

# WELCOME TO PORT NELSON!

## Summer 2019

### GATHERING IN COMMUNITY

\*\*indicates the community stands, as able

PRELUDE/HYMN SING (10.20am)

AN OPENING PRAYER OF PRAISE

For the moments when, alone with the world,  
we feel connection with all that is:

**We give thanks for the fruit of the Spirit.**

For the times when we come together  
and feel our hearts blend as one family:

**We give thanks for the fruit of the Spirit.**

For the strength to reach out and touch those in need  
with actions that speak of God's grace:

**We give thanks for the fruit of the Spirit.**

For the courage to share the gift of \_\_\_\_\_ in word and in deed:

**We give thanks for the fruit of the Spirit.**

In thanksgiving and with assurance

that She is with us in all places and at all times,

**may we be Spirit-filled people in a Spirit-filled community.**

**May it be so! Amen!** *(adapted from Anna Atkinson, Nanaimo, B.C.)*

\*\*HYMN

\*\*PEACE GREETING

The Peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

*(The Community exchanges words and signs of peace;*

*Children are invited to join the Children's Hosts for activities)*

COMMUNITY NEWS

COMMUNITY PRAYERS

VOICES UNITED **959**

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil  
for the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,  
now and forever.**

### SEEKING TO GROW SPIRITUALLY

FIRST BIBLE READING Galatians 5: 22-25

SECOND BIBLE READING

For the Word of God in Scripture, among us, and within us.

**Thanks be to God.**

\*\*HYMN

SERMON

### RESPONDING IN CARE

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

\*\*VOICES UNITED **538**

**For the gift of creation, the gift of your love,**

**and the gift of the Spirit by which we live,**

**we thank you and give you the fruit of our hands.**

**May your grace be proclaimed by the gifts that we give.**

\*\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

### REACHING OUT IN LOVE

\*\*HYMN

\*\*COMMISSIONING AND BLESSING

POSTLUDE



**Please leave the order of service in the seats  
for future use, and plan to stay following  
worship for lemonade and conversation**