KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH listowel, ontario MAY 5, 2024

The Acts of the Holy Spirit Acts 1:1-3

"...a welcoming family of God's people, committed to worshipping Jesus Christ, sharing our faith and doing His work in the world." May 5, 2024 10:30 am

We Are Called to Worship Prelude



Entrance of Bible, Choir, and Minister

Responsive Call to Worship (repeat after Rev. James)

Hymn: "As the Deer"

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer of Adoration and Confession with the Lord's Prayer ("debts/debtors")

Anthem: "Be Unto Your Name"

Passing of the Peace * The Peace of Christ be With You And also With You

Song: "Psalm 150"

Children's Time ending in Prayer Sunday School Theme: *The Peacemakers* Topics: *forgiveness, solving problems peacefully* (Children may leave for Church School)

Hymn: "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds" # 249

We Hear Christ's Message Scripture Reading: *Luke 24:44-49; Acts 1:1-3*

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: "Theophilos" Acts 1, Part 1 (Rev. James)

We Respond to Christ's Word Apostles Creed

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Offering & Doxology: "O Bless the Gifts"

Dedication and Pastoral Prayer

Hymn: "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee"

Benediction & Choral "Amen"

Announcements

Please see our bulletin boards for upcoming events!



May Ushers: Brian Purcell (Captain) Ethan Purcell, Brent Whaley, Bill Frank Jr., Doug Kellum, Don Wilson, Devin Johnston

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We *welcome everyone* here today. We hope that you feel comforted by our worship and that you will leave here refreshed and inspired in your personal life. If you are a visitor today, thank you for joining us and we request you sign the guest register in the front foyer.

Nursery & Sunday School: A supervised nursery, located upstairs, is available for your children ages birth to 2 years. Our Sunday School program for children from 3 years to grade 6 will be dismissed during the service.

Please Join Us for Coffee, Cold Drinks and Fellowship



Served in the Main Hall following the service. Hosted by: Shayne & Alicia McClure.

We are continuing to *collect health aids* for the medical depot

in Stratford. These health supplies are desperately needed in third-world countries. These may be taken to the church and put in the basket outside the office.

For inquiries call Doug or Lois Aitchison 519-291-3139 or cell 519-292-0018.

Contributions: Just a reminder that we accept Interac E-



Transfers. This is a great solution as the church does not have to pay a service charge fee on the deposits. Use the email address <u>knoxlistdonations@wightman.ca</u>. It is not set

up to deposit automatically, so use the security question "street" and the answer "Livingstone". You can add your envelope number under the 'message' portion if you want.

One of the easiest ways to tithe is to set up a *Pre Authorized Remittance* (P.A.R) and have a specified amount come off your bank account every month. Contact the office to set this up.

Thank you for your support.

Camp Kintail 2024. Knox is once again offering Camperships and will pay 50% of the week-long camps and 75% of short-week camps. Campership forms are available on the table outside Rev. James' office. Please fill it out after registering your child with Camp Kintail (using Option 'B') and return it to the red box by June 2.

We are continuing our *Campership appeal*. We are hoping to send a large group to camp once again this year. If you wish to donate to the campership fund, mark "Kintail Campership" on the 3rd portion of your envelope. If you just put "Kintail" it will go to Camp Kintail's general fund. To date, we have 23 children using the camperships for a total of \$10,110.68.

The Organizing Committee and Board of Managers wish to thank everyone who worked so hard for the *Opportunity Sale*. A total of what was taken in will be available next week.

Knox VBS July 15-19 9 am – 12 pm. Surrounded by water, trees, and rolling hills, *Camp Firelight* is the perfect location for every Camper's favorite



summer activities! During each assembly session, Campers join first-time camp counselor Sam and Lu (short for Lumen), the lightning bug puppet, and learn to face their fears while trusting in God. Each day, Campers see Counselor Sam face new challenges, from as simple as leading Campers on a hike to as intimidating as meeting a new and wise nature expert. With the help of Lu the Lightning Bug and the Camp Counselor Guidebook, Counselor Sam and our Campers explore timeless Bible stories that show how Old and New Testament Campers trusted God in the face of their own fears and went on to do great things in God's name.

Through these stories, this program will teach us about people in the Bible who experienced the gift of a trusting relationship with God. In addition, it will teach us to trust that God will go with us, lead the way, share wisdom, to give us peace, and spark joy as we celebrate the good news of Jesus in our own lives and in the lives of others. We will also learn ways we can connect with and put our trust in God whenever we are afraid, challenged, or called to do God's work in the world and share the Good News of God's love through Jesus Christ.

Go to the Knox Presbyterian Church website, then click 'Kid's Korner' to find the registration link to register your children.

Please note that the **June** *Knox News* submissions must be handed into the office by noon, Friday, May 10.

This Week at Knox

Tuesday:	10:00 am Bible Study
Wednesd	ay: 6:30 pm Opportunity Knox
Thursday	: 1:30 pm Alzheimer's (upstairs)
	6:30 pm T.O.P.S.
	6:45 pm Children's Choir
	7:30 pm Choir
Friday:	10:30 am Alzheimer's Society (main hall)
Sunday:	Mother's Day & Baptism Sunday
	10:30 am Worship, Baptism & Church School

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Office Hours:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 am – 2:00 pm **Rev. Clark's Office Hours**

Tuesdays and Thursdays 11:00 am – 4:00 pm (barring any unforeseen emergency pastoral care that may come up)