

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
UCW Lighthouse	Mar. 20 th , 7-9 p.m.	Liz Dillman's
Membership & Mission	Mar. 21 st , 7-9 p.m.	Portz's home
Questers	Mar. 23 rd , 6-9 p.m.	Kitchen
Congregational Meeting	Mar. 26 th , after worship	Sanctuary
UCW Presbyterian Meeting	Mar. 27 th , 9 a.m. registration	F.Hall
Administration	Mar. 28 th , 10 a.m. – noon	Choir room
Dory Lunch	Mar. 28 th , 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.	F.Hall/kitchen
Potluck	Mar. 29 th , doors open 5:30 (Wed. eve until Apr 12, excl. Mar 22)	F. Hall
Council	April 4 th , 7-9 p.m.	Kitchen
Holy Week services	April 10-13, more info TBA	Knox church
Potluck	April 10 th , doors open 5:30	F. Hall

congregational meeting



The Search Committee is pleased to announce that it has a candidate for the position of full-time minister.

Accordingly, a Congregational Meeting is called for **Sunday, March 26, 2017** immediately following worship. The meeting will be held in the Sanctuary.

The Purpose of the meeting will be to receive and vote on the report of the Search Committee.

EASTER HALLELUJAH



Any singers who would like to sing the Hallelujah Chorus with the choir on Easter Sunday are invited to do so. The practice for this service will be Thursday April 13th at 7:30 p.m.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES



Holy Week

Holy week services will take place Monday April 10 – Thursday April 13 at Knox Presbyterian Church. More information TBA.

DO YOU HAVE ABOUT 1/2 HOUR TO SPARE ONCE A MONTH?



We are looking for an able body to come to the church and pick-up our Last Sunday of the Month Food Bank donations. They will be in the grocery cart at the entrance of the Sanctuary and can be taken down on the elevator and out to your car.

You would deliver them to the Anglican Church just down the street to be there for Food Bank Day. (held every Thursday) If you might be able to help out please contact Dotty McClelland for more details.

PROGRAM CALENDAR

MARCH

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| Sunday Mar. 26 | Lent 4
Preaching – Judy Zarubick
Sharing Time – TBA |
| Sunday Apr. 2 | Lent 5
Preaching – Judy Zarubick
Sharing Time – Minute for Mission |
| Sunday Apr. 9 | Palm Sunday
Preaching – Judy Zarubick
Sharing Time - TBA |

RESOURCE ROOM LIBRARY



Thanks are extended to Jack Tully for his dedicated care of our Resource Room Library over a period of several years. It is now time for someone else to take on this work, which is a rewarding and undemanding task. Jack has prepared a helpful outline of what is required. If you are interested in this volunteer position, please contact the office, or Jackie Clements, Chair of Program. Thank you!

APRIL POTLUCK



Monday, April 10th. 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, May 8, 2017

Monday, June 12, 2017

**God, help me to see others not as enemies
but rather as thirsty people.
And give me the courage and compassion to offer your
Living Water, which alone quenches deep thirst.
-Henri Nouwen**

TAX RECEIPTS



The 2016 charitable tax receipts are ready and on the table in the narthex. If you are able, please pick yours up to save the church some postage costs.



WIFI AVAILABLE

Please look for the signs posted with the wifi password.

QUESTERS



"Questers" will meet in the Kincardine United Church Kitchen at 6 pm on the dates outlined below. We will have a short meditation/service followed by a light meal. You do not need to contribute any food. We will watch a 20-minute segment of "Living the Questions 2.0" and finish with a discussion period.

Mar 23* Prayer: Intimacy with God.

Apr 20 Compassion: The Heart of Jesus' Ministry.

Please join us for one or all the sessions in the coming months. Each session is independent of the previous one. For further information please contact Joanne Dallman at joannedallman@gmail.com



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.

**PORT ELGIN UNITED CHURCH PRESENTS
The Toronto Welsh Male Voice Choir**



In Concert

Saturday April 29th at 7:30

Tickets available at the church or

www.portelginunitedchurch.com

or www.canadahelps.org.

Cost: \$25 in advance, \$27 online,
\$30 at the door.

Phone 519-832-9540 Email peunitedchurch@bmts.com.

ST. ANDREW'S LENTEN SERIES

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church in Southampton hosts an annual Lenten series of 1/2 hour, reflective organ recitals, followed by a light lunch of bread and soup. They are on Fridays, except Good Friday, through Lent, starting at noon and will feature organists from the Grey-Bruce Centre of the Royal Canadian College of Organists. Freewill offering. Schedule: Lent 4: Friday, March 24 – Laura McAlpine

Lent 5: Friday, March 31 – Julian Delf

Lent 6: Friday, April 7 – David Hamilton.

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!!!

PRAYER CYCLE

As a church, we are called to pray for each other and for our mission in the world. The



Prayer Cycle invites prayer each week for particular pastoral charges within Hamilton Conference and for our United Church Overseas Personnel. This week please include the following Pastoral Charge in your prayers:

Oneida United Church <http://hamconfchurches.info/Erie/Oneida>

Oneida United Church, also known as the Church in the Gore participates in the Canada Foodgrains Project as a host partner and

many of our farming members put up land and labour every year for our

contribution. Most of the members can trace back two or three generations to the construction of the original Church so many years ago. The people are most welcoming and share a healthy outlook on life and a great sense of humour.



**BRUCE PRESBYTERIAL
UNITED CHURCH WOMEN**

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

(Reports from 2016 & Planning for 2017)

Monday, March 27, 2017

Kincardine United Church

721 Princes Street

Registration and Meet & Greet at 9:00 am

Meeting starts at 9:45 am

Guest Speakers: Linda Woods & Laurel Kenney

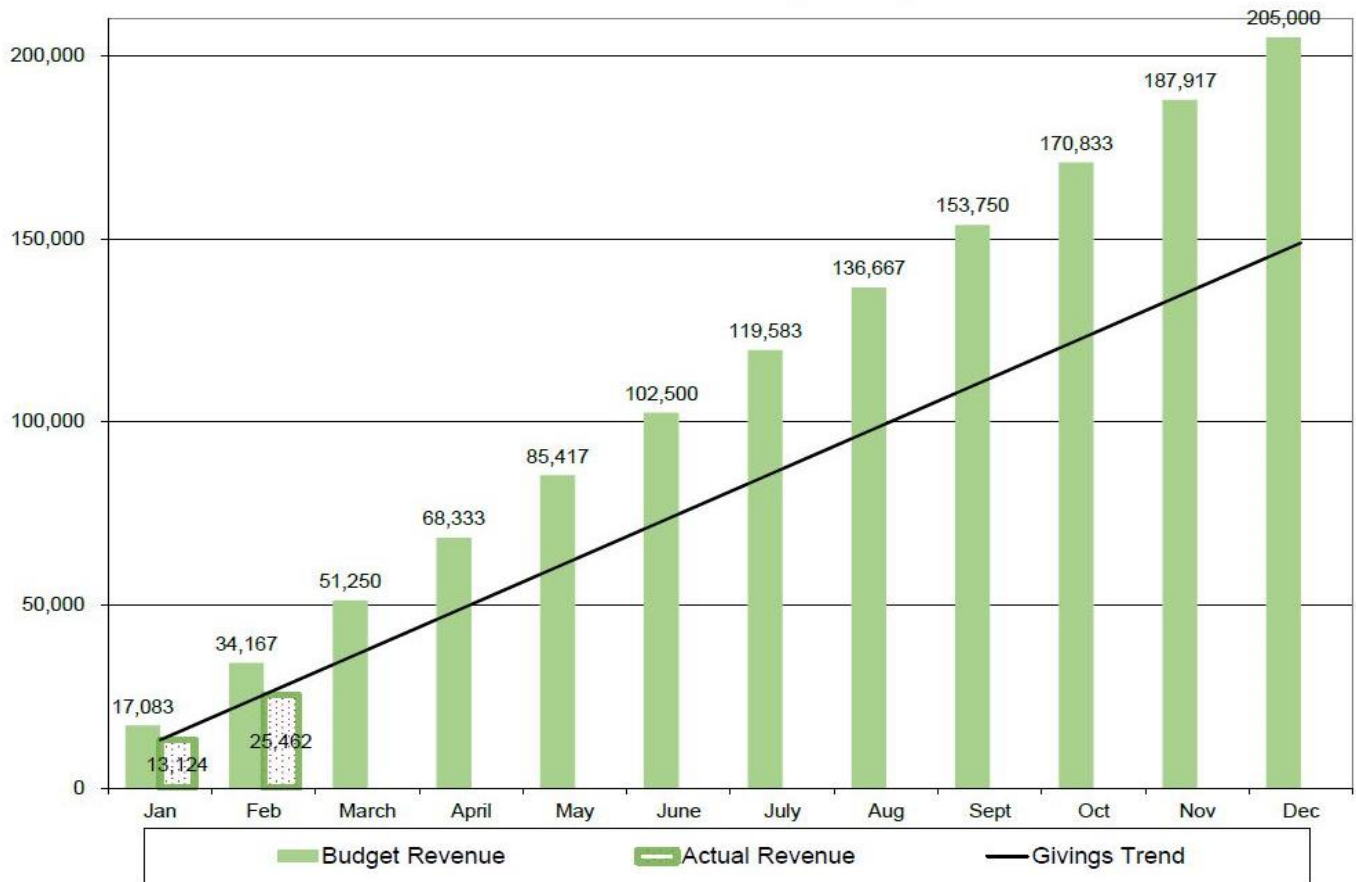
BREAD NOT STONES - End Child Poverty in Canada

Resource Centre Book Display and Sale

Lunch - \$10.00

*"If a child asks for bread, who among us
would give that child a stone?" From Matthew 7:9*

2017 General Fund Givings (Budget vs Actual)



MINUTE FOR MISSIONS

MARCH 19, 2017

LENTEN PRAYERS: WITH YOU ALWAYS

These invitations to silent reflection can be used during personal devotions or as a part of worship during Lent.

Jesus promised, “And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

Do you feel the presence of Jesus in your life? How? When have you felt totally alone? *(Silent reflection)*

While in the wilderness, remind us of your constant presence, as we journey toward you. Amen.

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
Neil Wasylycia

Property Ministry Team

Ron Elliott
Ralph Knowles
Jack Nancekivell
Bill MacTavish
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



GROW!

An Immersive Week
for

Church Musicians

July 10 - 14, 2017

More info: midickson@bell.net

Sponsored by Grey Bruce Centre, Royal Canadian College of Organists



HARMONIES

IN THE MIDST OF

MADNESS

AND

MIRACLE

A DEVOTION PRESENTED BY

THE GREY BRUCE CENTRE, ROYAL CANADIAN COLLEGE OF ORGANISTS

ST GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

OWEN SOUND

7.30 pm, GOOD FRIDAY,

14 APRIL, 2017