

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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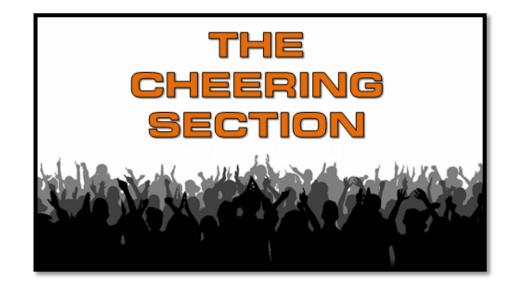
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CREED Faith Words

"I believe...

in the communion of saints"

November 1, 2015

CREED: FAITH WORDS "THE CHEERING SECTION"

* please stand as you are able

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Welcome, Announcements, Greeting We Prepare to Worship...in story

We Prepare to Worship...in song
"Lord Most High" (Harris & Sadler)
"What the Lord has Done in Me" (Morgan)
We Prepare to Worship...in prayer the Bible is carried in

TO WORSHIP GOD

Call to Worship from I Corinthians 1:2-3 and Psalm 145:3-4

One: To those who are made holy in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

ALL: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; there is no end to His greatness.

One generation shall praise Your works to another and shall declare Your power.

(Heber)

One: All Your works praise You, Lord,

ALL: and Your faithful servants bless You.

One: They make known the glory of Your kingdom

ALL: and speak of Your power.

* Response "Holy, Holy, Holy"

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

*Hymn of Praise "We Will Extol You, God and King" (Scheer)

GOD SPEAKS TO US

A Question of Faith from the Belhar Confession Children's Time

*Song "Saints Love One Another" (McLure)

We Prepare to Hear God's Word

Scripture *Exodus 17:8-13 (p. 60) Psalm 112 (p. 496)*

Hebrews 11:1-16, 12:1 (p.986)

Message

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

*We Profess What We Believe The Apostles' Creed

*Hymn "The Servant Song" (Gillard/Pulkingham) during this song, you are invited to come forward to the communion table, and light your candle in gratitude for a 'saint' who has encouraged you to look to Jesus in your own faith journey.

Prayers of the People

We Give our Tithes, Offerings and Lives

WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS, WE GO TO SERVE

*Hymn "When the Saints Go Marching In" (Traditional Spiritual)

*The Lord Sends Us with His Blessing

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





AN EXTRA PLACE AT THE TABLE for NOVEMBER canned stew, soup (canned, dry or

box), beans, tuna, ham, chicken

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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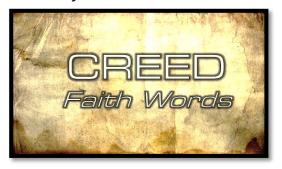
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AWKWARD EVENINGS FOR MANY A GUARDIAN ANGEL

GOOD MORNING!

Thanks for coming to worship today; we're been looking forward to being together! 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, top 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! 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 in a series of messages called **CREED Faith**Words about an ancient yet still standard summary of what Christians believe; a summary that is shared by Christians of every variety all over the world. We say these words each week in worship, to remind us of the 'basics' of the Christian faith. But we need to be reminded of what it all means, so it isn't just a rote repetition, but truly a confession of faith. Today, words of encouragement that we're not alone on the journey of life and faith, but part of "the communion of saints"!



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.



7-8 p.m. at Chris' home. An informal, faith-seeking gathering for anyone, any age, any stage of faith! We are currently doing "Starting Point" a thoughtful engaging series on faith with Andy Stanley.



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.

THIS WEEK:

Greeters: Rick & Barb Doyle; Glenn & Helen McIntyre

Children's Greeter: Marie Clark

Nursery Ministry: Cassie Herrington Youth Group Snack: opportunity to serve

NEXT WEEK:

Greeters: Archie & Kathy Donald; Bert & Jackie Bebingh Children's Greeter: Nicole Thacuk & Caeden Thachuk

Nursery Ministry: Nicole Thachuk

Youth Group Snack: opportunity to serve



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Thank you for supporting Holly Cavanagh's mission trip to Honduras! Your generosity has given Holly over \$500 in addition to all the donated items. THANK YOU! Loraine Warnock is heading on a mission trip in her role as a nurse to Guatemala in late November. We will host another Souper Sunday on November 15 to support Loraine! Donations for Loraine will go to the mission; items to be collected if you wish could include

hygiene items (female products) + baby diapers + adult and pediatric medications such as: pain meds or muscle ointments, antibiotic medication or ointments, +vicks rub, +nausea, diarrhea meds+ first aid kits + thermometers+ shampoo & conditioner (small bottles) hair brushes + razors + children's toys -balls + school supplies magnifying glasses sunscreen glasses & sun glasses pregnancy tests + play and bath bubbles+ eye drops+ ear drops hydrocortisone cream



Sunday after worship coffee hour

Tuesday 1.30 p.m. Knox Knitters

4.00 p.m. Youth Group

7.00 p.m. Grief Share

Wednesday 7.00 p.m. Water's Edge & Starting Point Thursday 1.30 p.m. APPRENTICES OF JESUS small group

Sunday 9.30 a.m. Worship & KID CONNECTION

CREED: FAITH WORDS

"The Forgiveness of Sins"



APPRENTICES OF JESUS

Thursdays, 1.30 – 3.00 p.m. here at the church.



TUESDAYS, 7.00 p.m.

Anyone who has lost a loved one, in recent months or years ago, is welcome to a supportive, caring group that helps you move forward, step by step, on your journey from mourning to joy.

startingpoint

discussions about the Christian faith – from a new perspective, for young adults and adults who are seeking to come to a fresh, relevant understanding of what it means to follow Jesus.

joining Water's Edge, Wednesdays 7 p.m. at Chris' home 7745 Alfred Street, Port Franks.



Boxes and brochures are available today, and are due back to KPC on November 17. For guidance in your purchases, please speak with Mary Turner.

(Note a request from OCC- NO CANDY.)

As you prepare – think about these things:

- ✓ Give something that lasts.
- ✓ Give less but spend a little more on quality.
- ✓ Think of basic needs: socks, toothbrushes, toothpaste, small packed soap, combs, notepads, pens, pencils (remember a sharpener!), erasers, a small fold up drawstring bag, a rolled up T shirt, a hat, sunglasses
- ✓ Think of fun gifts: a ball, a small doll or action figure (think Spiderman, Superman etc. no soldiers), a puzzle. Watch out with stuffed animals: in some countries, those animals can be a symbol of fear!

Copies of the announcement regarding the work of the Session

and Board of Managers concerning our building and our future are available after the service, at either door. We have agreed to offer monthly updates, and are always interested in hearing from the church family. Your elder can be



a listening ear for your ideas and concerns. If you are not sure who your elder is, please see the list on the back bulletin board, near the audio-visual area. If you do not have an elder, but are interested in having a person as your 'guide' and support in the church family, please contact Gary Brown or Pastor Chris

