

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 MEETINGS & EVENTS

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

EVENT/MEETING	DATE & TIME	LOCATION*
Church Picnic	June 24 th , after worship in Victoria Park	
Aria 21 concert (see page 2)	June 24 th , 2 p.m.	Sanctuary
UCW Lighthouse*	June 25 th , 5:45 p.m.	Marion Boyd's
<i>* Open to all women of the congregation</i>		274 Victoria St. S, Inverhuron
Property	June 26 th , 9 – 10 a.m.	Res. room
Administration	June 26 th , 10 a.m. – noon	Res. room
Dory Lunch	June 26 th , 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Kitchen/F.Hall
Scottish Tearoom	July 7 th , 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	F. Hall

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

JINGLE DRESS DANCING AND CAPE CROKER GLASSES



On Sunday, July 1st during worship, 10-year-old Jaylynne Wolfe will be sharing the sermon with Gord through stories about the symbols woven into her jingle dress and then sharing the healing of her jingle dress dance. To honour Jaylynne's indigenous heritage, we will be collecting new or used reading glasses – and donations of money for prescription glasses – to give to the people of the Cape Croker First Nation. This request for glasses came from members of the Cape Croker United Church congregation as one of their needs for too many in the community. Bring your donations of money or of glasses on Sunday, July 1st or drop them off at the church office during office hours. Thank you.





If Music Be”

Presented by Aria 21: Meghan Grace De Jager, Christina Edwards and Liz Coates

June 24th at 2 p.m. in the KUC Sanctuary

Featuring music by Handel, Purcell, Chopin, Brahms, Bernstein, Moore & more! Admission by donation.

Reception to follow.

LIGHTHOUSE MEETING OPEN TO ALL WOMEN IN THE CONGREGATION

The Lighthouse UCW unit extends an invitation to all women of our congregation to a potluck dinner meeting on **June 25th, beginning at 5:45 at Marion Boyd's home, 274 Victoria St. S, Inverhuron.** Pulled pork on a bun, plates and utensils will be provided. Please consider carpooling and joining us for an evening meal and fellowship.



GORD'S OFFICE HOURS *Week of June 25th*

Monday 1 – 5 p.m.

ANIMATE: PRACTICES



Join Gord either on Sundays from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. beginning on July 11th or on Wednesdays from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. beginning on July 8th 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 10-minute video features perspectives from contemporary Christian leaders on the following practices:

Prayer – Oriented toward God with Brian McLaren;

Food – Eating with Jesus with Sara Miles;

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;

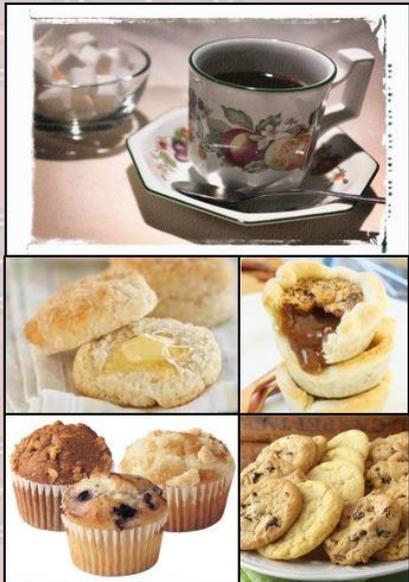
Community – An Unexpected Family with Doug Pagitt.

Sign-up sheets are available in the Fellowship Hall. See you there!

SCOTTISH TEAROOM....

Our church will be hosting a Scottish Tearoom on Saturday, July 7th during the Scottish Festival. It's always a fun day and looking out at the happy faces of our guests sipping tea and enjoying something tasty makes it all worthwhile. Please check out the sign up sheets in the entry and see if there isn't something you might enjoy doing (I am not sure that the bathroom detail is really enjoyable, but it is so very appreciated). If you have any questions ask Marian Smith, Fran Gannett or Debbie Michielson. Thanks!

SCOTTISH FESTIVAL TEA



SATURDAY, JULY 7th

10:00 am - 4:00 pm

COME AND ENJOY

MUFFINS, SCONES,

COOKIES, TEA

BISCUITS, BUTTER

TARTS, COFFEE, TEA

AND COLD DRINKS!

PROGRAMME CALENDAR

SUNDAY, JULY 1

FIRST NATIONS SUNDAY & CANADA DAY

Preaching: Gord Dunbar

Meditation: "Wreck Conciliation"

SUNDAY, JULY 8

CELTIC SERVICE

Preaching: Gord Dunbar

Meditation: "Are You Weak Enough Yet?"

SUNDAY, JULY 15

NO SERVICE

Join us at the Sunday Morning Gospel Revival at Victoria Park at 10:30 am, featuring Patrick Main, The Hunter Family and The Holy Rollers.

LOAVES AND FISHES

DATE: **MONDAY JULY 9th**
 SOCIAL TIME: 5:30 pm
 DINNER: 6:00 pm

“Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks to God and broke the loaves. Then he gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the people. ²⁰ They all ate and were satisfied.” Matthew 14:18-20

Each month Kincardine United Church hosts a Loaves and Fishes dinner (formerly known as our pot luck dinner) – inviting everyone to come and share friendship, laughter and food. As those who attend know, there is always a large variety of food and more than enough to feed all who come to our table.

Unlike Jesus, we may not feed 5,000 but all who attend leave satisfied. We invite everyone to come to our Loaves and Fishes dinner – bringing friends, family and what you are able for food. If you are not able to bring something we also welcome you at our table.

Future Date: August 13

**BULLETIN AND
ANNOUNCEMENT
INFORMATION DEADLINE**



The weekly deadline is Tuesday at 4 p.m.

**Please submit your information to
kuchurch@bmts.com**

BULLETIN, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GORD'S REFLECTION

**GET ON
the LIST**

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.



COMMUNITY HYMN SING AND CHOIR WORKSHOP

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

Friday Sept. 14th from 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 from 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



MINUTE FOR MISSIONS

JUNE 24, 2018

AN INVESTMENT IN THE FUTURE

Our gifts for Mission & Service, together with emergency funds and Gifts with Vision, enabled us to build a church-run high school in Haiti.

The opening of a new secondary school in Duplan, in the hills above Port-au-Prince, was the high point of celebrations marking the 200th anniversary of the Église Méthodiste en Haïti (Methodist Church in Haiti) in February 2017. The United Church of Canada financed 80 percent of the cost of building the seven-room structure following the massive earthquake that hit Haiti in 2010, destroying or damaging many schools and churches and killing between 225,000 and 300,000 people.

The shiny yellow building housing the new secondary school is bursting with 215 students and 19 staff. Already, Edzaire Paul, who heads up the Methodist school system, is dreaming of adding computer and science labs, as well as a playing field

so students don't have to compete with motorbikes as they play soccer on the dusty road near the school.

Education was the church's calling card to Haiti. In 1817, the first president of the Republic of Haiti authorized the first Protestant missionaries to come to the island nation on the understanding that their work would include providing schooling in the newly formed country. Today, the Methodist Church runs a system of 105 primary schools, 15 high schools, and a teachers' college, as well as three vocational schools. With children in some areas travelling two hours by foot over rocks and boulders to get to school—sometimes without having had breakfast—the need for a major investment in education is clear. Mission & Service makes these schools accessible to families with limited incomes, an important investment in the future of Haiti.

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.

Hope Menu & Project List Announcement

Response to the December 2017 Hope Menu and April 2018 Blooming Faith programs was awesome! We have now received over \$11,000 in gifts to enliven the mission & ministry of Kincardine United Church.

Hope Menu & Blooming Faith responses have been combined with the Project Wish List so that the congregation can be aware of what has been accomplished and what's next on the list. The updated list includes capital improvements to increase the function & appearance of our church, as well as its mission & ministry. If you have an idea for an improvement you would like to see happen, please drop your suggestion into the office, put it on the offering plate or send it to the church in an email at kuchurch@bmts.com.

New Choir Chairs!

Thanks to all who supported this project with their donations to help reach the funding goal and make this a reality. Choir members are very appreciative of this support and take great comfort in this outcome. The congregation now has a well-seated position from which to more on to another outstanding and deserving project.

Kincardine United Church
Project Wish List
 (June 2018 Update)

	Project Name	Description	Goal/Cost Estimate	Funds Raised	Classification	Priority	Status
Pending Projects	Paint Sanctuary	Repair damaged plaster, prime and paint.	\$32,00- \$40,000		Maintenance	Medium	
	Replace Sanctuary Carpet	Replace the sanctuary carpet	TBD		Maintenance	Medium	
	Replace North Roof	Remove existing shingles, replace with metal roof matching South Roof	\$50,000- \$60,000		Maintenance	High	
	Washroom Upgrades	Replace fixtures in all washrooms	TBD		Maintenance	High	
	TV for Fellowship Hall		\$3,000	\$120	Improvement	Medium	
	Nursery Windows			\$1169	Maintenance	Medium	
	Memorial Wall			\$1000	Improvement	Low	
Hope Menu	Automatic Door – Ramp Entrance	Purchase, installation and operation to make the church more accessible	\$15,000	\$2,600	Improvement	Medium	
	Automatic Door – Office Entrance	Purchase, installation and operation to make the church more accessible	\$5,000		Improvement	Medium	
	Automatic Door – Front Entrance	Purchase, installation and operation to make the church more accessible	\$5,000		Improvement	Medium	
	Choir Seating	Re-arrange choir seating and provide new seats. Possible movement of choir pews	\$3450 (\$165 per chair)	\$4150	Improvement	Medium	Order placed
	Electronic Sign	Install 2-sided electronic billboard-style sign on Princes Street to communicate church news and events	\$10,000- \$15,000	\$3150	Improvement	Medium	

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	Cape Croker	To allow our indigenous neighbours to enjoy dignity while purchasing gifts	\$25/gift	\$225	Outreach	High	Paid Out
	Healing the Heartbreak Books	To comfort grieving people through reading this practical, faith-full book	\$15/book	\$105	Outreach	High	Paid Out
	Huron Shores Hospice	To provide nursing care for those needing palliative care in our community	\$75/2 hours	\$225	Outreach	High	Paid Out
	Dent Davidson Weekend	Provide funding for inspirational weekend song workshop	\$5,000	\$1010	Outreach	High	
	Storage in Nursery	Provide storage in nursery for children's items	\$300	\$70	Outreach	High	
Completed Projects	Fellowship Hall Washroom Floors	Replace washroom floors with new tile flooring	\$1000		Maintenance	High	Complete
	Second monitor for A/V booth	Second video monitor to allow viewing of service recording			Improvement	High	Complete
	USB Splitter for A/V booth				Improvement	High	Complete
	Learning Centre 2 nd Floor Washroom Doors	Re-hang washroom doors such that they swing open and improve accessibility			Improvement	High	Complete