

The Centre for Christian Studies

Annual Service of Celebration

"Persistent Hope"



Thomson's Funeral Home Chapel

669 Broadway

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**where items are marked, please stand as you are able*

Prelude

Words of Welcome and Acknowledgement of the Land

Jim Boyles, Co-Chair, CCS Central Council

Call to Worship

Candle Lighting

Christ Candle, Rainbow Candle

*Hymn: Sing Praises Old and New

Common Praise 469

Collect

Fire of Life,

You are revealed to us in the land and relationships that sustain us.

Root us deeply in the story of Your people,

so that out of deep roots we hear Your call

and respond with our lives.

Amen.

Scripture

Exodus 3: 1-10

Psalms 138 (**page 860** in Voices United)

Luke 18: 1-8

Reader: This is the Gospel of Christ

All: Praise to Christ the Word

Reflection: Persistent Hope

2014 Integrating Year Students

***Hymn: O Healing River** (by Hellerman – Minkoff)

Oh healing river, send down your water.
Send down your water upon this land.
Oh healing river, send down your water
And wash the blood from off the sand.

This land is parching, this land is thirsty,
No seed is growing on the barren ground.
Oh healing river, send down your water
O healing river, send your water down.

Oh seed of justice, awake and flourish
Let the deep roots nourish, let the tall stalk rise
Oh seed of justice, awake and flourish
Proud leaves uncurling unto the skies.

Oh healing river, send down your water,
Send down your water upon this land.
Oh healing river, send down your water,
Oh healing river, send your water down.

Recognitions

Integrating Year citation	Ann Naylor
Presentation of CCS pins and diaconal towels	Maylanne Maybee
Presentation of <i>Word and Example</i> certificates	Louise Cornell
Companions of the Centre:	
Lynda Gow citation and pin presentation	Ted Dodd
Response	Lynda Gow
Eric Tusz-King citation and pin presentation	Maylanne Maybee
Response	Eric Tusz-King

Offering

Anthem : Let This Be The Time (by Lori True)

CCS Choir

***Doxology – CP 669**

Praise God the Source of life and birth,
Praise God the Word, who came to earth,
Praise God the Spirit, holy flame.
All glory, honor to God's name.

Offering Prayer

Prayers of the People

Response: (One) God of justice and infinite mercy,
you hear the cries of your people in distress ...
(All) Hear our prayer.

Sending Forth

Maylanne Maybee, Principal

***Hymn: I Have Called You By Your Name**

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Thank you for waiting to take pictures until after the worship service.

- Following the service please join us for refreshments.
- Today's offering will support the educational ministry of the Centre for Christian Studies. Envelopes are included for those who wish to have receipts for donations of \$20 or more. Please include your name and address if you wish a receipt.

Our thanks to:

Patty Evans for musical accompaniment
Margaret Clarke for organizing refreshments
Thomson Funeral Chapel for their hospitality
Vivienne Bosse of Sechelt, BC for the bulletin cover artwork
Scott Douglas for videography

2014 Annual Service of Celebration

2014 Graduating Students

Ellen Baynton-Walker	Kitchener, ON
Jamie Bradshaw	Binscarth, MB
Barbara Hansen	Victoria, BC
Gwen McAllister	Winnipeg, MB
Jacqueline Samson	Sechelt, BC
Kelley Warner	Calgary, AB
Kristin Wood	Neepawa, MB

2014 Companions of the Centre

Lynda Gow	Edmonton, AB
Eric Tusz-King	Sackville, NB

2014 Ministering by Word and Example Students

Peggy Abbott	Winnipeg, MB
Cathie Clow	Hibre, MB
Arleen Hall	Anola, MB
Diane Ives Lewis	Winnipeg, MB
Tanis Kolisnyk	Winnipeg, MB
Diane Panting	Winnipeg, MB
Alison Ward-Westervelt	Winnipeg, MB
John Baker (participant)	Beausejour, MB

Graduate Anniversaries

25 Year Anniversary

Lynda Appleby
Sandra Cameron
Cheryl Curtis

Caryn Douglas
Julie Haubrich
Deanna Hawkins
Audrey Mitchell

Karen Niven-Wigston
Lesley Sutherland
Anne Nancy Whitla

40 Year Anniversary

Vera Bell
Elizabeth Campbell
Edna Cope *
Jean Day
Mary Dove
Mardele Harland *
Joyce Hayes
Eleanor Hope
Elaine Jahans

Joan Jones
Emily Kierstead
Doris Kuckmann
Margaret Lowes
Joan McSpadden
Barbara Michaelson
Rutty Mitchell
Mary Ellen Moore
Carol Nelson *

Elaine Peacock
Elizabeth Peters *
Laura Richardson
Doug Smith
Helen Smith
Barbara Steen
Jean Strangway *
Robert Warren
Nina Whalen

50 Year Anniversary

Norma Carruthers
Elspeth Colwell
Margaret Elder
Enid Horning
Clare Lowery

Elaine Lucas
Audrey McKim
Irene Nelson
Ethel Paterson *
Mary Rock *
Jean Shirlaw *

Helen Stockton
Jane Von Bredow *
Pat Whitbread
Julia Winkler
Margaret Wonfor

60 Year Anniversary

Edith Elizabeth Jones *
Frances Lightbourn

Eleanor Mawson *
Gwyneth Phillips *

Mary Scovil *

Help us reconnect. *Asterisked names are graduates with whom we've lost contact. Contact Lori at lstewart@ccsonline.ca if you have information or would like to reconnect with us.*

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CCS

Educating leaders for Justice, Compassion, and Transformation.

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