

St. Paul's United Church, Edmonton

October 16 2022 at 10:30

*Plans and Hubris*

**Music to draw us in**

**Call to worship and welcome**

**Land acknowledgment**

***There Is Room for All***

STRATHDEE MV 62

**Prayer followed by silent prayer and the prayer Jesus taught**

**Putting the puzzle together, differently**

Anna Constantin

***May the Road Rise to Meet You***

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May the road rise to meet you. May the wind always be at your back.

May the sun shine upon your face; the rain fall soft on your fields

and until we meet again, and until we meet again,

may God hold you, hold you in the palm of God's hand.

**On human genius**

***All Creatures***

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**Luke 18:1-8 the persistent widow**

**Anthem *Mozart Canon***

ARR. DONALD MOORE

**The reach and repudiations of doctrines of discovery**

***Hush!***

AFRICAN-AMERICAN MV 167

**Blessing the offering**

**Prayer**

**Open Doors and Thresholds**

**Benediction**

**Music to see us out**

Rev. Dr Catherine F. MacLean and Rev. Anna Constantin

Music Director: Susan Farrell and Musician: Tyson Kerr

Livestream/audio: Logan Smarch, Samantha Engler, Kate Florian

Welcomers: Aubrene Anderson, Elmer Dyck, Jack Francis, Jean Lawson

Flowers this month: Marion Brooker, Evelyn Henderson

**Holy One,**

**The extraordinary beauty of the morning brings us awe.**

**The echo of song brings us comfort.**

**The welcome of neighbour brings us friendship.**

**Our noticing of nature brings us closer to our sacred identity.**

**Our voices, united, make us contributing members of community.**

**Our welcome to another takes us out of ourselves.**

**In these connections**

**with the land**

**with music**

**with one another**

**we are drawn into your Beloved Community.**

**In the refuge of Beloved Community, we pray through  
difficult circumstances (*pause*)**

**uncertainty (*pause*)**

**sorrow (*pause*)**

**frustration (*pause*)**

**change (*pause*).**

**We draw on your Spirit through the changes**

**in our lives, our families, our communities, our world.**

**We draw on your Spirit in our changing understandings**

**as we move from here to there**

**as we cross the bridge**

**into the newness of these times.**

**Amen.**