

COLEBROOK UNITED CHURCH

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Third Sunday in Lent

10:00 a.m.

Prelude:

We Gather

John 2:13-22

Response: **This is a story of our faith. Thanks be to God.**

Welcome

We are a caring, serving community,
faithfully journeying and trusting in the mystery that is God,
seeking joy, peace and justice for all.

Call to Worship

One: Creating God, still Centre of the world you have made,
we come to you this Season Soul Searching.

**All: We do not know how to seek you with our whole
hearts, but we know you are our source and our destiny.**

One: In the midst of life, we return to you, we turn toward you.

**All: We thank you that you receive all of us in all of our
humanness; our broken hearts, our troubled
consciences, our conflicted spirits.**

One: Let us come and worship the Holy Mystery that is God.

Gathering Hymn: *Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness* VU 375

Life and Work of the Congregation

Acknowledgement of First Nation Territories

Prayer of Approach

Lenten Centering Hymn: *Dust and Ashes* VU 105

Lighting of Christ Candle



Prayer of Confession:

**God of Love, in the wrong we have done
and in the good we have not done;
we have sinned in ignorance;**

**we have sinned in weakness;
we have sinned through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry.
We repent and turn to you.
Forgive us, and renew our lives. AMEN**

Sung Response: *Take, O Take Me As I Am*

MV 85

A Word of Grace

Sharing the Peace of Christ

One: May the Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.



We Proclaim

Learning Together:

Sung Response: *Like A Rock*

MV 92

Scripture Reading: Exodus 20:1-17
Psalm 19, VU 740, refrain 1

Reflection: Soul Searching Season: Freedom, Boundaries, and Wholeness

We Respond to God's Word

Hymn: *Let All Things Now Living*

VU 242

Presenting our Gifts and Offerings:

Offertory Hymn: *What Can I Do?*

MV 191

Prayer of Dedication

Time of Prayer

Joys and Concerns

Song of Preparation – *And When You Call for Me* MV 96

Prayers of the People

Sung Response: Lord's Prayer VU 959

We Go Forth

Hymn: *Holy Spirit, Truth Divine*

VU 368

Commissioning and Benediction

Sung Response: *When You Walk from Here*

VU 298

Postlude

