

Staff Emails



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Church office hours

Monday to Thursday 9am – 1pm

Looking for...

Worship Bags for children aged 0-1, 2-3 and 4-6 years?

Worship Bags will be available again in September.

A Bible to take to your pew?

They are located at at the foyer & Mitchell St. entrance.

The Nursery?

The Nursery is located in the Christian Education Hall (the building adjacent to the main sanctuary). Go to the rear parking lot entrance. The nursery is located just off the large hallway that is off of this entrance.

Connections?

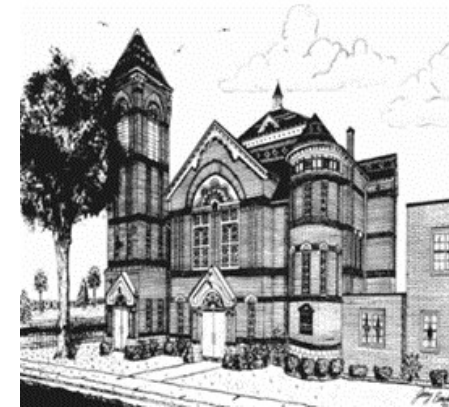
Please visit our website or like us on Facebook and Instagram!

Copies of the latest edition of PCConnect (our denomination's newspaper) are available on the tables in the front foyer! Please pick one up!

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Knox Presbyterian Church
55 Hincks Street, St. Thomas, Ontario
N5R 3N9



Gift of Music Sunday
November 16th, 2025
10:30am

To all who would know God and do God's will; to all who would live and serve to make the world better; to all who seek comfort and would find rest; to old and young, wise and unlearned, rich and poor, saint and sinner, this church opens wide its doors and in the name of Jesus Christ bids you welcome to our Father's house.

ENTER TO WORSHIP

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements

Congratulations and thanks to Pete Taylor, 50-year member at Knox. Also, to Jo-Anne De Blik, longtime member of our choir. And many thanks to Donna Ellis, retired from both the Organ and Music and HR Committees.

Call to Worship
Hymn* 433 All creatures of our God and King
Opening Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer (trespasses)

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

Youth Hymn and Noisy Collection* 398 When the spirit of the Lord moves
Children’s Time Jesus loves me this I know

(children) Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.

Refrain (all) Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

(women) Jesus loves me this I know! When my hair is white as snow, when my sight is growing dim, still he’ll bid me trust in Him. **Refrain (all)**

(men) When my steps are getting slow, with my hand in His I’ll go. On through life, let come what may, He’ll be there to lead the way **Refrain (all)**

(everyone) If the night is dark and long, in my heart He’ll put a song, telling me in words so clear, “Have no fear, for I am near.” Yes, Jesus loves me. Yes, Jesus loves THEE. Yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells US so.”

Responsive Reading Psalm 100 Diana Arthur
Make a joyful noise all the earth! Come into God’s presence singing!

We are God’s people, the flock of a heavenly pasture. Enter the gates then with thanksgiving.

Ages through endless ages, the Creator’s love endures. Give thanks and bless the holy name.

God is faithful in every generation. Worship in gladness, for God is good.

LEAVE TO SERVE

Scripture 1 Corinthians 14:1-4, 14-15
Anthem On Eagle’s Wings M. Hayes
Message Knox’ Gift of Music Rev. Donna Kerrigan

WE RESPOND IN FAITH AND SERVICE

Offering and Offertory Almighty God Estel Brown
Doxology*
*Praise God from Whom All Blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!*

Prayers of Dedication
Prayers of the People
Hymn* 466 Praise the Lord
Benediction*
Postlude Thank you for the Music ABBA

Welcome to worship! Whether you are a long-time member or new to our congregation, we hope you feel welcomed and at home today. If you are visiting, please fill in a visitor’s card in your pew, and place it on the offering plate at the time of collection. Washrooms are located at the Mitchell Street entrance and the rear parking lot entrance. There is also a washroom in the CE Hall.

Proceeds from the children’s noisy collection will go to Presbyterians Sharing. That organization asks us to consider a year-end gift to participate in the mission of supporting congregations and leaders, combating hunger and racism here and abroad, protecting God’s creation, and joining Indigenous people in the work of reconciliation and healing.

Thanks to Pastoral Care for providing ushers for today’s service, to Robert Langlois who is on security, and to the E & D Ellis team for hosting coffee break.

A sincere thanks to all who helped in any way with the blanket of poppies hanging from the front of the Choir loft on Sunday, in respect of Remembrance Day. It added so much to the dignity of the service. Janice Todd

Junior Choir practices begin today immediately after church in the chapel for 10 - 15 minutes. Practices continue Sunday, November 23. We are singing in church on November 30, the first Sunday of Advent. All children are welcome! Pat Meathrell - Jr. Choir Director

Committee Conveners! Please send in your budget requests to the church office by Monday, December 1st, 2025.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, November 19th noon -1 pm Advent Organ Concert Series featuring Ernesto De Luca. Admission is \$10.00 per person at the door and includes a lunch of a sandwich and tea or coffee after the concert.

Wednesday, November 26th noon -1 pm Advent Organ Concert Series featuring Kennedy Kimber-Johnson. Admission is \$10.00 per person at the door and includes a lunch of a sandwich and tea or coffee after the concert.

Friday, November 28th Knox Rocks! Once a month, kids in grades 4-8 are invited for a fun night of games, crafts and snacks. Friends welcome.

Tuesday, December 2nd 7:00 pm A Time to Remember Service. A quiet and thoughtful service of remembrance for people who are experiencing loss and sadness this holiday season.

Wednesday, December 3rd noon -1 pm Advent Organ Concert Series featuring Chris Fischer. Admission is \$10.00 per person at the door and includes a lunch of a sandwich and tea or coffee after the concert.

Friday, December 6th 5:30 pm Board & Session Christmas Dinner at the Masonic Centre 42703 Fruit Ridge Line, St. Thomas, ON, N5P 3S9.

Wednesday, December 10th noon -1 pm Advent Organ Concert Series featuring Ryan Baxter & Jingquan Xie. Admission is \$10.00 per person at the door and includes a lunch of a sandwich and tea or coffee after the concert.



THIS WEEK AT KNOX

Sunday Nov 16th to Nov 23rd

Today	11:30 am	Coffee Break (Rodney Hall)
Monday	6:30 pm	Embers (CE Hall)
Monday	7:00 pm	Board of Managers (Library)
Tuesday	9:00 am	Golden K (Rodney Hall)
Tuesday	9:00 am	Sew-It-Seams (CE Hall)
Tuesday	9:30 am	Archives (Library)
Tuesday	1:00 pm	Bazaar Management (Library)
Tuesday	2:00 pm	Knox Leads Worship at Elgin Manor
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Girl Guides (CE Hall)
Wednesday	9:30 am	Indoor Playground (CE Hall)
Wednesday	12:00 pm	Advent Organ Concert Series (Sanctuary & RH)
Wednesday	3:00 pm	Knox Leads Worship at Royal Oak
Thursday	12:30 pm	Pastoral Care (Fellowship Room)
Thursday	1:00 pm	Knox Knits (Library)
Thursday	2:00 pm	Knox Leads Worship at Seasons
Thursday	7:00 pm	Choir (Sanctuary)
Thursday	7:30 pm	The Winner’s Circle (CE Hall)
Saturday	3:00 pm	Choral Connection (Sanctuary)
Sunday	10:30 am	Morning Worship (Sanctuary)

Next Sunday, November 23rd

Ushers organized by	Search Committee
Coffee Break	R & S Mills
Security person is	Don Leitch