

This Week in the Life & Work of our Church

KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH

721 Princes St. N., Kincardine ON N2Z 2A3

Link to Sunday Zoom Service: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84938054100>

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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.



UCW SUNSHINE UNIT MEETING

The Sunshine Unit will meet in Fellowship Hall **Wednesday October 13, at 1:00 p.m.** Please bring your own beverage and wear a mask.



NEW CHURCH OFFICE HOURS AS OF OCTOBER 12th:

When the church office reopens on October 12, the new hours will be **1:30 – 5 p.m.** Tuesday through Friday.

KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH REOPENING

The Church Council has approved a reopening plan, with Grey Bruce Public Health protocols in place, for in-person Worship which started September 26, 2021 and for non-worship activities which will begin on October 12, 2021.

Worship Services will continue to be live-streamed on Sunday mornings, found on YouTube later in the day and broadcast on local TV the week after.

More information here:

http://www.kincardineunitedchurch.org/sites/default/files/church_re-opening_recommendations_-_council_approved.pdf

For church bookings contact Liz Dillman or Judy Zarubick by phone or use this form: <http://www.kincardineunitedchurch.org/contact/Booking-Facilitators>

EMBRACING A LIFE OF MEANING

Best-selling author Kathleen Norris provides a unique viewpoint on “what matters most,” including:

- **Belief Matters:** Why does belief matter? To what do we give our hearts? What is the core message of what we believe – creeds or commitment? To what extent is to believe also “to be-love?”
- **The Bible Matters:** The Bible is our collective story. How is that story reflected in our daily lives? What is it about the Bible that always seems to address our present moment?
- **Community Matters:** In community, individualism and imperfection meet grace and acceptance. What is our part in the Body of Christ?
- **Place Matters:** In what ways is faith set within the physical space of home, church, land and people?
- **We Matter:** What does it mean to remain in God’s image and to counter our selfishness by embracing the world and its needs?



Each session includes a 10-15 minute DVD presentation by Kathleen Norris, followed by a 10-15 minute filmed interaction with a small group of adults. No previous experience is needed. **Thursdays by Zoom from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on October 14th (“Belief Matters”), October 21st (“The Bible Matters”), October 28th (“Community Matters”), November 4th (“Place Matters”) and November 11th (“We Matter”).** Join us for this engaging study by accessing the Zoom link on the Kincardine United Church website. See you online!

WANTED – SENIORS!

Wanted!! Seniors interested in working to improve our community. **Kincardine & Area Seniors Advisory Action Committee** needs your ideas and input. Meetings are held once per month – by Zoom at the moment. Our most recent project was a transportation survey. Future plans will focus on Accessibility and Long-Term Care Challenges. Contact Randy Hughes: randyhughes54@gmail.com or at 519 396 3857. ...And, no, we won’t make you stick around for 37 years. Thank You for considering volunteering for this opportunity.



PROGRAMME CALENDAR

(all services below are in person and live streamed)

- SUNDAY, October 10th 10:30 AM Thanksgiving Sunday
Worship: Gord Dunbar
Meditation: TBA
- SUNDAY, October 17th 10:30 AM 21st Sunday after Pentecost
Worship: Gord Dunbar
Meditation: It Adds Up

WEEKLY DEADLINE FOR ANNOUNCEMENT INFORMATION

Submit information to kuchurch@bmts.com by 4 PM on TUESDAYS



Regular Sunday Services are live streamed on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. join us using the following link

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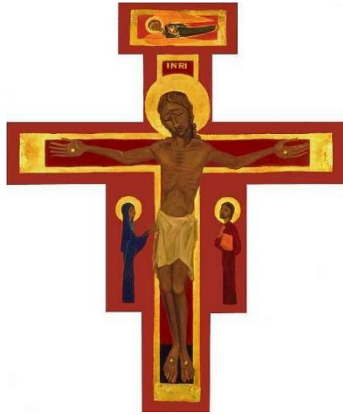
Recent services and Fireside Chats can be found on our Youtube Channel check them out at "Kincardine United Church Ontario" or use the following link: [KUC YouTube Channel](#)

Services will continue to air on Rogers Cable Channel 6 a week later.

View the schedule here: <https://www.rogerstv.com/schedule?lid=1&rid=75>

You can view some past services online at

<https://www.rogerstv.com/media?lid=237&rid=75> under Access Programming (no cable tv necessary)



SERVICE OF PRAYERS WITH THE MUSIC OF TAIZÉ

Join us on Sunday, October 24th at 7:00 p.m. for a deeply contemplative worship service featuring the music of Taizé, France. This service incorporates sung chants with a variety of musical accompaniment interwoven with reverent silence that leads worshippers into a restorative inner space. Come and discover the light of Christ within.

WE NEED YARDS TO CLEAN



Do you have a yard that will need leaves and stray branches picked up this fall – especially when you can't do it anymore? Do you wish there was a group of youth willing to do it for you – FREE? On **Wednesday, October 20th**, volunteers from the Big Brothers and Big Sisters will be available for that purpose for up to four small- to medium-sized properties. Work will be completed while strictly

observing pandemic safety protocols. Properties will be scheduled on a first-come, first served basis, so contact Gord Dunbar (gord.kuc@bmts.com or at 519-386-6346) to get on the list. Thank you to Big Sisters and Big Brothers for leafing us the opportunity to be served as we branch out into the community.

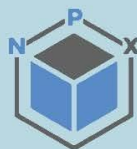




**PROFESSIONAL ART INSTALLATION BY
PHILLIP SAUNDERS - ARTIST/MURALIST**

Please join professional artist and muralist Phillip Saunders while he creates a dynamic and colourful mural that celebrates Black Canadian heritage, history and continued contributions.

Bring a lunch, listen to some music and watch his artistry in action.



DAVDISON CENTRE
track & field shed

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PLEASE JOIN
11:00am - 4:00pm
both days

OUT OF MANY, ONE PEOPLE.



Regional Grief Support Groups

For Specific Death-related Losses

SOCIAL CONNECTION



VON is pleased to offer **four new** virtual support groups for individuals grieving specific losses, including: Death by Suicide, Addiction-related Death, Medical Assistance in Death (MAiD) and Death of a Child. Groups are held **Tuesdays from 6:30pm-8:00pm**, virtually over Zoom.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Death by Suicide

Group will take place the first Tuesday of every month, beginning October 5th, 2021

Addiction-related Death

Group will take place the second Tuesday of every month, beginning October 12th, 2021

Death of a Child

Group will take place the third Tuesday of every month, beginning on October 19th, 2021

Medical Assistance in Death (MAiD)

Group will take place the fourth Tuesday of every month, beginning on September 28th, 2021

BENEFITS OF THE GROUP:

Confidentiality is respected

Support is compassionate & judgement free

Facilitated by trained staff & volunteers

Program is free of charge

For more information or to register, contact your local VON Bereavement Support Coordinator:

Middlesex - Meagan Alexander
(519) 245-3170 ext 227 or meagan.alexander@von.ca

Elgin - Becky Ahrens
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(519) 537-8515 ext 3 or annemarie.wallace-phillips@von.ca

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