Thunder Bay United Churches Live-Streaming Service
Sunday, November 15th, 2026 – 25th after Pentecost
Hosted by Pinegrove United Church
with Worship Leader Rev. Bert Vancook
(Pinegrove & Trinity)

Welcome & Land Acknowledgement *(Cathi Siemieniuk, Pinegrove)*

Lighting of the Christ Candle *(Cathi Siemieniuk, Pinegrove)*

Introit: *"Lead Me, Lord"* *(J. Becker arr. .M. Hayes)* *(Trinity Choir, LIVE)*

Call to Worship: *(responsive, words on screen)* *(Cathi Siemieniuk, Pinegrove)*

We look up to the mountains;
Does our strength come from mountains?
No, our strength comes from God,
The one who made heaven and earth, and mountains.
God won't let us stumble, our Guardian God won't fall asleep
God will never doze or sleep.
God's our Guardian, at our side to protect us.
Shielding us from sunstroke, sheltering us from moonstroke
God guards us from every evil, God guards our very life
God guards us when we leave and when we return,
God guards us now and always.

Hymn: *MV # 1 "Let Us Build a House"* *(led by Pinegrove)*

Opening Prayer *(Rev. Bert Vancook, Pinegrove)*

Assurance of Pardon *(Rev. Bert Vancook, Pinegrove)*

Youth Choir: *"Yesu Kwetu ni Fafiki (What a Friend)"* *(Trinity, Live)*

Hymn: *VU # 229 "God of the Sparrow"* *(led by Pinegrove)*

Introduction to Scripture *(Jean Murray, Trinity)*

Prayer for Understanding *(Jean Murray, Trinity)*

Scripture: *Matthew 25: 14-30* *(The Message)* *(Jean Murray, Trinity)*
R: "Thanks be to God"

Anthem: *"God Will Make a Way"* *(D. Moen arr. M. Hayes)*
(Carol Wehrstedt, piano; Pinegrove, LIVE)

Sermon *(Rev. Bert Vancook, Pinegrove)*

Hymn: *VU 335 "At the Name of Jesus"* *(led by Trinity)*

Invitation to the Offering *(Jean Murray, Trinity)*

Offertory: *"All Around"* *(Don Jewitt)* *(Pinegrove, VIDEO)*

Doxology: *MV # 27 "Creator God You Gave Us Life"* *(vs 3 & refrain)*
(led by Trinity)

Dedication of the Offering: (*unison, words on screen)* *(Jean Murray, Trinity)*

Prayers of the People *(Rev. Bert Vancook, Pinegrove)*

The Lord's Prayer: *(unison, words on screen)* *(Rev. Bert Vancook, Pinegrove)*

Hymn: *VU # 217 "All Creatures of Our God and King"* *(led by Trinity)*

Commissioning and Benediction *(Rev. Bert Vancook, Pinegrove)*

Sending Forth: *TLUS # 104 "May the Peace of Christ"*
(led by Pinegrove)

Postlude: *"Duo for Two Cellos"* *(R. Glière, Op. 53)*
(Claire Wang, cello & Peter Cosbey, cello; Trinity LIVE)

We warmly welcome all visitors who are worshipping with us this morning and invite you to sign the guest book at the back of the Sanctuary.

A Few Announcements:

- ***DECLUTTERING*** is the topic for Kelly Noonan's presentation on Wednesday, November 18 in the Assembly Room. All of us will find useful tips when embarking on this much required activity. Beginning at 1:30 with light refreshments. No Charge. Friends welcome.

- The next Ladies' Lunch will be held on Wednesday, December 2 (noon) at Vanderwees Tulip Cafe. Come on out and view the lovely Christmas displays as well as enjoying an informal meal with other Trinity women. Friends welcome. Sign-up sheets will be up soon.