

# Kincardine United Church 19th Sunday after Pentecost October 20th, 2019 10:30 a.m.

Welcome. You bless us with your presence. If you are a first time worshipper, please sign our guest register at the front entrance of the church. Thank you for turning off your cell phones and for refraining from flash photography. Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the downstairs hall following the service.

# Bold print in the bulletin invites you to say the words.

\*An asterisk in the bulletin indicates you may sit or stand.

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PRELUDE Largo Vivaldi/Bach

## **WELCOME**

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE LAND**

For thousands of years, First Nations people have walked on this land. Their relationship with the land is at the centre of their lives and of their spirituality. We begin our worship this morning by acknowledging the unceded territory of the Saugeen Ojibwe.

We are all Treaty people, parties to Crown Treaty 45 ½ in 1836.

Keep us mindful of the covenants that have been made – and broken – with First Nations peoples.

May we grow into living with respect on this land, walking into reconciliation through peace and friendship, while honouring all who live, work and worship on it.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

# **GOD GATHERS US**

INTROIT Mélodie C. Frank

## LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

#### CALL TO WORSHIP AND PRAYER OF APPROACH

As we travel the pathway of belief, we journey together, a community of faith.

As we travel this Way of Jesus, we journey together, but also alone.

Practising our faith:

living Christ's call to love God with all that we are,

to love our neighbour as we love ourselves.

Practising our faith:

as stewards on the Way.

As we travel along Jesus' Way, let us join together in prayer:

God of the hungry times, God of the difficult times,

God of all the times of our lives - we need to talk.

Sometimes it's difficult to understand the direction we need to go.

With all the choices we have in our lives,

sometimes we're not sure when to say "Yes," or when to say "No."

So, we ask for your guidance.

We ask for wisdom.

We ask for Spirit. In our worship, in our work, in our choices, in our lives.

May it be so, loving God! Amen.

\*MORE VOICES 12 "Come Touch Our Hearts"

**SHARING TIME** "Saying 'No' After Saying "Yes"

Featuring a video by Strange Situations titled "Our Generation"

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Voices United #916)

Our Father-Mother, who is in the heavens,

may your name be made holy, may your dominion come,

may your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us today the bread we need;

and forgive us our debts, as we have forgiven our debtors;

and do not put us to the test, but rescue us from evil.

For yours is the dominion, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

## **GOD SPEAKS TO US IN WORD**

\*MORE VOICES 65 "When We Are Tested" tune: SLANE (#642 VU)

**BIBLE READING** Matthew 4:1-11 dramatized

**DOXOLOGY** "Maker, in Whom We Live" #321 Voices United

Eternal, Triune God, let all the hosts above, let all on earth below record and dwell upon your love. When heaven and earth have fled before your glorious face, may all the saints your love has made sing everlasting praise.

**MEDITATION** "How to Say 'No!"

# **GOD INVITES US TO RESPOND**

**ANTHEM** Come Build a Church

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#### COMMUNITY PRAYERS

## **OFFERING INVITATION**

# **OFFERING PRAYER (in unison)**

We do not live on bread alone, but by your Word, loving God. May that Word fill our hearts and our hands, all that we have, and all that we are, that it may be a blessing in your world. In Jesus' name, we ask it. Amen.

\*VOICES UNITED 660 "How Firm a Foundation"

# \*BENEDICTION

\*SONG OF COMMITMENT 145 MV Draw the Circle Wide

Draw the circle wide. Draw it wider still. Let this be our song,
no one stands alone, standing side by side, draw the circle wide.

Let our hearts touch far horizons, so encompass great and small;
let our loving know no borders, faithful to God's call.

Draw the circle wide. Draw it wider still. Let this be our song,
no one stands alone, standing side by side, draw the circle wide.

**POSTLUDE** Prelude in C Major

J.S. Bach



AV MINISTRY TEAM 
Dave Leaning, John & Mary Phillips

COUNTERS S Angela & Don Hazlewood

OCTOBER HOUSE LEADERS & Chris and Stephanie Hartwick

**MUSIC** David Hamilton

NURSERY ATTENDANT ◆ Thank you SCRIPTURE READERS ☐ Thank you

**SLIDE PRESENTATION ◆** Sarah MacKenzie

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER ◆** Jackie Clements

**WORSHIP** II Gord Dunbar