This Week in the Life and Work of our Church

KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH

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The Congregation of Kincardine United Church seeks to foster a journey of spiritual growth through hospitality, service, fellowship and study, and, in community, to build up the ministry of every person and together experience God's abundant love and grace.

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

Choir - Thursdays 2-3 p.m. in the Sanctuary K.U.C.I.E. – Tuesdays 7-8 p.m. in the Sanctuary

COMMITTEE/GROUP	DATE & TIME	LOCATION
Syrian Dinner	May 6 th , 6 p.m.	F. Hall
Potluck	May 8 th , doors open 5:30	F. Hall
Program	May 9 th , 7-9 p.m.	Kitchen
UCW North	May 9 th , 1-3 p.m.	Donna Thacker's
*Roll call: Special offering, Mother's Day Verse		
UCW Sunshine	May 10 th , 1-3 p.m.	Choir room
UCW Lighthouse	May 15 th , 7-9 p.m.	TBA
Membership & Mission	May 16 th , 7-9 p.m.	Jean Johnson's
Property	May 23 rd , 9-10 a.m.	Kitchen
Administration	May 23 rd , 10 am – noon	Kitchen
Dory Lunch	May 30 th , 10 am – 2 pm	F. Hall/Kitchen

RUMMAGE SALE REPORT



After much hard work and planning, we had great success with the rummage sale! We raised \$1040 dollars. April 22 was also Earth Day which was a great day to promote reusing, and redirecting our otherwise unwanted items.

Due to this success, we pan to do another Rummage Sale in the fall, which will run from 9 to 12. We already have great ideas for expanding "The Boutique", so please hang on to clothing and white elephant items for us for the fall!



HOWLIN' DOG VINTAGE JAZZ BAND PLAYS NEXT **SUNDAY**

The band will play during the service on Sunday May 7th.

PROGRAM CALENDAR

Sunday May 7 Easter 4

Preaching – Judy Zarubick

Sharing Time – Minute for Mission

Special Music - Howlin' Dog Vintage Jazz Band

Sunday May 12 Easter 5, Mother's Day

Preaching – Ridley Gillmore

Sharing Time - TBA



Monday, May 8th. Social time will begin at 5:30 and supper will start at 6:00.

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy a time of great food and fellowship. **Please bring a guest or guests.**

If you aren't able to cook that day, come anyway, there will be lots of food to share. Drinks, dishes and silverware will be provided.

Future dates to mark on your calendar:

Monday, June 12, 2017

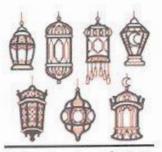
Monday, July 10, 2017

Monday, August 14, 2017

Monday, September 11, 2017

Syrian Dinner

by Ghaydaa & Saad Al Ibrahim Family of Port Elgin



Tickets \$30 6-13 \$15 under 5 free

Saturday May 6

at 6 pm

Kincardine
United Church
721 Princes Street

Menu

Lentil Soup with Flat bread topping

Mixed salad Tomato, cucumber and lettuce with

Pomegranate Honey dressing

Kibbeh

Eggplant salad (Babbaganoush)

Stuffed grape leaves

Basmati Rice with peas and beef

قائمة الطعام

شربه عدس

سلطة مختلطة - الطماطم والخيار والخس وصلصة الرمان

الكبة

بابا غنوج

محشي ورق عنب باللحمة المفرومه أرز بسمتي مع البازلاء ولحم البقر

Syrian Baklava with walnuts

Basbousa Semolina cake with coconut and sugar syrup عين الجمل البقلاوة السورية مع بسبوسة - كعكة السميد مع جوز الهند وشراب السكر

Pick up tickets at
Kincardine United Church Jerome Flowers & Gift



THANK YOU GUEST MUSICIANS

Thank you to all the guest singers who participated in the Hallelujah chorus on Easter Sunday!

THANK YOU to Mildred Clayton for volunteering to be our new librarian!



PRAYER REQUEST from Rev. Kevin Hart re vandalism at Saugeen Wesley United

April 28, 2017

Easter greetings to everyone!

It is with sadness that I share with you about extensive vandalism to Saugeen Wesley United

Church. Most of the damage was to windows and our new plate glass door.

There was some graffiti painted on the west side of the church and entry was obtained (through the broken door). The only sign of anything untoward in the interior was our Christ candle which had been lit and left burning. Band maintenance discovered the vandalism and will be securing the building over the course of the day. The building was last used on Wednesday evening and the damage likely occurred last night. I will be connecting with the Band Administrator and /or Chief this afternoon just to keep myself in the loop with how things will progress from here. It is my understanding that the Kewaquom sisters have already ordered replacement glass for the door - which won't be available until next week sometime. Please hold our church and community in your prayers as well as the individual(s) who perpetrated this act!

NEW FUNDRAISING MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY



Wanted: volunteers to form a Fundraising Ministry Team. These members would accept suggestions, discuss the feasibility of them, then bring them to Administration and then on to Council. If a project is chosen then we would ask for co-ordinators and volunteers to complete the project. The Fundraising Team would not be responsible for co-ordinating all the projects. Anyone wishing to volunteer may give his/her name to any member of the Administration Committee.



FASHION SHOW FUNDRAISER on MAY 5th at 2 PM. to raise money for the roof of the Church of the Messiah.

Tickets \$15.00 (takes place at Church of the Messiah 415 Russell St.) To purchase, contact Gail Wightman

or Freda Smith (church secretary) at 519-396-2185.

MINUTE FOR MISSIONS

APRIL 30, 2017

CAMP CATERPILLAR

Our gifts for Mission & Service support safe spaces for children. Let us hear the story of one such place, Camp Caterpillar on Candle Lake, Saskatchewan. Fran Forsberg shares her experience.

"Being a mom of three gender-variant children I was afraid to give my children the experience of camp. I was afraid that my children would be singled out as weird, bullied by staff and other children for the simple fact that they do not fit into the gender norm.

"I asked around, and after being refused twice, I was told by the Rev. David Kim-Cragg about Camp Tapawingo. A member of the board took my request to the board the following week. One week later not only did I get a resounding YES, I also received the news that Alison Starks (A.J.), a Director for Camp FYrefly, had agreed to run the camp.

"I met with A.J. Both of us were very excited at the prospect of this camp for children ages 7–13 who happen to be transgender and extended the invitation to their siblings as well. Twenty-two children, transgender, two-spirit, and cisgender, arrived at Camp Caterpillar.

"They formed friendships. They were assured that they were safe, accepted, and valued for their authentic selves. These young humans continue to support each other through e-mails and texts.

"I speak for all the parents; we are thankful for A.J. and her staff, who are LGBTQ+. I read one comment from a boy who is 11 and trans: 'I had the best time of my life at camp!"

We sing thanksgiving for LGBTQ+ camps like Camp Caterpillar!

If Mission & Service is already a regular part of your giving, thank you so much! If you have not given for Mission & Service, please join me in making Mission & Service a regular part of your life of faith. In all our Mission & Service giving, with a willing heart, we sing thanksgiving to God!

One of the biggest enemies to vision is sight.

-Myles Munroe

WHO ARE YOU GOING TO CALL?



If you have a concern, request or suggestion, please direct it to an appropriate volunteer. Thank you.

Chair of Council – Marion Boyd

Chair of Administration - Donna Mowry

Chair of Program - Jackie Clements

UCW Secretary - Dianne Henkenhaf

Membership & Mission committee members (no chairperson)

Liz Dillman

Jean Johnson

Bernd Portz

Ursula Portz

Krista Ritchie

Melinda Smegal

Charles Ludlow

Property Ministry Team

Ron Elliott

Ralph Knowles

Jack Nancekivell

Bill MacTavish

Dotty McClelland

Bev Jennings

Gerry Stephens

Ron Smith

KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH STAFF

Supply Minister – Pastor Judy Zarubick (judy.kuc@bmts.com)

Minister of Music – David Hamilton

Envelope Steward – Rod Coates (kucesteward@bmts.com)

Treasurer – Liz Dillman

Office Coordinator – Sarah MacKenzie (kuchurch@bmts.com)

Custodian – David Walker



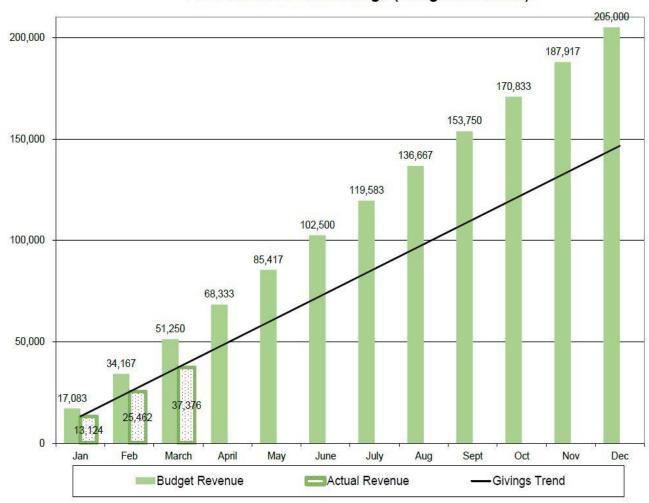
HEADSETS AND RECEIVERS

There are headsets and receivers available at the back at the church for anyone wishing to be better able to hear and enjoy the service.



BOSTON PIZZA ... Please continue to bring in your Sunday receipts and place them in the jar on the table in the Narthex or put them into our receipt box in the restaurant. Our Church receives 10% of Sunday sales – any time of day on any Sunday! Thank you!!!

2017 General Fund Givings (Budget vs Actual)





The Walk For Alzheimer's takes place May 13, 2017 in Hanover, benefiting the Alzheimer Society of Grey-Bruce. If you would like to participate in the walk or sponsor a walker such as Art Postuma, visit

http://support.alzheimer.ca/site/TR?pg=entry&

fr id=1988 (you can type in Art's name here) or call 519-376-7230.



MAY

1-1:30 Official Welcome and Warm up 1:30-3 Hike

3-5 Free Swim Sponsored by Quality Construction Hike as little or as far as you want

BBQ by Donation - Face Painting - All Ages Welcome To register, go to:

https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/huron-shoreshospice/hike-for-hospice-Kincardine/