

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

+ + + + + + + + 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, March 17, 2019



I AM Knowing Jesus

LIVING WATER

*please stand as you are able

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Welcome!

We Prepare to Worship...

In a story

In song "You Are My All in All" (Jernigan)

"I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" (Bonar)

In silent prayer

TO WORSHIP GOD

Call to Worship

One: Who is Jesus? One: Mark 6:47-51

One: God calls us to worship Him.

ALL: We worship Jesus Christ, the Master, who brings peace in the storm with His power and His presence.

One: We worship the Master, who tells us not to fear,

to take couarge, because He is with us!

ALL: We worship our Master, Jesus Christ!

*Response "Jesus is Lord" (Getty and Townend)

*Prayer of Approach and Confession insert Assurance of God's Love and Mercy

"For Those Tears I Died" *Hymn of Praise (Stevens)

*The Basics of our Faith The Apostles' Creed

GOD SPEAKS TO US

For Younger Worshippers

*Song "Lead Me, Jesus; I Will Follow"

(Creen)

We Prepare to Hear God's Word

Scripture Isaiah 12 and Revelation 7 (insert)

Jeremiah 2:11-13 (p. 609)

John 4:1-14 (p. 863) 7:37-39 (p. 867)

Message

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

*Hymn "Living Water" (Cash and Getty)

Prayers of the People; The Lord's Prayer

Offering and Dedication

WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS, WE GO TO SERVE

"We Will Feast in the House of Zion" *Hvmn (McCracken)

We Receive God's Call and Blessing

Closing Song "Go Now In Peace"



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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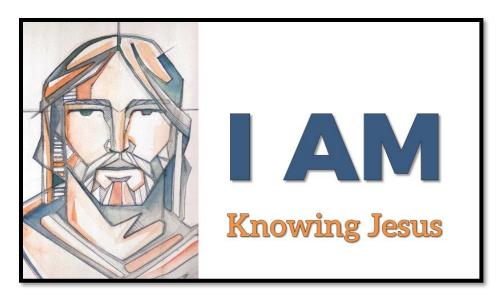
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Welcome to Worship at KPC!

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!

This morning, the First Sunday of Lent, we begin a new worship series called **I AM: Knowing Jesus**. In this season, we will focus on the seven "I AM" sayings of Jesus, and so get to know, trust, and follow Jesus closely on His journey to the cross. This morning, we begin with the basics: LIVING WATER, and our relationship with 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 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 <u>everyone</u> 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: Marion Tilford; Sonja Stanoyevic;

Robert & Marcia Minielly

Children's Greeter: opportunity to serve

Nursery Care:

Youth Group Snack: Jenny Sangster

NEXT WEEK:

Greeters: Steve & Jeanette Stellingwerff;

Herman & Eleanor Bientema

Children's Greeter: opportunity to serve

Nursery Care:

Youth Group Snack: Kim Arnel





WEDNESDAYS, 1.30 – 3.00 p.m. "IT'S NOT SUPPOSED TO BE THIS WAY" small group study this will be a very encouraging, uplifting study!

SATURDAY, MARCH 30 8.30 -10 a.m. "SOUL CARE"

Join Pastor Chris for a time of teaching and learning about caring for your soul. We will have some muffins, fruit, coffee, tea, juice and water to begin, and consider how to grow and go deeper in our relationship with God. We'll meet once a month, and practice what we've learned. This session will be about READING THE BIBLE – LECTIO DIVINA— come and find out abut this ancient and encouraging holy habit!

WATER'S EDGE – look for a message as we determine our meeting day for the next series!



Tuesday 1.30 p.m. Knox Knitters

4.00 p.m. Youth Group

Wednesday 1.30 p.m. IT'S NOT SUPPOSED TO BE

THIS WAY study

7.00 p.m. GRIEF SHARE

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!

Sunday 9.30 a.m. Worship and KID CONNECTION

LENT 3 "I AM" – KNOWING JESUS

I AM...THE CHRIST



A Bible study, going through the book of Philippians, will begin May 1st, 1.30 – 3.00 p.m. Bring a notebook and your Bible!

GRIEF SHARE Wednesdays, 7.00 p.m.

All are welcome to join a caring group of people on the journey of grief! Come for hope, for healing, for care and compassion!

MORE THAN A MOVIE

Thursday, March 28 – 6.30 p.m.

The SAFE group, working with the Forest Kiwanis Club and North Lambton Community Health Centre, is offering a **free** evening that will be more than a movie! We will offer **free**

food (from Lizzy's Country Café and Poppa Jim's Pizza) and drinks, and Julia Robert's movie BEN BACK' about a family struggling with drug addiction. To help our community understand addiction issues close to home, we will have real stories from real local people, information and help from the NLCHC staff, and encouragement for our community as we work together to help people thrive, find support and hope! Free transportation from Thedford to the Kineto and home will be offered – details of pick up locations will be announced.



Sunday, April 14 we'll gather for a soup lunch after worship and have the opportunity to hear from Julia Bakker and Loraine Warnock about their mission trips, to Guatemala and Nicaragua. Please let us know if you are able to bring soup or dessert.

Please email Loraine <u>dragonboatmama@hotmail.com</u>



Palm Sunday 9.30 a.m. I AM the GATE

Monday 7 – 7.30 p.m. I AM the WAY

Tuesday 7 - 7.30 p.m. I AM the TRUTH

Wednesday 7-7.30 p.m. I AM the LIFE

Thursday 7 – 8 p.m. I AM the SERVANT

GOOD FRIDAY 7 – 8 p.m. I AM the GOOD SHEPHERD

EASTER 7.00 a.m. Sunrise Service and Breakfast

9.30 a.m. I AM the RESURRECTION and the LIFE