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 EVENTS

Committees, Choir and K.U.C.I.E. will meet again in September.

EVENT/MEETING

Animate: Practices

DATE & TIME July 29th 2-3:30 pm Aug. 1st 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. Aug. 5th 2-3:30 pm Aug. 8th 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. LOCATION*

Choir room Choir room Choir room Choir room

(*F. Hall = Fellowship Hall, Res. Room = Resource room)



GORD'S OFFICE HOURS Week of July 30

Monday 1 - 5 p.m. Tuesday 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

PROGRAMME CALENDAR

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5	11 th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Preaching: Gord Dunbar Meditation: "Navigating by Love"
SUNDAY, AUGUST 12	12 th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Preaching: Gord Dunbar Meditation: "Take the Harder Path"
SUNDAY, AUGUST 19	13 th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Preaching: Gord Dunbar Meditation: "Reverence Lived Out"

SCOTTISH TEA ROOM THANK YOU

The Scottish Festival Tearoom Committee would like to thank all the people to made our Tearoom a success!

Thank you to those people who made scones, butter tarts, cookies, tea biscuits & muffins. Thank you to those people who worked in the kitchen making tea & coffee, serving goodies & manning the dishwasher, kept washrooms tidy & well stocked, put up advertising signs & installed air conditioners & tidied up kitchen & hall when it was all over. Thank you to our wonderful decorator & her daughters who helped. Thank you to those people who served the goodies, cleared tables, manned the cash table, greeted visitors & operated the elevator. We did not make sandwiches this year & they were missed. Hopefully next year! Thank you to Ken Gannett for looking after our expenses & writing up a report.

KUC tearoom report for 2018

	Revenue
Saturday Sales	\$1,016.79
Washroom Donations	108.41
Sunday Donations	119.80
Total Sales	1,245.00
Expenses	56.50
Profit	\$1,188.50
2010	\$1792.00
2011	\$1,809.00
2112	\$1483.00
2113	\$1469.00
2114	\$1663.20
2015	\$1905.65
2016	\$2233.33
2017	\$1627.55
2018	\$1188.50

This was a group effort & involved so many of our church members! Well done! *Tearoom Committee Fran Gannett, Debbie Michelson & Marian Smith*

ANIMATE: PRACTICES



July 25 & 29 August 1 & 5 August 12 & 15 August 19 & 22 August 26 & 29 Join Gord in the Choir room either: Sundays from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Or

Wednesdays from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. for this engaging study. No experience or biblical knowledge is necessary. The study programme is for anyone and for everyone. **Animate: Practices** explores how we live out our faith in this ever-changing world. Each session's 10minute video features perspectives from contemporary Christian leaders on the following practices:

Worship – Seeking God's Presence with Mike Slaughter;
Sacraments – A Tapestry of Tradition with Phyllis Tickle;
Money – The Joy of Sharing with Shane Claiborne;
Service – The Needs Right Around You with Enuma Okoro:
Community – An Unexpected Family with Doug Pagitt.



SUNDAY, AUGUST 5

The M&M Committee will be providing the ingredients for ice cream sundaes. Please join us after Church for "Sundaes on Sunday".

Free will donation.

BULLETIN, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GORD'S REFLECTION



Would you like to receive Kincardine's United Church weekly bulletin, announcements and Gord's reflection by email? It's easy to do. You can call the office and give Sarah your email address or you can email your request to kuchurch@bmts.com.

BULLETIN AND

ANNOUNCEMENT **INFORMATION DEADLINE**



The weekly deadline is Tuesday at 4 p.m.

Please submit your information to kuchurch@bmts.com

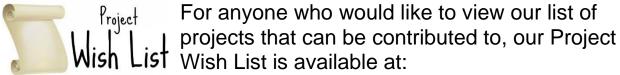
PLEASE START SAVING ITEMS FOR THE FALL RUMMAGE SALE



We are aiming for a date in late September for the fall rummage sale. If you would like some input please email Krista Ritchie at <u>kristaleeritchie@gmail.com</u>. Please begin to save your items! We intend to sell on Friday evening and Saturday this time! "By the bag".

We will use "Me to you Thrift" (Lucknow) to pick up leftovers if they are able to, but just in case, we should stick to the items that

the clothesline program are willing to accept. The list is exhaustive and can be found here! <u>https://declutter.diabetes.ca/what-we-ll-come-pick-up</u>



http://www.kincardineunitedchurch.org/sites/default/files/project_wish_list_june_2018_update.pdf

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!!!

NEW MAGNETIC NAME TAGS



KUC is offering name tags. They will be magnetic, have your first and last names on them and are \$5. These name tags are your property and will be yours to keep. Please email Liz Dillman <u>dillman.l@bmts.com</u> if you would like one. There are also sign up sheets at back of Sanctuary by the coffee.

FORGOT YOUR NAME TAG? VISITING?

There are "stick on" name tags at the back of the Sanctuary along with markers so you can make your own name tag. We would like to know your name so we can greet each other personally!

COMMUNITY HYMN SING AND CHOIR WORKSHOP

SEPTEMBER 14-15, 2018 AT KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH 721 PRINCES ST. KINCARDINE



Friday Sept. 14th 7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Dent Davidson, Associate for Arts and Liturgy in the Episcopal Diocese of Chicago, will lead us in song that includes traditional hymnody as well as jazz, gospel and global music. Come sing some of your old favourites, learn some new things, and expect a few surprises!

Admission: Free will offering.

Saturday, September 15th 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Dent will also be leading a workshop for choirs and choir directors. Simple skills learned through songs of faith will not be used to convert you, but can be applied to all kinds of sacred and secular music. Admission by registration. The registration fee will cover the workshop, related materials and catered lunch.

Registration fee (*Limited to the first 250 registrants*): Before August 15: \$30.00 After August 15: \$50.00



Please send your name, contact information, dietary restrictions, if any and registration fee to:

Kincardine United Church, 721 Princess Street, Kincardine ON N2Z 2A3.

ATTENTION: Choir workshop

For questions or information call 519-396-2391 or email kuchurch@bmts.com

Organ Recital At Southampton United Church 18 Victoria Street South Friday, August 10 7:30pm free will offering



Matthew Whitfield

Considered "one of Canada's most gifted musicians," Matthew Whitfield is an organist, conductor, composer, and writer who specializes in giving eclectic and exciting performances. Also a writer, Matthew is the Early Music & Pipe Organ columnist for WholeNote Magazine.Matthew received his musical training from York University, where he earned his BFA studying with Stephanie Martin, and the University of Toronto, where he received his MMus and worked with John Tuttle. While at the University of Toronto, Matthew performed in masterclasses with Canadian organists Ken

Cowan and Isabelle Demers and won prizes in national and regional organ competitions. An advocate of contemporary and new music, Matthew frequently performs repertoire from the 20th and 21st centuries, including works by Schnittke, Ligeti, Cage, and Glass. Matthew gave the North American premiere of Ted Dawson's 'Six Preludes for Organ' in August 2015 and his recording of Dawson's 'Preludes' and John Cage's 'ASLSP2' was released in March 2016. He is currently preparing to record Ted Dawson's complete keyboard works - encompassing music for piano, organ, and harpsichord - in collaboration with the composer. As a conductor and harpsichordist, Matthew has performed numerous choral and vocal works, including the York University production of Purcell's 'Dido and Aeneas'. Having studied choral conducting with Lisette Canton and orchestral conducting with Mark Chambers, Matthew has a well-developed technique that he uses to explore works from the Baroque and Modern eras. Matthew is currently Organist & Director of Music at St. John the Baptist (Norway) Anglican Church in Toronto. To contact Matthew, visit his website: www.orguenouveau.com

MINUTE FOR MISSION

JULY 29, 2018

FEEDING BODY AND SOUL

Our gifts for Mission & Service, alongside our emergency appeal funds, support Haitian farmers in the wake of Hurricane Matthew.

On the night of October 3, 2016, Hurricane Matthew tore through the southwest region of Haiti. Powerful winds and torrential rain washed away fields, livestock, and homes and ripped roofs off houses, churches, and schools. The only bridge linking the region to the rest of the country was destroyed. Suddenly, farmers who had been exporting agricultural produce could no longer feed even their own families.

People of The United Church of Canada responded generously. The money raised was divided among Mission & Service partners in Haiti: the Methodist Church in Haiti, ACT International (an ecumenical emergency and development coalition), and the Institut Culturel Karl Lévêque (ICKL). \$25,000 was directed to ICKL, a popular education and development agency that is a long-time United Church partner. ICKL used these emergency funds from the United Church to purchase rice, maize, beans, and cooking oil and to truck it over nearly impassable roads to communities where people had gone for days without food or shelter from the heavy rain. The food was distributed not only to groups associated with ICKL but also to the wider community. "They were hungry, too," the farmers say.

It is this spirit of cooperation, mutual support, and self-sufficiency that ICKL encourages and nurtures through its training and group animation workshops that are supported by our ongoing gifts for Mission & Service. Mission & Service supports our ongoing partnership with ICKL and its work that feeds both body and soul.

If Mission & Service giving is already a regular part of your life, thank you so much! If you have not given, please join me in making Mission & Service giving a regular part of your life of faith. Loving our neighbour is at the heart of our Mission & Service.