

KINGSWAY-LAMBTON UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, January 11, 2026 | 10 am
The Baptism of the Lord Sunday



Whoever you are,
wherever you're at,
you are welcome.
Join us on the
journey!



Coordinating Minister
Rev. Don Gibson

Music Director
Nathan Gritter

Organist
Paul Wisniewski

Choir Section Leaders
Camille Labonte | Kate Tapp Mock
Karen Hu | Rianna Robinson
William Salinas-Crosby | Matthew Tissi
Evan Hammell | Simon Vandenberg

Childcare for infants up to three years old is available in our nursery.
Sunday School for JK to Grade 5 is available after our Children's Moment.

Kingsway-Lambton United Church

The congregation is asked to stand at the “☼” symbol.



Prelude: “Baptism”

C. Gates | arr. L. Pedersen

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 29: 1-2

One: Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings,
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.

All: **Ascribe to the LORD the glory of his name;
Worship the LORD in holy splendor.**

☼ **Opening Hymn: VU 100 “When Jesus Comes to be Baptized”** Winchester New

Introit: “Lord Prepare Me to be a Sanctuary”

Prayer: “A Prayer For Hope” (VU 587)

All: God, like a bakerwoman, you bring the leaven which causes our hopes to rise. With your strong and gentle hands, shape our lives. Warm us with your love. Take our common lives and touch them with your grace, that we may nourish hope among humanity. We pray trusting in your name, through Jesus our Christ. Amen.

Words of Assurance

One: May the peace of Christ be with you all.

All: And also with you.

Sharing the Peace of Jesus Christ

☼ **Hymn: MV 150 “Spirit God, Be Our Breath” (Words on Screen)**

B. Harding

Children’s Moment

Victoria Efting

Good News & Work of the Church

Offering

Anthem: “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

arr. Mark Hayes

Presentation of the Offering, Doxology, & Prayer of Dedication

❁Doxology: Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise God, all creatures here below!
Give thanks to God in love made known,
Praise Father, Son, and Spirit, one.

Scripture: Matthew 3: 1-17

Sermon: *"Jump In!"*

Nicola DeLong

Rev. Don Gibson

❁Hymn: VU 574 *"Come, Let Us Sing of a Wonderful Love"*

Wonderful Love

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

❁Hymn: VU 101 *"Songs of Thankfulness and Praise"*

Salzburg (Hintze)

❁Commissioning and Blessing

❁Choral Benediction: *"Go Now In Peace"* (Words on screen)

Don Besig

Postlude: *"Wade in the Water"*

arr. R.E. McVey

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Please join us after worship for Coffee and Connection.



Sunday School Curriculum!

The lesson this week is:

"Jesus' Baptism"

Scripture Reading: Matthew 3: 13-17

*"Today is the **Sunday** we celebrate the **Baptism of Our Lord**. After Jesus was baptized, he began his **public ministry**. The symbol we see for the Baptism of Our Lord is a burst of **light**. This symbol looks like a **ray of sunshine** breaking through the clouds."*

*"God sent **Jesus** to be our **light**."*



Extra Hymn Sundays

In January and February we will be adding an extra hymn on some Sundays before the Children's Moment. This will be an opportunity to introduce newer hymns and some contemporary music.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Check out the e-blast or KL website for further details.



Warmth Initiative

January 11 to 29

Monday – Friday | 9:00 am – 7:00 pm

Sunday | 8:30 am – 12:00 pm

Can you help by donating used warm clothing to help folks experiencing homelessness? We will be collecting warm clothing for both men & women. Items should be in good shape. Further details are available on our website and in our e-blast.

KINGSWAY-LAMBTON SPEAKER SERIES

Tuesday, January 13 | Club Room | 7:00 pm

Our speaker, a 50-year veteran of the mining and mineral industry, will discuss “Why is Canadian mining suddenly so important?”
Learn of the realities!

All KLUC men are invited to a light dinner at 6:00 pm

Everyone is welcome!



Coffee and Conversation

Join us in the West Reception Room

Thursday, January 15 | 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Lenten Bible Study – Jesus in the Old Testament

Join Rev. Dr. Paul Wilson via Zoom

Mondays from February 23 – March 30, 2026

9:15-10:15 am OR 6:45–7:45 pm

Further details are available in the e-blast.
Contact the office to register.



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