

**Beaverlodge-Wembley-Hythe Pastoral Charge  
United Church of Canada  
Epiphany 05 – February 08, 2026**

**All Are Welcome**

Service Leader: Megan Ryan-Walsh (W)  
Pianist: (B) Videos (W)

Hymn Books: *MV = More Voices ~ VU = Voices United*  
Please join in reading aloud the text in Bold  
\*\*Please Stand

Welcome

Life of the Church Community (Announcements)

Acknowledgement of Indigenous Territory

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Call to Worship

It has been several weeks now  
since the Magi arrived at the home of Jesus  
and presented him with gifts.

**With each passing week since that moment,  
The light of our faith has grown stronger.**

Remind us, in our worship today,  
That your light, O God, is always with us.  
Let us enter into worship with our hearts dancing in the light.

Opening Prayer

**In this season of light, may our hearts grow stronger and  
our faith move deeper as we gather together in this faith  
community. You have called us to this place to sing, to pray  
and to hear words offered to us by our ancestors in faith. We  
open ourselves to what you would offer to us today, in the  
name of Jesus, giver of light. AMEN**

\*\*Hymn MV # 1 – Let us Build a House

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you!**

Prayer for Transformation (in Unision)

**Epiphany God, we open our hearts to you. May your  
tenderness and compassion transform our lives so that we  
might share light and love with the world. AMEN**

Theme Time

\*\*Hymn MV # 144 – Like a Healing Stream

***We Listen for God's Voice***

Loving God, you speak to us in so many ways.

**Speak to us now through the reading of the scriptures.**

Focus Scripture Isaiah 58:1-9a (Common English Bible)

This is the trustworthy witness of God's faithful people through  
the ages,

**The divine word to us today. Amen.**

Sermon – Rev. Linda Hunter “*The Importance of Isaiah*”

\*\*Hymn: VU # 678 - For the Healing of the Nations

***God Invites Us to Respond in Faith and Hope***

Mission and Service: Shared Healing and Cultural Renewal

Invitation to the Offering

Offering Response: VU # 543 - We Give Thee but Thine Own

Prayer of Dedication

**We present to you, O God, a portion of the blessings you have poured out upon us. May these gifts be used wisely and in the service of Jesus. AMEN**

Prayers of the people

Lord's Prayer (found on VU p.921)

\*\*Hymn VU # 684 - Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

***We Go into the World to Share God's Love***

Sending Forth

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