



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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**I AM**

**KNOWING JESUS**



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Sunday, April 14, 2019



**I AM** *Knowing Jesus*

## **THE GATE**

*\*please stand as you are able*

### **THE CHURCH GATHERS**

Welcome!

We Prepare to Worship...

In a story **PALM SUNDAY** *Zechariah 9:9-10; John 12:12-19*

In song "This is the Day" "I Will Enter His Gates" (Brethorst)

In silent prayer

### **TO WORSHIP GOD**

#### **Call to Worship**

One: Who is Jesus? One: *Mark 11:9*

One: God calls us to worship Him.

**ALL: We worship Jesus Christ, the King!**

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

\*Prayer of Approach and Confession *insert*

Assurance of God's Love and Mercy

\*Hymn of Praise "Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer" (Williams)

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

### **GOD SPEAKS TO US**

For Younger Worshippers

\*Song "He is the King of Kings" (Meares)

We Prepare to Hear God's Word *Order My Steps in Your Word*

Scripture *Psalm 118:1, 19-29 (p.498)*

*John 10:1-10 (p. 870)*

Message

### **WE RESPOND IN FAITH**

\*Hymn "Give Us Your Peace" (Bunisan)

Prayers of the People; The Lord's Prayer

Offering and Dedication

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

\*Hymn "Days of Elijah" (Mark)

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!**



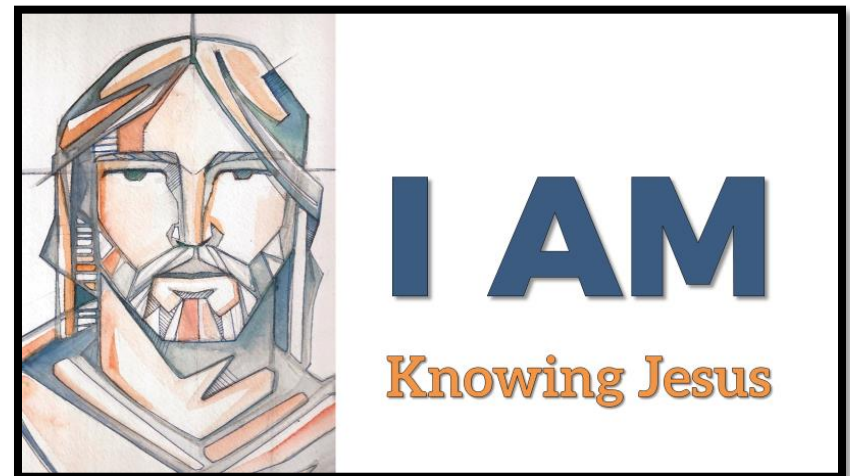
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## Welcome to Worship at KPC!

*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!*



**I AM: Knowing Jesus** is our theme during the season of Lent, a time to focus on Jesus Christ, our hope. 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, Palm Sunday, we enter the gates with Jesus – and through Jesus who said, **"I AM THE GATE"**

## 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: Anna Herrington; Janessa and Myra O'Neil;  
Dianne Rice

Children's Greeter:

Nursery Care:

Youth Group Snack:

### NEXT WEEK:

Greeters: Tom and Jenny Sangster; Paul and Linda Willsie

Children's Greeter:

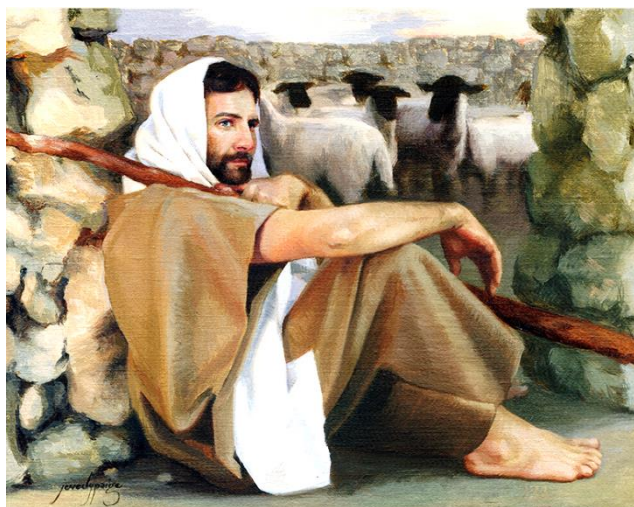
Nursery Care:

Youth Group Snack:





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!



after worship **SOUPER SUNDAY LUNCH!**

**Monday – Wednesday 7 p.m. – 7.30 p.m. short services on  
“I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH, and THE LIFE”**

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

**Wednesday 7.30 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!*

**7.00 p.m. MAUNDY THURSDAY service  
“I AM A SERVANT”**

**Friday 7.00 p.m. “I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD”**

**Sunday 7.00 a.m. EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE  
& BREAKFAST**

**9.30 a.m. Worship and KID CONNECTION**

**EASTER CELEBRATION!**

**“I AM THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE”**

**Communion**

**I am the **R**esurrection & the life**  
*John 11:25,26*  
*The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives believing in me will never die.*

# GRIEF SHARE

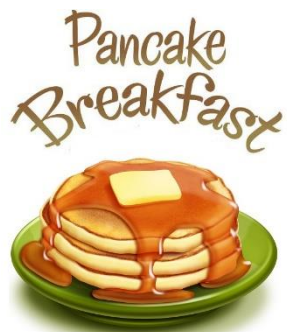
## Wednesdays, 7.00 p.m.

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



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 [dragonboatmama@hotmail.com](mailto:dragonboatmama@hotmail.com)



Next Sunday we'll gather at 7 a.m. to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ in an informal service. We will hear the story, transform the cross with fresh flowers, and rejoice together that Jesus lives!

We will gather for breakfast after that service and before the Celebration service at 9.30 a.m.

Jesse welcomes any men in the congregation to help prepare breakfast with him. You can let him know if you're able to help – starting at 6 a.m.!

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



