

# KINGSWAY-LAMBTON UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, February 1, 2026 | 10 am  
Fourth Sunday after Epiphany



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 the Children's Choir performance.

# Kingsway-Lambton United Church

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



**Prelude: “Deep River”**

Spiritual

**Words of Welcome**

**Call to Worship:** *(based on Micah 6: 6-8)*

One: With what shall we come before the Lord? What shall we bring into the presence of our God, as an expression of our worship and praise?

All: Shall we bring him all that we own – our finest possessions, our life-savings, our investments and property? Would God be satisfied if we brought everything we possess?

One: That’s not what God is looking for. God has told you what is good, for what does God require of you?

All: To do justice. To love mercy. To walk humbly with our God.

☼ **Opening Hymn:** VU 333 “*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*” Hyfrydol

**Introit:** “*By The Rivers of Babylon*” The Melodians

**Prayer:** “*A Prayer for Discipleship*” (VU 564)

All: Jesus Christ, our Saviour, alive and at large in the world; help us to follow and find you today in the places where we work and meet people, spend leisure time and make plans. Teach us to see through your eyes, and to hear the questions you ask; by the power of the Cross, and in the freedom of your Spirit, we pray. 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:** “*Open the Eyes of My Heart*” (Words on Screen) P. Baloché

**Children’s Choir:** “*Canon in D*” J. Pachelbel

**Good News & Work of the Church**

## Offering

Anthem: "Resignation"

Florence Price

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 5: 1-12

Mary Prime

**Sermon:** "Being a Blessing"

Rev. Don Gibson

- ✿ **Hymn:** VU 592 "Come, Now, You Blessed"

Come, Now, You Blessed

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

- ✿ **Hymn:** VU 684 "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace"

Channel of Peace

- ✿ **Commissioning and Blessing**

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

Don Besig

**Postlude:** "Faith"

M.F. Moody/arr. L.H. Pedersen

— ✿ —  
Please join us after worship for Coffee and Connection.



## Sunday School Curriculum!

The lesson this week is:  
**"The Beatitudes"**

Scripture Reading: Matthew 5: 1-12

"Today is the **fourth Sunday in Epiphany**.

One meaning of Epiphany is manifestation. That means **appearing** or becoming clear. During Epiphany we **celebrate** how God **appears** to us."



## Massey College – Ethics Series

**Beyond Sacred Walls: The Role of Faith and Religion in Public Affairs**

Tuesday, February 10, 2026 | 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Rev. Gibson invites you to join him in person or online for the next  
Massey College's Ethics Series Panel featuring Alexa Gilmour, MPP and others.

For more details, see the e-blast or visit:

[Massey Ethics Series – Beyond Sacred Walls: The Role of Faith and Religion in Public Affairs – Massey College](#)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

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



### The Warmth Initiative

A huge THANK YOU to everyone who contributed to and volunteered for the Warmth Initiative.

Your generosity will help those in need stay warm and comfortable this winter.



SNOW MAY RESTRICT  
ACCESS TO OUR DOORS.

### The Flea Market

Annual Spring Donation Drive

Donations Accepted Beginning February 2<sup>nd</sup>

Weekdays: 12:00 pm – 7:00 pm | Sundays: 8:30 am – 12:00 pm



### Faith in Action Talk

Sunday, February 8 | During Coffee Hour | Auditorium

Come learn about Haven on the Queensway.



### Joyful Singing

Sunday, February 15 | 11:30 am | Sanctuary

Nathan and Paul invite you to learn and sing together.



### Pancake Supper

Tuesday, February 17 | 5:30 – 7:00 pm

Tickets available starting February 3<sup>rd</sup> at [kingswaylambton.ca](http://kingswaylambton.ca)

Volunteers Needed! – Contact Don Sexton



### Ash Wednesday Service

Wednesday, February 18 | 11:00 am

Rev. Don Gibson will be leading a time of worship in the Chapel.



### Coffee and Conversation

Thursday, February 19 | 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Gather together in the West Reception Room.



### Coldest Night (Day) of the Year Walk

Saturday, February 28 | 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Meet in the Auditorium for a neighbourhood walk.



### Kingsway-Lambton United Church

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