



Knox Presbyterian Church

Thedford



OUR MISSION
*At Knox Presbyterian Church,
we seek to glorify the Lord Jesus Christ
and be led by the Holy Spirit,
in worship, in daily life, and in serving God
as we serve our community and beyond*

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Sunday, May 17, 2015

“MINDS IN THE MAKING”

* *please stand as you are able*

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Welcome, Announcements, Greeting

We Prepare to Worship...in story

We Prepare to Worship...in song

“We Will Glorify” (Paris) “Speak to Me” (Walker)

We Prepare to Worship...in prayer *the Bible is carried in*

TO WORSHIP GOD

Call to Worship *Psalm 119 and Proverbs 1*

One: Our God is a God of wisdom.

Joyful are people of integrity,
who follow the instructions of the LORD.

**ALL: Joyful are those who obey His laws
and search for Him with all their hearts**

One: Fear of the LORD is the foundation of wisdom.

ALL: Knowledge of the Holy One results in good judgment.

* Response “Lord, I Lift Your Name on High” (Founds)

*Prayer of Approach and Confession, The Lord’s Prayer
The Good News of God’s Grace and Forgiveness

*Hymn of Praise “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”
(Smith)

We Profess What We Believe *The Apostles’ Creed*

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Ministry in Music “Ancient Words” (De Shazo) Sisters
Children’s Time

*Song “You Shall Love the Lord” (Hernandez)

We Prepare to Hear God’s Word

Scriptures *Proverbs 16:16-23 (p.524)*

Psalm 119: 169-176 (p. 502)

Romans 12:1-2 (p. 921)

Message

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

*In Song “Speak, O Lord” (Getty)

Prayers of the People *insert*

Offering and Dedication

WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS, WE GO TO SERVE

*Hymn “Days of Elijah” (Mark)

*The Lord Sends Us with His Blessing

*Song of Blessing “Go Now in Peace”



AN EXTRA PLACE AT THE TABLE for MAY

salt, pepper, seasonings, household cleaning supplies



PRAY TOGETHER

DAY OF PRAYER @ KPC

WENESDAY, MAY 20 800 a.m. – 8.00 p.m.

Church will be open for you to come in and pray.

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KNOWING THAT HIS MESSAGE WAS ON THE WEAK SIDE, HE MAXIMIZED THE VISUALS FOR IMPACT

WELCOME!

Welcome to worship with the faith family at Knox Church, Thedford. We're a friendly community church and glad you're here! You'll find more welcome information on the next page, and if you have any questions, just ask the person who greeted you at the door!

"Make up your mind!" – so says a hurried parent to the child picking a chocolate bar...an on again, off again engagement...the pet owner whose cat wants in and out and in and out...Make up your mind! Our minds are being "made" all the time – by what we think, what we hold on to in memory, what we take in to our minds through TV, music, movies, books, social media, and more. Our minds are in the making...with what? who? This morning we'll look at Paul's wise words to early Christians about making up their minds...that would lead them to conform or be transformed...and challenge and inspire us, who also have

"MINDS IN THE MAKING"



A Word About Worship....



You are welcome here. Really. You are among friendly people who care, who aren't perfect, but are on a journey of faith. If you are a guest, we don't expect

you to give an offering; if you wish to do so, we're grateful. Join us for refreshments downstairs after worship. We hope you are blessed by being here, and that you'll come again!



KID CONNECTION welcomes all children! Come up front for the children's time; parents welcome, too! Then join the group and head downstairs after the children's

song. Children will rejoin us for the closing song. Feel free to accompany your child downstairs and then return for the message once they are settled.

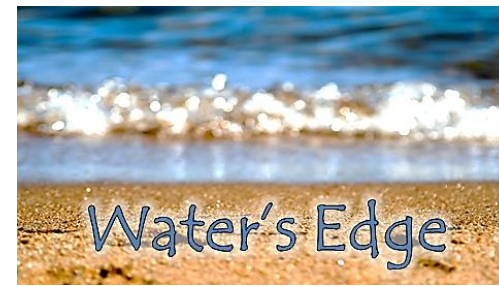
Washrooms are at the back entry and in the downstairs hall; **baby change stations** are located in the back entry washroom and just off the front entryway.



We have hearing assistance devices available. Just ask a greeter or the staff at the sound booth at the back.

Please join us for refreshments and conversation following worship! Head downstairs after the service – you'll be welcome! More information about worship and our church on the next page, and at our website

- *Orange juice and bottled water are available on the back table by the front entry door.*



an alternative, conversational gathering for worship, for those seeking God. Wednesdays 7-8 p.m. at Chris and Jesse's home, 7745 Alfred Street, Port Franks. All welcome!



Hospitality is important to everyone who comes to KPC! As one wise pastor said, "On Sunday morning at church, greet your friends and visit with the visitors!"

Please sign up to serve in this ministry... as a children's greeter, nursery care, youth group snack provider...thank you! Sheets for sign up are available today.

Sign up today!

THIS WEEK:

Children's Greeter: Anna Herrington

Nursery Ministry: opportunity to serve

Youth Group Snack: Helen Hayter

NEXT WEEK:

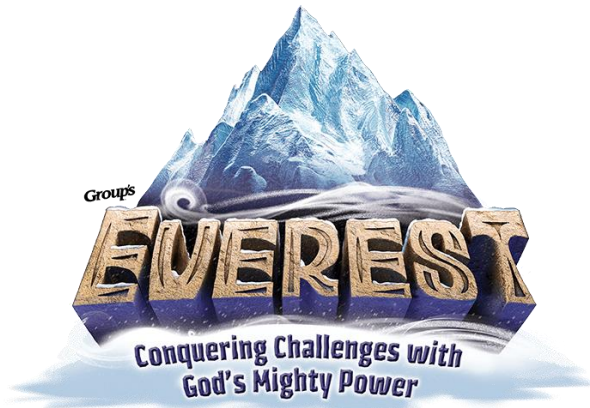
Children's Greeter: Kim, Austin and Logan Arnel

Nursery Ministry: opportunity to serve

Youth Group Snack: Helen Hayter



If you enjoyed
worship today,
why not invite a
friend to join you
next Sunday?



EVEREST Vacation Bible Camp
mornings, August 17-21,

is looking for volunteers. To be a 'sherpa' (small
group leader), to help with program areas like
games, Bible Expedition, Preschool Peak, and more.

Contact Pastor Chris or Catherine Minielly.

School, and June 14, 2-4 p.m. @ KPC. Registration
forms available today!

We will have 3 registration days : May 30, 2-4 p.m.
. @ KPC, June 3, 2-4 p.m. at Bosanquet Central



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this week @ church

Sunday after worship "Freedom in Christ" small group

Monday 7.00 p.m. Financial Peace small group

Tuesday 1.30 p.m. Knox Knitters

4 p.m. Youth Group

7.00 p.m. Daniel Plan

Wednesday **DAY OF PRAYER 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.**

No Bible study today

7.00 p.m. Water's Edge

Sunday 9.30 a.m. Worship and **Kid Connection**

after worship "Freedom in Christ" small group

small groups

connect grow serve

May and June we'll have a number of small group ministries here at KPC - a great place to connect with people, to have fun, to grow in your faith and understanding of being a follower of Jesus. Why not get involved in one?

Freedom in Christ

A new group study to help anyone find the freedom Jesus gives, so we are not held back by old lies, by our past, by our struggles and pain...but free to become all God has created us to be! This group will begin on May 11, and will meet after coffee hour for about an hour. Pastor Chris will lead this group.



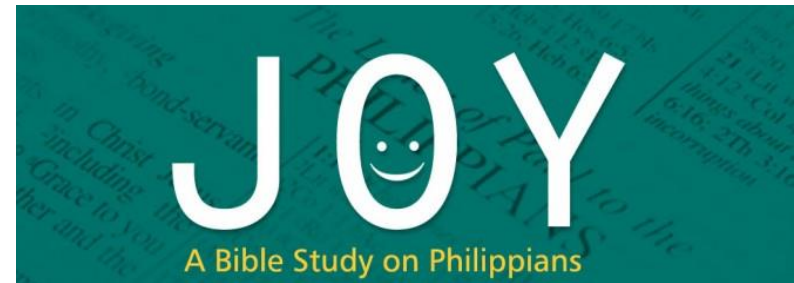
A 6 week small group that will help you adopt a healthy lifestyle - and is lots of fun! Led by Maryellen Brown, the group will meet on Tuesdays, 7-8.30 p.m.

THE DANIEL PLAN

40 DAYS to a HEALTHIER LIFE



A fast-paced, fun and very practical group study that will help you be wise with money. 9 weeks and will start the second week of May. Kim Heathcote will lead this group.



Philippians: A Letter of Joy from a Jail Cell
Starts May 13 1.00 – 2.30 p.m.

APPRENTICES OF JESUS

will begin in August.

Books available next month.

