



**Knox Presbyterian Church**  
*Thedford*

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace  
as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow  
with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

**Romans 15:13**

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**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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**Christian Family Sunday**  
**Mother's Day**  
**May 12, 2019**



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**FORGOTTEN GOD: HOLY SPIRIT**  
**"FAMILY"**

*\*please stand in body or heart*

**THE CHURCH GATHERS** Welcome!

We Prepare to Worship...

In a story

In song "My Lighthouse" (*Rend Collective*)

"Open Our Eyes, Lord" (*Cull*)

In silent prayer

**TO WORSHIP GOD**

**Call to Worship** (*from Romans 5, Psalm 105, Acts 2*)

One: The love of God has been poured into our hearts  
through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us;

**ALL: we dwell in God, and God in us.**

One: Give thanks to the Lord and call upon His name;

**ALL: make known His deeds among the peoples.**

One: God will pour out the Spirit on all flesh,

**ALL: and our daughters and sons shall prophesy.**

**Our old ones shall dream dreams,  
and our young ones shall see visions;  
and all who call upon the name of the Lord  
shall be rescued.**

One: Come, let us call upon the name of the Lord.

\*Response "All Are Welcome" v.1,2 (*Haugen*)

\*Prayer of Approach and Confession, The Lord's Prayer  
Assurance of God's Love and Mercy

\*Hymn of Praise "Ten Thousand Reasons" (*Redman*)

\*The Basics of our Faith *The Apostles' Creed*

**GOD SPEAKS TO US**

For Younger Worshippers

\*Song "The Church Song" (*Beech*)

We Prepare to Hear God's Word

Scripture *Isaiah 59:20-21 (p. 601)*

*Psalm 134 (p. 505)*

*Romans 16:1-27 (p. 924)*

Message

**WE RESPOND IN FAITH**

\*Hymn "By Faith" (*Getty and Townend*)

Prayers of the People

Offering and Dedication

**WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS, WE GO TO SERVE**

\*Hymn "Oh, How Good It Is" (*Getty, Holmes and Townend*)

We Receive God's Blessing

Closing Song "Go Now in Peace" (*Besig and Price*)



## AN EXTRA PLACE AT THE TABLE

**Your donations of canned food, non-perishable items like cake mixes, mac and cheese, hamburger helper, juice boxes, dishwashing soap, cleaners etc. are most appreciated!**



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**"Our small group curriculum is multi-generational ... it includes a DVD, VHS, a CD, a cassette and an 8 track tape."**

## WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

*Welcome to worship! If it's your first time, or first time in a long time, or you're here all the time, know you are welcome here! You'll find more about worship on the next page – if you have any questions, please ask the person who greeted you at the door! At KPC, you are among friends...God's grace and love abide...so come as you are, and come to know something about the life and love of the Risen Lord Jesus and the presence of God's Spirit with us always and everywhere!*

*No matter what your "family" looks like (or doesn't look like!) you are welcome here. We're beginning a new sermon series as we continue to know and then trust the God of **HOPE**. Today, we begin a series on **HOLY SPIRIT** – the **FORGOTTEN GOD**. Who is H.S.? What does H.S. do? How do we know H.S.? We begin with **FAMILY** – Holy Spirit creates, brings together a **FAMILY** of faith.*

**FORGOTTEN GOD  
HOLY SPIRIT**

**FAMILY**



## A Word About Worship...

**WELCOME**

*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 to **KID CONNECTION** after the children's song. Children will rejoin us for the closing song. Feel free to accompany your child to the classroom and then return for the message once they are settled.



**NURSERY** ministry for those under school age is available as well.

**Washrooms** are available throughout the building; on both levels of the addition, at the elevator entry, and in the hall below the sanctuary. There are **baby change stations** are located at the main street entryway, and in the main floor, new addition washroom and nursery area.

We have hearing assistance devices available. Just ask a greeter or the staff at the sound booth at the back. Apple juice and bottled water are available on the back table by the front entry door.



Hospitality is important for everyone who comes to KPC! Be sure to welcome one another! As one wise pastor said, "On Sunday morning at church, greet Your friends and visit with the

visitors!" PLEASE NOTE: Greeters, please arrange among yourselves for the back door to have a greeter after worship as well; thank people for coming, and relay any messages to Pastor Chris.

### THIS WEEK:

Greeters: John & Debbie Gilliard; Mary Lou Glenn

Children's Greeter:

Youth Group Snack:

Please sign up for hospitality ministry  
- there's a place for you to make a place for others!!



Here's what's  
happening!

Tuesday 1.30 p.m. Knox Knitters  
4.00 p.m. Youth Group

Wednesday 1.30 p.m. Philippians study  
7.00 p.m. GRIEF SHARE (Board Room)  
8.00 p.m. Hope and Freedom (NA group)  
Downstairs Hall

Thursday 10 – 11 a.m. SENIORS COFFEE GROUP BOARD Rm.  
*Working with North Lambton Community Health Centre, we are pleased to host a weekly coffee group for any seniors who wish to come!*  
7.00 p.m. S.A.F.E. group meeting (Board room)

Sunday 9.30 a.m. Worship and KID CONNECTION  
CHRISTIAN FAMILY SUNDAY  
Mother's Day  
FORGOTTEN GOD: HOLY SPIRIT week 2  
"TRANSFORM"



COMING

SOON!

**Starts TODAY!**

**HOLY SPIRIT – a message series about the ‘forgotten God’ – who gifts and blesses, guides and sustains us in HOPE!**

**DAVID – MAN AFTER GOD’S OWN HEART**

*a worship series that looks at the life of David, the shepherd boy who became a king – and whose life gives us hope, because of God’s grace!*

PHILIPPIANS Bible study – let’s dig in to God’s Word as we go through one of Paul’s letters from prison, that is also his most joyful letter. Need some hope and encouragement? Come to this study....we’ve just begun, and you can fit right in!

connection

# Together...

WE ARE A FAMILY



## KID CONNECTION GARDENING DAY!

On Sunday, May 19,

Kid Connection will be heading outside!  
They will be planting the church gardens,  
with Rick Doyle and their leaders.

This is a great day, and lots of fun for the kids...  
and helps them be engaged in caring for God's  
creation and doing something for the church family.

Kids, dress according to the weather.  
Come in clothes you won't mind getting dirty,  
and be ready to work in the dirt!

And...Lemonade on the Lawn plus hot dogs to follow!



## FAITH JOURNEY BELONG to BELIEVE

If you are at a place in your faith journey where you would like to explore more about our church, your faith, making a personal commitment to Christ, being baptized, or renewing your baptism, Pastor Chris would love to talk with you.

In June we would love to bless and encourage you, and have the opportunity for you to take a step of faith.

## PAN MISSION TRIP TO NICARAGUA

As you clean out your closet for summer, remember that Loraine Warnock, Rick Doyle and Emma Mallett (Rick and Barb's granddaughter) are on a mission trip to Nicaragua this fall. Here are some items the team would like to take with them:

For personal care bags: toothbrushes and toothpaste, bar soap, comb, washcloths (we have lots of people making these for us), -

For the "store" - gently used summer clothing - especially for boys and men, running shoes - we can use babies, children and womens' clothing - skirts, t shirts, sweaters etc., knit teddy bears.

Please let Loraine know if you have any questions.



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