

SQUAMISH UNITED CHURCH
The Season of Pentecost – July
2024

A: Sunday, June 30th **B:** Sunday, July
7th **C:** Sunday, July 14th

Theme: **A:** Daring Justice **B:** Trust **C:**
Gratitude

Prelude, Welcome &
Announcements

Acknowledging the Territory: We
are grateful to worship, live, work
and play on the unceded lands of
the Skwxwu7mesh people.

Opening Hymn:

A. VU 524: *O Canada*

B. VU 357: *Tell Me the Stories of*
Jesus

C. VU 229: *God of the Sparrow*

Call to Worship

One: Welcome to this summertime
place of gathering and of witness.

All: We come to worship God as
revealed in the risen Christ.

One: Open your hearts to the
movement of the Spirit within.

All: We come to live our faith in a
world of need and of opportunity.

One: Widen your understanding of
the movement of God within and
without.

All: We come to pray in mind, in
body, in spirit, and in action.

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Prayer of the Day

All: God who seeks justice and
abundance for all, we yearn for

but have not lived up to your
vision of the world. Some live in
abundance, while many remain in
poverty. Some are treated with
dignity and respect, while others
are rejected. God of passion and
compassion do not let us be
comfortable with the way things
are. Help us be part of your work
of feeding, empowering, and
transforming our communities and
our world. Amen.

Prayer of Illumination: read by lay
reader

Prepare our hearts, O God, to
accept you Word. Silence in us any
voices but your own, so that we
may hear your Word and be
inspired to act upon them; through
Christ our Lord. Amen

First Scripture:

A. 2 Corinthians 8:7-15

B. 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

C. Psalm 24

Special Music

Second Scripture:

A. Mark 5:21-43

B. Mark 6:1-13

C. Ephesians 1:3-14

One: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Sermon Hymn:

A. VU 570: *Jesus' Hands Were Kind*
Hands

B. MV 176: *Three Things I Promise*

C. MV 135: *Called by Earth and Sky*

Communion Liturgy – week B only

Offering Invitation

Doxology: VU 541: *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures high and low;

Give thanks to God in love made known;

Creator, Word and Spirit, One.

Offering Prayer

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer:

**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 and the
power, and the glory, forever and
ever. Amen.**

Closing Hymn:

A. VU 567: *Will You Come and Follow Me*

B. VU 424: *May the God of Hope Go with Us*

C. MV 182: *Grateful*

Commissioning & Benediction

Three-Fold Amen

Thanks to our volunteers:

A. Chairs: Trevor Harris, Coffee: Pasty Riecker & Cindy Roy, Reader: Kurt Stainton

B. Chairs: Kevin Haberl, Coffee: Marilyn Salmon, Reader: Hugh Kerr

C. Chairs: Pete Spiller Coffee: TBD, Reader: James MacDonald

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