Announcements & Upcoming Events

We welcome FOGG to our service this morning and thank them for enhancing our worship with their gift of music.

Advent/Christmas Decorating Pizza Party. After service on November 22nd everyone is invited to remain to help decorate our worship space to welcome in the new season.

Our pre-Advent study continues for the remaining two Thursdays in November. A Zoom link is available for those who are unable to attend in person.

Starting in December our monthly Table Talk potluck dinners will be moving to the third Wednesday of each month. Please join us on December 16th at 6 PM for an evening of food, fellowship and great conversation.

Ladies & Gents invite you to their annual Christmas Potluck Luncheon on Thursday, December 3rd at 12 pm.

Knox's Advent Event Family Night will be held on Friday, December 11th from 5:30 - 7:00 pm. Details to follow.

Knox's Mission Committee is hosting a Mistletoe Market to support the Emergency Food Box Ministry. It will be held in the Library on Saturday, December 5 from 10 am - 2 pm.

Our Advent Pop-Up Choir will be practicing today following worship service. Anyone is welcome to join!

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS FROM THE PASTORAL CARE COMMITTEE

"Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise." James 5:13

Please keep Janice, Jan, Henry K. and Henry D. in your prayers.

If you or someone you know is in need of pastoral care or if you have a request for the Prayer Parners, please contact Ann Swan at (705) 645-1861

Volunteer Schedule

Sunday, November 15
Easy Worship: Alex Malcolm
Lay Reader: Linda Ann Jewell
Sunday School: Michael Barnes
Nursery Care: Jacqueline Loudon
Greeting Elder: Liz McKeen
Usher: Gary Kaye
Coffee Hour: Nancy Heath

Sunday, November 22
Easy Worship: Olivia Northey
Lay Reader: Ann Swan
Sunday School: Diana MacDonald
Nursery Care: Cindy Chilton
Greeting Elder: Marie Malcolm
Usher: Neil Somerville
Coffee Hour: Gail & Glenda

Welcome to

Knox Presbyterian Church

Sunday, November 15, 2026



Since the beginning, Indigenous Peoples have been stewards of this land. We gather on the traditional territory of the Algonkian people, including the Chippewa and Ojibway nations. This territory is covered by the Williams Treaty of 1923 and the J. Collins land purchase of 1785. We respect the contributions that First Nations, Metis, Inuit and other Indigenous Peoples have made, and continue to make, in shaping and strengthening this community, our province, and our country.

Minister: Rev. Dr. Heather Malnick, heatheratknoxpres@gmail.com
Music Director: Frances Balodis MEd, ARCT
Worship Media Coordinators: Crystal & Terry Ilczyna
Clerk of Session: Elaine Heron **Board of Managers**: Alex Malcolm
Administrative Assistant: Jacqueline Loudon
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We are a "Leading with Care" congregation, providing a safe space for children and vulnerable adults, following the LWC Policy of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Knox aims to be a scent-free environment

Order of Service

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Preparing for Worship Mornin' Train
Precious Lord Take My Hand
(performed by Five Old Guys and a Gal, FOGG)

Call to Worship
We gather to raise our voices in song, in prayer, and in praise.
We gather to raise our voices in lament, in sorrow, and in grief.
Together, we raise our voices in response to all the emotions we are experiencing.
May our voices, raised in community, bring healing, comfort, and hope.

Prayer - followed by the Lord's Prayer (trespasses version)
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Hymn #674 In the Bulb
(in honour of Dave Luke)

Children's Time

Hymn #635 Brother, Sister Let Me Serve You
(in honour of Marg & Sam Kelso, David Kelso and May McCasey)

Preparing to Hear the Scriptures Amazing Grace
(performed by FOGG)

Scripture Readings Psalm 149 (responsively) - OT pg. 583
Colossians 3:12-17 - NT pg. 201
Philippians 2:1-11 - NT pg. 197

Sermon Raising our Voices
Singing in Community

Hymn #439 When in Our Music God is Glorified
(in honour of Graham & Mary Lamont)

Prayers of the People

Hymn #461 Be Thou My Vision
(in honour of Brian & Karleen Cunnington)

Benediction

Sending Song Go Now in Peace

Postlude It is Well with My Soul
An Irish Blessing
(*performed by FOGG)*

You're invited for refreshments and fellowship following the service.

Mission Moment: Sunday, November 15

"Our hope and passion for the future of the PCC can lie in international partnerships!" Supported by gifts to Presbyterians Sharing, 24-year-old Sophia Kim had the opportunity of a lifetime to work in Japan as a Young Adult Intern for the Korean Christian Church in Japan (KCCJ). While there, she heard many stories of adversity and courage told by Korean-Japanese Christians. Overwhelming gratitude was expressed by the KCCJ for the PCC's mission work in Japan, and continued support. The PCC and KCCJ are approaching the 100th anniversary of their partnership in 2027.