

Mill Woods United Church
October 17, 2021, at 10:30 am

Worship leaders: Cathy Bayly, Celia Conway, Wendy Edey
Musicians: Bryan LeGrow, Len Penner, Barb Kitagawa, Kathy Crawford
PowerPoint: Gordon Hodge * **Facebook Live:** Brian Sampson

"The difficult I'll do right now. The impossible will take a little while" – B Holiday

Music as we gather

Welcome and announcements – Celia Conway

Lighting the Christ Candle – Cathy Bayly

as we sing "Morning Has Broken" VU #409 (v. 1)

Gathering Prayer

* **Opening hymn:** "Jesus, You Have Come to the Lakeshore" VU #563

Musical Offering: "Deep Waters" by Pepper Choplin (video)

We listen to a reading – Celia Conway

"The Gates of Hope" by Rev. Victoria Safford

Reflection: Naming the hope we see (video supplied by Wendy Edey)

... music for meditation ...

* **Hymn of response:** "What Does the Lord Require of You" VU #701

Offering prayer

Sharing joys and concerns

Prayers of the People . . . The Prayer that Jesus Taught Us (Wendy Edey's)

* **Closing Hymn:** "This Ancient Love" VU #282

* **Blessing**

"Hope Shines as a Solitary Star" MV #220

* **Extinguishing the Christ Candle** – Celia Conway