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Chair: Blair Gohl (knoxchair@kucparksville.ca)

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OUR NINE MINISTRIES:

Worship and Arts: Barbara Nienaber Spiritual Formation: Jan du Monde

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Communications: Karen Mayner

Stewardship and Finance: Ashley McDonald

Sacred Spaces: Bob Hughes

Ministry and Personnel: Susan Zwick

(Ray Walker, Jeanette Mossing, Fred Nienaber, Nancy Douglas,

& Diane Korol)



KNOX UNITED CHURCH IN-PERSON & LIVE STREAM WORSHIP 10:00 am

May 25, 2025

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Our Core Values are:

Compassion, Inclusion, Joy, and Spirituality
Our Mission

Guided by the creative Spirit of God, we are called to build community that cares, shares, and dares.

Rev. Jennifer Ferguson, *Minister*Jane Williams, *Administrator*Karen *Freeman, Facility Coordinator*Tony Nahon, *Live Streaming*

Patricia Plumley, *Music Director* Leslie Hawley, *Visual Arts* Sandy Machan, *Tech* Nick Therriault, *Reader*

Welcome to Worship at Knox! We extend a very warm welcome to all who are a part of our community of faith, whether you are joining us in person or via live stream, whether you are visiting or seeking a new church home. May you receive what you need today and sense the presence of the Spirit of God moving among us. Special thanks to Elyse Botha for sharing her thoughts with us today!



SEVEN STEPS OF SPIRITUALITY
STEP 6 TRADITIONING
STEP 7 TRANSFORMING

In body or in spirit, please stand as you are able where indicated (*)

PRELUDE & LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

WELCOME AND COMMUNITY TIME

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PEOPLE AND LANDS

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*HYMN:

I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry 644VU

CENTERING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME

*CHILDREN'S HYMN:

Growing in God's Way 69AGCS

SCRIPTURE: Proverbs 13:24, 22:6, Psalm 78:1-8

CONTEMPORARY READINGS

REFLECTION Jennifer Ferguson

CHOIR ANTHEM: Ancient Words

w/m Lynn DeShazo Arr. John Purifoy

SCRIPTURE: Romans 12:1-2, 6-13, 21

CONTEMPORARY READINGS REFLECTION Elyse Botha

HYMN: Spirit God, Be Our Breath 150MV

INVITATION TO GIVE

(presentation of gifts and treasure)

What Can I Do? 191MV

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The singing bowl invites us into prayer...

SUNG RESPONSE:

Change my heart, O God (chorus)

w/m Eddie Espinosa

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNITY SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

HYMN: Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness 375VU

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

We invite you to help our faith community balance our budget for the end of June and help us help others to live more whole lives. Whether you can contribute a little or a lot, we invite you to bridge the \$27,000 deficit to meet all our expenses.

WEEKLY OFFERING

There are so many ways we can contribute to the financial well-being of our faith community. If you can, we invite you to support the 9 Wholeness ministries of Knox through monthly Pre-Authorized Remittance giving (PAR) by emailing our envelope steward at envelope@kucparksville.ca, or by leaving cash/cheques in the basket before or after worship outside the sanctuary, through e-transfers via acctg@kucparksville.ca, or through the "GIVING" tab on our website. All gifts are gratefully received, and tax receipts are made available if we have your contact info.

WELCOME to LIVE-STREAMING WORSHIP!

The live stream will be available directly through the Knox United YouTube Channel