

OUR MISSION - OUR VISION

Transforming lives through relationship with God and one another
Wesley-Knox - a vibrant Christian community striving to live gratefully,
deepen faith and reach out to God's world

SUNDAY, JANUARY 20, 2019

Guest Speaker:
Piano:

Glen Pearson
Brian Ratcliffe

VOLUNTARY: A French Noel

Dandrieu

WE GATHER TOGETHER

WORDS OF WELCOME LIFE AND WORK OF THE CHURCH

WE APPROACH GOD

*(The * is an invitation to rise in body or in spirit)*

PRELUDE:

* **HYMN:** 562 "Jesus Calls Us"

* **CALL TO WORSHIP:**

One: This day is a gift from God;

All: A day to reflect, to offer thanks, to seek the good.

One: This time is a pause from the fever of life;

All: A time to be with one another, knit into community by God.

One: So let us sing, and listen, and pray, and feast.

All: And let us worship God.

PRAYER OF APPROACH

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S HYMN: 567 "Will You Come and Follow Me" (vs 1-3)

LEARNING WITH GOD'S CHILDREN AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S HYMN: 567 (vs 4,5)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

ANTHEM: Great, Great Joy

Hayes

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 16:1-11; 1 Timothy 6:11-16

One: For the Word of God in scripture, among us and within us.

All: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE:

SILENT REFLECTION

WE RESPOND TO GOD

* **HYMN:** 331 "The Church's One Foundation"

PRESENTATIONS OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Another French Noel

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* **OFFERTORY RESPONSE AND PRAYER:** 539

God of all good, our gifts we bring to you,

use them your holy purpose to fulfil;

tokens of love and pledges brought anew

that our whole life is offered to your will.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

* **HYMN:** 578 "As a Fire Is Meant for Burning"

* **COMMISSIONING & RESPONSE:** 298

When you walk from here,

when you walk from here,

walk with justice, walk with mercy,

and with God's humble care.

POSTLUDE: Noel Suisse

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Welcome Visitors: We welcome those of you who are visiting with us
today and invite you to sign our guest books located on the back tables.

If you wish office attention, please sign one of the Pew Cards and place it on the offering plate. After the service, please join us downstairs in the Social Hall for coffee, served by the Leadership Council.

There are activity packs for children who wish to colour during the service. Please return the packs to the table after the service, Thank you!

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THIS WEEK

Tuesday, January 22 -

Moms & Tots - 9:30 a.m. - SS Room

Wednesday, January 23 -

Seniors Connection - 1:00 p.m. - Parlour

Handbells - 6:40 p.m. - SS Rm

Thursday, January 24 -

Primary Choir - Gr. 1-3 - 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Junior Boys' Choir - Gr. 4-7/8 - 4:45 - 5:30 p.m.

Junior Girls' Choir - Gr. 4-7/8 - 5:15 - 6:00 p.m.

Mysterium - Gr. 8/9 - University - 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Senior Choir - 7:30 p.m. - Parlour

Friday, January 25 -

Moms & Tots - 9:30 a.m. - SS Room

General

The Twelve MONTHS of Christmas is an opportunity for you to live out the spirit of Christmas throughout the year. In January we are "Expressing Gratitude". For a calendar for the year please pick up your copy from the table at the back of the sanctuary.

Rev. Tracy is on study leave and will be returning on Saturday February 2nd. If you have a pastoral emergency please contact Heather in the office (ext. 200) or speak with Lisa our Membership and Pastoral Care Coordinator (ext. 204).

Annual General Meeting - February 10th immediately following the church service. Names A-L please bring sandwiches
Names M-Z please bring squares

Tired of Turkey? Think Pancakes Tuesday, March 5th! More information soon.

Women's Night Out - mark your calendars for the second annual get-together, Friday May 31st.

Reserve the date: March 3 "Souper" Sunday Out of the Cold fundraiser lunch.

Choir Security: New choir term is up and running. Urgently needed- security personnel from 4:45-6:00 on Thursdays. Sign up on the posted schedule or see Cathie at coffee hour after church.

Great fun afternoon! Our wonderful Junior Choir will be singing "O Canada" at the London Lightnings Basketball Game against the Windsor Express on Sunday, February 10th at 2:00 p.m. We have 200 tickets to sell for this game. This is THE Major Fundraiser for our choir program and pays for choir robes, accompanists, choir crosses, office supplies, equipment and many other things! Tickets are only \$18. You can get them downstairs at Coffee Hour!

Finding I Am a 6-Session Bible Study; From Best-Selling Author LysaTerKeurst

Join us if you want to:

1. Find freedom in difficult circumstances by learning how to shift from "slave mentality" to "set free mentality"
2. Discover how Jesus is the key to satisfaction by learning the crucial significance behind each of His I AM statements
3. Trade feelings of emptiness for the fullness of knowing who Jesus is
4. Grow in biblical literacy with this exploration of the Gospel of John

Tuesday, January 29, February 5, 12, 19, 26 and March 5th; 7:00 – 8:30 pm.

To register contact Lisa Morris, Faith Formation Committee.

Phone 519.673.4803 Ext 204 or Email
wesleyknoxpastoralcare@gmail.com

There is no cost to this Bible Study.

If you require child-care in order to be able to attend, please contact Lisa.

Large Print Bulletins - If you would like to receive the large print bulletins, please contact the church office at 519-673-4804 EX 200 and one will be prepared for you.

Wesley-Knox SNOW TUBE Excursion

All are welcome to join us at River Valley Winter Snow Tube Slide for a great morning of outdoor activity suitable for all people ages 4 years (minimum) to 94 yrs. Bring along your friends and family. River Valley has 2 Tube Hills with 4 Lanes/Hill; a warm up Chalet with hot food; outdoor bonfire and free parking. Riders under 12 years old must wear a helmet. Bring your own helmet or rent one for \$4.

The best part – there is a magic carpet (moving conveyor belt) to bring you and your tube to the top of the hill.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, February 9th from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon.

Meet at Wesley-Knox at 9:00 am to check-in and pay (or pay ahead) and we will carpool to the hill. We must arrive and sign-in as a group. Light snacks will be provided after tubing.

Two-hour Group Rate = \$16+hst/person.

Please RSVP to make sure that we have enough attending to qualify for the group rate.

To **RSVP** or for **INFO** please contact Lisa Morris 519.673.4803 x204 or email at

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NEW COURSE STARTING FRIDAY MORNINGS

AT SILOAM, BEGINNING FEBRUARY 1st : HOW JESUS BECAME GOD video & discussion group based on the study by Professor Bart Ehrman. “The early Christian claim that Jesus of Nazareth was God completely changed the course of Western civilization. In fact, without the Christian declaration of Jesus as God, Western history as we know it would have never happened.... In the enthralling inquiry of How Jesus Became God, Professor Ehrman lays bare the diverse elements that combined to produce both an astonishing true-life story and one of history’s most significant happenings. Join a renowned biblical scholar in grappling with this pivot point of Western civilization that has indelibly shaped our culture, our thought, and the world we know.” Signup sheet in Siloam’s Arva Atrium or Phone the office to register for this free course: 519 455 9201. For more info please contact Rev. Sheila at smacgregor@siloamunitedchurch.org

Events in Worship	
January 27	Karlene Kimber, preaching
February 3	Communion
February 10	General Meeting Sing on Sisters!

