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## **The United Church in Meadowood**

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MUSIC

WELCOME

CELEBRATIONS & CANDLES

QUIETING, CENTERING

CALL TO WORSHIP/PRAYER

Hidden in plain sight, God's kingdom,  
**Here, there, and everywhere.**

Mustard seed kingdom:

**Small seed, big weed,  
Grows—welcome or not.**

Leaven kingdom:

**Common as a common loaf of bread,  
Women's work—hidden.**

Treasure kingdom:

**Found by calloused hands  
By those who do not own but work the land.**

Pearl kingdom:

**Take a dive,  
Go, sell all you have to get this one.**

Fishnet kingdom:

**Under the surface,  
Cradling all.**

HYMN

**God We Praise You For The Morning**

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*We acknowledge with gratitude that we meet on the tradition  
We welcome a new relationship with our Indigenous neighbour.  
\*The Rainbow Candle symbolizes our commitment to be an Affirming  
regardless of age, gender identity, health, race, sexual orientation, differ*



“And for all this, nature is never spent;  
There lives the dearest freshness deep down things;  
And though the last lights off the black West went  
Oh, morning, at the brown brink eastward, springs—  
Because the Holy Ghost over the bent  
World broods with warm breast and with ah! bright wings.”  
— **Gerard Manley Hopkins**

“All things therefore are charged with love,  
are charged with God and if we knew how to touch them  
give off sparks and take fire, yield drops and flow,  
ring and tell of him.”  
— **Gerard Manley Hopkins**