and prayer, may we find in fuller measure what it is in Christ we share. Here, as in the world around us, all our varied skills and arts wait the coming of the spirit into open minds and hearts.

2 Here are symbols to remind us of our lifelong need of grace; here are table, font, and pulpit; here the cross has central place. Here in honesty of

preaching, here in silence as in speech, here in newness and renewal, God the Sprit comes to each.

3 Here our children find a welcome in he Shepherd's flock and fold; here as bread and wine are taken, Christ sustains us, as of old. Here the servants of the Servant seek in worship to explore what it means in daily living to believe and to adore.

4 God of all, of church and kingdom, in an age of change and doubt keep us faithful to the gospel; help us work your purpose out. Here, in this day's dedication, all we have to give, receive; we, who cannot live without you, we adore you! We believe!

Lighting of the Christ Candle:

We are a people who remember. We remember the gift of creation. We remember the history of our ancestors. We remember the revelation of God's light, love and sacrifice. We remember to carry all that God has given us as a testament to His glory.

Call to Worship:

Come, people of God, and lift your hearts in worship.

We are but one body, which belongs to the Lord.

We gather to seek the One who knows us by name.

On this day, we remember the faithful who trusted in God's promises.

We are but one body, made by the generations of believers.

We are a bloodline of faithful heart beating as one.

Where are We: Proper 26; All Saints Sunday;
The Blood Line

Opening Prayer:

Gracious and faithful God, You are the One who sees us, calls us by name, and holds us in Your eternal love. We give You thanks for the lives of those who have gone before us whose patience and faithfulness inspire us to trust in Your promises. As we gather in Your presence, open our hearts to Your Word, strengthen us to wait with hope, and guide us to seek You with courage. Through Jesus Christ, our Savior, we pray. Amen.

Children's Gathering Song: I've Got the Joy, Joy, Joy

1 I'ye got the joy, joy, joy, joy down in my heart (Where!?); down in my heart (where!?); down in my heart, I'ye got the joy, joy, joy, joy down in my heart (Where!?) down in my heart to stay.

R And I'm so happy, so very happy, I've got the love of Jesus in my heart. And I'm so happy, so very happy, I've got the love of Jesus in my heart.

2 I've got the love of Jesus in my heart (where!?); down in my heart, (where?); down in my heart. I've got the love of Jesus down in my heart (where!?); down in my heart to stay. R

Children's Ministry

Ministry of Music

Prayer of Confession:

Lord, on this All Souls Day, we seek Your mercy, remembering those who turned to You in faith. Help us to follow their example, living with courage and hope. In the name of Jesus, who seeks and saves the lost, we pray. Amen.

Scripture Reading:

Genesis 11:27-32 read by Joan Peddle

This is the account of Terah's family line. Terah became the father of Abram, Nahor and Haran. And Haran became the father of Lot. While his father Terah was still alive, Haran died in Ur of the Chaldeans, in the land of his birth. Abram and Nahor both married. The name of Abram's wife was Sarai, and the name of Nahor's wife

was Milkah; she was the daughter of Haran, the father of both Milkah and Iskah. Now Sarai was childless because she was not able to conceive. Terah took his son Abram, his grandson Lot son of Haran, and his daughter-in-law Sarai, the wife of his son Abram, and together they set out from Ur of the Chaldeans to go to Canaan. But when they came to Harran, they settled there. Terah lived 205 years, and he died in Harran.

Luke 3:23-38 read by Rev. Jacob Shaw

Now Jesus himself was about thirty years old when he began his ministry. He was the son, so it was thought, of Joseph, the son of Heli, the son of Matthat, the son of Levi, the son of Melki, the son of Jannai, the son of Joseph, the son of Mattathias, the son of Amos, the son of Nahum, the son of Esli, the son of Naggai, the son of Maath, the son of Mattathias, the son of Semein, the son of Josek, the son of Joda, the son of Joanan, the son of Rhesa, the son of Zerubbabel, the son of Shealtiel, the son of Neri, the son of Melki, the son of Addi, the son of Cosam, the son of Elmadam, the son of Er, the son of Joshua, the son of Eliezer, the son of Jorim, the son of Matthat, the son of Levi, the son of Simeon, the son of Judah, the son of Joseph, the son of Jonam, the son of Eliakim, the son of Melea, the son of Menna, the son of Mattatha, the son of Nathan, the son of David, the son of Jesse, the son of Obed, the son of Boaz, the son of

Salmon, the son of Nahshon, the son of Amminadab, the son of Ram, the son of Hezron, the son of Perez, the son of Judah, the son of Jacob, the son of Isaac, the son of Abraham, the son of Terah, the son of Nahor, the son of Serug, the son of Reu, the son of Peleg, the son of Eber, the son of Shelah, the son of Cainan, the son of Arphaxad, the son of Shem, the son of Noah, the son of Lamech, the son of Methuselah, the son of Enoch, the son of Jared, the son of Mahalalel, the son of Kenan, the son of Enosh, the son of Seth, the son of Adam, the son of God.

Reflection

Hymn: All Who Hunger **VU 460**

1 All who hunger, gather gladly; holy manna is our bread. Come from wilderness and wandering. Here, in truth, we will be fed. You that yearn for days of fullness, all around us is our food. Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.

2 All who hunger, never strangers; seeker, be a welcome guest. Come from restlessness and roaming. Here, in joy, we keep the feast. We that once were lost and scattered in communion's love have stood. Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.

3 All who hunger, sing together; Jesus Christ is living bread. Come from loneliness and longing. Here, in peace, we have been led. Blest are those who from this table live their lives in gratitude. Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.

Communion:

Go out into the streets and lanes,
bring in the poor, the blind, and the lame.
Go out into the roads and alleyways,
compel people to come in,
that my house may be filled.
and my feast may be complete.

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right that we should praise you, gracious God, for you created all things. You formed us in your own image: male and female you created us. When we turned away from you in sin, you did not cease to care for us, but opened a path of salvation for all people. You made a covenant with Israel, and through your servants

Abraham and Sarah gave the promise of a blessing to all nations. Through Moses you led your people from bondage into freedom; through the prophets you renewed your promise of salvation. Therefore, with them, and with all your saints who have served you in every age, we give you thanks and raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Holy, Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy God, source of life and goodness, all creation rightly gives you praise. In the fullness of time, you sent your child Jesus Christ, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the Mother and Father of us all. He healed the sick and ate and drank with outcasts and sinners; he opened the eyes of the blind and proclaimed the Good News of your kingdom to the poor and to those in need. In all things he fulfilled your gracious will.

On the night he was betrayed our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and after giving thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to his disciples. And said, “Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.” After supper he took the cup of wine; and after

giving thanks, gave it to them, and said, “Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Gracious God, by the death of your child you have destroyed the power of death, and by raising him to life you have given us life for evermore. Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Recalling his death, proclaiming his resurrection, and looking for his coming again in glory, we offer you, O God, this bread and this cup. Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts, that all who eat and drink at this table may be one body, one holy people, a living sacrifice in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, God most holy, now and forever.

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, God most holy, now and forever.

Amen.

With Jesus, we pray together, saying:

The Lord's Prayer

Jesus Christ, the Bread of Life.
Jesus Christ, the True Vine.

The gifts of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God

Prayer after Communion:

We give thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us at your table by granting us the presence of Jesus Christ. Strengthen our faith, increase our love for one another, and send us forth into the world united in courage and peace, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen

Invitation to Share Offering

Musical Offering

Offertory Prayer:

Generous God, You have given us Your Son, who call us throughout the generations into Your kingdom. Bless these offerings, that they may bring Your hope and love to a world in need of Your love. Teach us to give with patience and faith, trusting in Your provision. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

Offering of Personal Prayers to God

Hymn: Jesus Bids Us Shine VU 585

1 Jesus bids us shine with a pure, clear light, like a little candle burning in the night. In this world is darkness, so let us shine, you in your small corner, and I in mine.

2 Jesus bids us shine first of all for him; well he sees and knows it if our light grows dim: Jesus walks beside us to help us shine, you in your small corner, and I in mine.

3 Jesus bids us shine, then, for all around; many kinds of darkness in the world are found: sin, and want and sorrow; so we must shine, you in your small corner, and I in mine.

Spoken Benediction

Go forth as a representative a familial line of faithful servant which stretches back to the beginning, and invite everyone to join the family.

Benediction: Take Up His Song MV 213

1 Take up his song of peace and go into the world. Take up his song of peace in ev'ry moment. In ev'ry moment of the journey, we're laying down our lives; lay them down, in peace, lay them down, and take up his song.

2 Take up his song of hope and go into the world. Take up his song of hope in ev'ry moment. In ev'ry moment of the journey, we're laying down our lives; lay them down, in hope, lay them down, and take up his song.

3 Take up his song of faith and go into the world. Take up his song of faith in ev'ry moment. In ev'ry moment of the journey, we're laying down our lives; lay them down, in faith, lay them down, and take up his song.

4 Take up his song of love and go into the world. Take up his song of love in ev'ry moment. In ev'ry moment of the journey, we're laying down our lives; lay them down, in love, lay them down, and take up his song.

Postlude

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MOUNTAIN VIEW UNITED CHURCH
ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR OCTOBER 25, 2026

This Week at Mountain View

Today: Coffee & Conversation 11:30am Hall

Tues: Bible Study 1:00pm Sanctuary

Weds: Choir Practice 7:00pm Sanctuary

Thurs: Adult Fellowship 10:00amParlour

Coming Up at Mountain View

Nov. 22: **Anniversary Sunday** Service and Lunch

November 29 - Memorial Angel Sunday
If you would like to place an angel on the tree, please let the office know who your angel is In Memory Of and Placed By by **Nov. 23rd.**

Dec. 5: Helping Hands Community Fair featuring Crafts & Baking Market, Pictures with Santa, Silent Auction, and much more! For more info: HelpingHandsMoncton.ca

Calendars – United Church Calendars will be available in December. Contact the office to reserve yours! Cost is $10.

Coming Up in Our Community

St. John the Baptist Anglican: Trivia & Tunes
Nov. 14; 7:00pm; 28 Woolridge St., Riverview
Test your memory and skills with team trivia along with music provided by Geraldine Charters and Shelby Murray. Admission: $10.00 at the door; canteen service

Trinity United, Riverview: Christmas Craft Market
Nov. 21; 10:00am - 2:00pm; 85 Old Coach Road
Free Entry! Holiday Shopping while supporting local.

Shoe Drive: The Third Annual Memorial Ceremony to recognize those who have passed away from our homeless and vulnerable community will take place at 2:00pm on **Dec 17th at Victoria Park**. Donations of gently used winterized shoes, boots, etc. can be dropped off at **The Immaculate Heart of Mary** in Riverview during business hours leading up to this event.

During the month of November, the UCW is collecting empty prescription bottles, used postage stamps, eyeglasses, and pop can tabs for distribution in Chignecto UCW district. Please add them to the appropriate box in the narthex. Thanks for your help.

Outreach Committee Spotlight: Ensemble

Focusing on "harm reduction" in relation to substance abuse, Ensemble primarily works toward helping improve quality of life for persons affected by HIV/AIDS and help reduce the spread through education and prevention programs. They provide an overdose prevention site, social worker access, safe spaces, transportation van to the Karing Kitchen, and much more. They do *not* provide drugs for use.

How can we help? Donations of smaller items such as hand warmers, hygiene products, socks, etc. can be dropped off 8:30-3:00 Monday through Friday at 80 Weldon Street.

If you witness someone OD-ing: Call 911 and ask for "Car 6-7" which has a trained social worker present. Do not get physically involved.

Volunteers Needed for our Community Dinner! We need people to help prepare for and serve at our community dinners – including getting supplies, food preparation, and assisting at the dinners themselves. Please contact the office if you are able to serve in this way.

If you, or someone you know, would like a home visit, hospital visit, or phone call from Rev. Shaw, please advise the Church Office. Please note that due to hospital policy, Rev. Shaw is unable to visit patients without an express request from the patient or their next-of-kin.

PURPOSE STATEMENT

Share the love of God
Care for others
Act with a spirit of cooperation
Reach out to the community
Feed physical and spiritual hunger

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UPCOMING OFFICE CLOSURES

- November 11 – Remembrance Day