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OUR MISSION

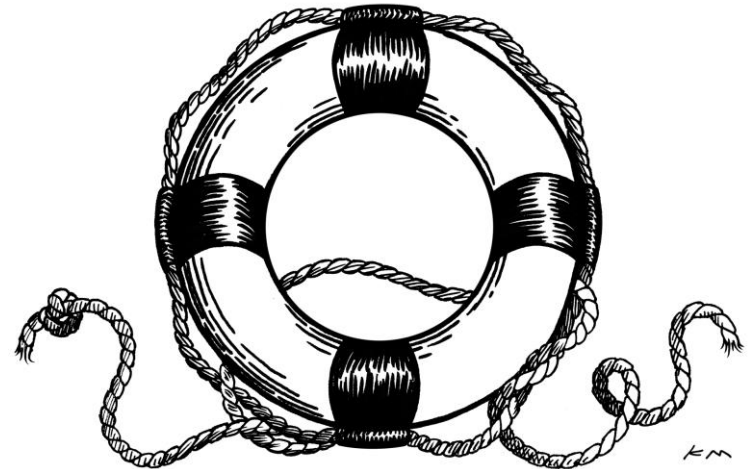
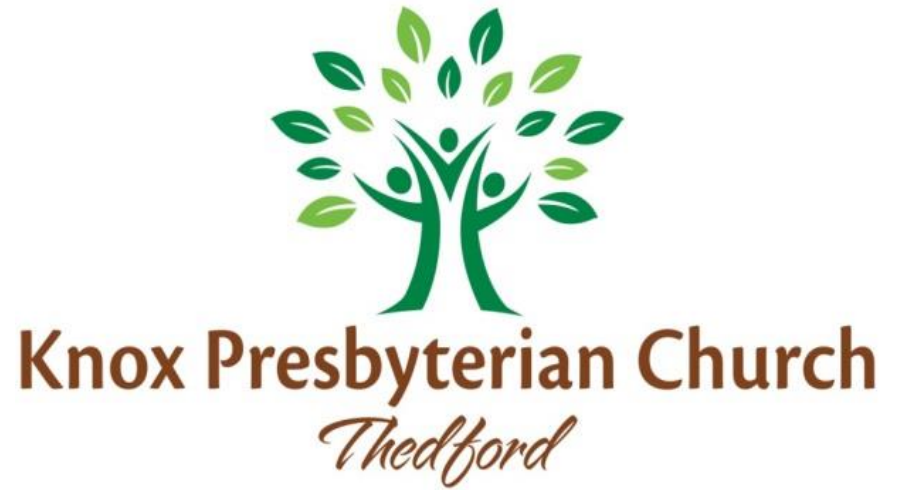
*At Knox Presbyterian Church,
we seek to glorify the Lord Jesus Christ
and be led by the Holy Spirit,
in worship, in daily life, and in serving God
as we serve our community and beyond*

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Sunday, April 3, 2016

LIFELINE ✚

Peter's Journey with Jesus

"AUDIENCE OF ONE"

* *please stand as you are able*

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Welcome, Announcements, Greeting

We Prepare to Worship...in story

We Prepare to Worship...in song

"Standing in the Need of Prayer" (Traditional Spiritual)

"The Heart of Worship" (Redman)

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

TO WORSHIP GOD

Call to Worship *(from Deuteronomy 6 and Psalm 146)*

One: Listen, people of God: The LORD is our God.

The LORD is the only God. Love the LORD your God
with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your
mind, and with all your strength.

Take to heart these words.

**ALL: Joyful are those who have God as their helper,
whose hope is in the Lord their God.**

The Lord will reign forever!

* Response *"Mighty to Save"* (Fielding/Morgan)

*Prayer of Approach and Confession, The Lord's Prayer
Good News of God's Mercy and Grace

*Hymn of Praise *"Come, People of the Risen King"* (Getty)

We Profess What We Believe *The Apostles' Creed*

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Children's Time

*Song *"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"* (Trad. Spiritual)

We Prepare to Hear God's Word

Scripture *Proverbs 4:20-27 (p. 515) Proverbs 3:5-6 (p. 513)*

Psalm 115 (p. 497) with refrain

John 21:18-22 (p.880)

Message

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

Hymn *"Here I Am, Lord"* (Schutte)

Prayers of the People

Offering and Dedication

WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS, WE GO TO SERVE

*Hymn *"In Christ Alone"* (Getty)

*The Lord Sends Us with His Blessing

*Song of Blessing *"Go Now in Peace"* (Besig & Price)





AN EXTRA PLACE AT THE TABLE for APRIL

Cereal* Tomato soup*
Pasta Sauce (they have none)
Canned vegetables* Jello*

Snack items for kids' lunches (pudding cups, juice boxes etc.)
Canned fruit * Canned pasta (like Alphaghetti)



CALLING ALL KIDS!
KID CONNECTION is for
YOU! Join us downstairs
after the children's time and
song for stories, crafts, faith and fun!

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Thanks to David Lundahl (See Mark 10:21) 09-15-2006
**YOU SAID TAKE UP LACROSSE AND FOLLOW
YOU ... NOW WHAT?**



Welcome! So glad you are here today! If it's your first time here, or first time in a long time, or you're here all the time, we hope you'll be encouraged: to think, to explore, to believe, to become, to take a step on the journey of life and faith with greater hope and a deeper desire to serve. 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 Jesus and the presence of God's Spirit with us always and everywhere!

*We're continuing to follow the story of Peter, one of Jesus' apprentices. In Peter's story with Jesus, we find hope for our own. Peter had moments of great faith and of deep doubt; times when we spoke faithfully and times when he spoke foolishly. In Jesus, Peter found what he needed : A **LIFELINE** – hope, meaning purpose, rescue and redemption for life. Today Peter needs to focus on an **AUDIENCE OF ONE**...and so do we as apprentices of Jesus.*



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

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



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!

This Week:

Greeters: Matt & Julie DeJong; Gary & Laurie Brown
Children's Greeter: Kim, Austin & Logan Arnel
Nursery Ministry:
Youth Group Snack: Karen Alberti

Next Week:

Greeters: Ruth Slaughter, Shirley Jamieson, Peggy Smith & Josie
Children's Greeter:
Nursery Ministry:
Youth Group Snack:



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JUST FOR FUN!
CHURCH FAMILY POT LUCK LUNCH
TODAY!



No offerings, no requests for support
just a great meal together with great people!
we might have some fun entertainment...
we will have some great food to share.
Bring your own plates and cutlery, and your
favourite main course, or salad or dessert!
All ages included! Guests welcome!
Join us!



- Sunday after worship **JUST FOR FUN** Pot Luck!
- Monday 7.00 p.m. Daniel Plan
- Tuesday 1.30 p.m. Knox Knitters
4.00 p.m. Youth Group
7.00 p.m. SESSION meeting
- Wednesday 1.00 p.m. Apprentices of Jesus
7.00 p.m. Water's Edge
- Thursday 7.00 p.m. Single & Parenting
- Sunday 9.30 a.m. Worship & KID CONNECTION



LIFELINE 

Peter's Journey with Jesus – Prayer Meeting!



WOMEN'S EVENT in THEDFORD!

Thedford Legacy Centre on May 28, 2016
with Rebecca Nichols Alonzo

Rebecca Nichols Alonzo is the author of the New York Times bestselling novel *The Devil in Pew Number Seven*, has appeared on Dr. Phil, and is currently having a movie made to tell her compelling story of betrayal and forgiveness. As a young girl, Rebecca and her entire family endured relentless persecution and harassment that culminated in tragedy. However, through the example of her parents, Rebecca learned what it means to forgive and did the unthinkable when she forgave her family's tormentor. Rebecca now lives in Kentucky with her husband and two children.

This will be a girls' day out with music, a great lunch,
and door prizes!

Cost of tickets \$35.00

You can purchase tickets from Brenda Stewardson today
or call her at 519 786 6987.



TRIVIA CHALLENGE

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to support YOUTH FOR CHRIST programs in Parkhill

Sunday, April 24, 2016 3-6 p.m.

Ailsa Craig Rec centre

Cost \$20 per person or \$150 for a team of 8

Some of us took part last year and found it a lot of fun!

And, we won! If you're interested,

let Pastor Chris know.

A wonderful 6 week group
study for total wellness in
body, mind and soul!
Maryellen Brown is your
leader.

Starts Monday April 4 7.00
p.m.

Sign up sheet here.
Book order list also available!

