

# Martin Grove United Church

where worship leads to service

Peace Sunday



**“CHANGE:  
REVOLUTIONARY OR EVOLUTIONARY”**

**Judith Dallimore**  
October 27, 2024

## **Welcome to Worship!**

*VU refers to Voices United, MV refers to More Voices*

**\*Indicates an invitation to stand -in body, or in spirit**

**Prelude: “We Are Climbing Jacob’s Ladder”** *By Mark Hayes, Traditional American Spiritual*

**Minister’s Welcome**

**Announcements**

**Lighting of the Christ Candle**

**\*Opening Hymn: VU 508 “Just As I Am”** *Words by Charlotte Elliott, Music by William Batchelder Bradbury*

**Call to Worship** (Marilyn Coombs)

**Prayer of Approach**

**Song of Personal Prayer: “Peace Be Unto You”** *By Louise B. Stairs* (Elaine Weimer)

**Words of Assurance**

**Choir Anthem: “Every Day is a Gift from the Lord”** *By Don Besig and Nancy Price*

**First Scripture: Job 42:1-6, 10-11** (Marilyn Coombs)

**Second Scripture: Psalm 34:1-8**

**Song of Reflection: “Nearer My God to Thee”** *By Lowell Mason, Arr by Susan W. Henry* (Elaine Weimer)

**Third Scripture: Acts 9:3-19** (David Dallimore)

**Reflection: “Change: Revolutionary or Evolutionary”**

**Invitation to Offering**

**\*Offering Hymn: MV 543 “We Give Thee but Thine Own”** *Words by William Walsham How*

**\*Offering Prayer**

**Lighting of the Prayer Candle**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Lord’s Prayer**

**\*Closing Hymn: MV 126 “Are You a Shepherd?”**  
*Words by Ruth Duck, Music by William P. Rowan*

**\*Commissioning**

**\*Benediction**

**\*Sung Blessing: “Go Now in Peace”** *By Don Besig and Nancy Price*

**Postlude: “A Ragtime Two-Step”** *By Mosie Lister, Arr by Steven K. Tedesco*

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*The flowers on the Communion table are in loving memory of Dorothy Gosse on the occasion of 99 years since her birth on Oct 31, 1925.*

**A Reminder for November 3<sup>rd</sup> – turn back the clocks one hour for Daylight Saving time.**

“We acknowledge that our sacred space is found on the indigenous territories of the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishinabe, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Huron -Wendat peoples and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Metis. With gratitude and respect for their stewardship of creation, we seek to live into right relations with all.”

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### **LOOKING AHEAD**

**November 3 – “The Great Commandment”**

**November 10 – Remembrance Sunday**

**November 17 – “Faithfulness”**

**November 24 – The Merry Bells of Martin Grove**

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**Vista orders are due in by Sunday, November 24.**

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