



SERMON ON THE MOUNT

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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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The Apprentices' Handbook



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Sunday, October 16, 2016

“TWO TO 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

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

“*Open the Eyes of My Heart*” (Baloche)

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

TO WORSHIP GOD

Call to Worship (*verses from Psalms 18, 92*)

One: I love you, Lord; You are my strength.

**ALL: The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my Saviour;
my God is my rock, in whom I find protection.**

One: It is good to give thanks to the Lord,
to sing praises to the Most High.

**ALL: It is good to proclaim Your unfailing love in the
morning, Your faithfulness in the evening.**

* Response “*Step by Step*” (Beaker)

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

*Hymn of Praise “*Your Name*” (Packiam & Baloche)

We Profess What We Believe *The Apostles’ Creed*

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Children’s Time

*Song “*I’m Gonna Sing*” (Traditional Spiritual)

We Prepare to Hear God’s Word “*Open Our Eyes, Lord*” (Cull)

Scripture *Psalm 119: 33-40 (p. 499)*

Matthew 6:19-34 (insert – The Message)

Message

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

Hymn “*The Stand*” (Houston)

We Gather at the Lord’s Table

WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS, WE GO TO SERVE

Hymn “*Be Thou My Vision*” (St. Patrick’s Breastplate)

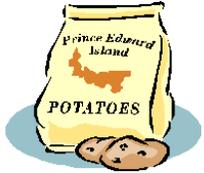
We are Encouraged and Blessed by God

Benediction “*Go Now In Peace*” (Besig and Price)



AN EXTRA PLACE AT THE TABLE for OCTOBER

potatoes, onions, carrots, canned vegetables, soup



Good Morning!

Hi there! We're glad you're here today! If it's your first time, 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!

Today, we continue the **APPRENTICES' HANDBOOK** series, going through the Sermon on the Mount. We've heard some fine words, great truths, deep love. Now the sermon shifts a bit – and we're asked, commanded, to go from two to one – from trying to balance two or too many masters, ideas, commitments – to just one. One. This morning we will hear the call, and see how our Lord is on the one path, the one message, the one sacrifice for us...which gives us the courage, the love, the trust to move from **TWO TO ONE**.



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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!"

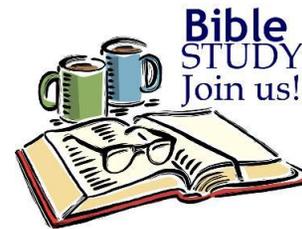


THIS WEEK:

Greeters Tom & Jenny Sangster, Gary & Laurie Brown
Youth Group Snack: Fern Maedel
Children's Greeter: Kristyn Wilson

NEXT WEEK:

Greeters: Jeff & Brenda Stewardson
Robert & Marcia Minielly
Youth Group Snack: Ruth Hughes
Children's Greeter: Mary Turner

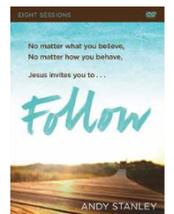


BIBLE STUDY

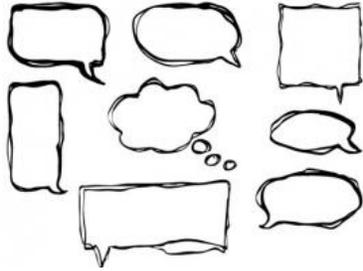
begins Wednesday, October 5
1.30 – 3.00 p.m. "Prophet on the Run"
a look at the book of Jonah

Water's Edge Wednesdays at 7.00 p.m.

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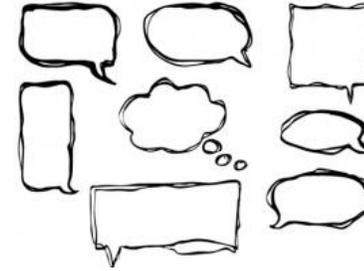
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