

Sunday, October 20, 2019

~ 19th Sunday after Pentecost ~

Worship Leader: Glen Pearson
Music Director: Karen Schuessler & Senior Choir

* stand if able ^ please stay seated for the Children's Hymn

We Gather Together

Prelude: Processional in G Major

Words of Welcome

Life and Work of the Church

We Approach God

***Hymn:** Come Thou Fount organist: Sheila LeClair VU 559

***Call to Worship** (responsive)

One: God, we praise you.

All: We praise you, thanking you for your faithfulness in the past and your promise of the present.

One: God, we praise you.

All: We praise you for the light you have given us and the purpose to live it out in a troubled world.

One: God, we praise you.

All: We praise you for the unity you have offered us and the blessings of fellowship.

One: God, we praise you.

All: We praise God with joy, thanksgiving and purpose. Hallelujah.

Prayer of Approach

Special Music: A Jubilant Song (Mary Lynn Lightfoot)

We Listen for God's Word

^Children's Hymn: As a Fire is Meant for Burning 578 v 1 & 2

Learning with Children and The Lord's Prayer

^Children's Hymn (continued) VU 578 v 3

Scripture: Matthew 5:13-16

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Anthem: Lookin' for a City (Caldwell & Ivory) Senior Choir

Message: Our Inner Glow Glen Pearson

We Respond to God

***Hymn:** We are One VU 402

Presentations of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Music: Cantilena (Rheinberger)

***Offertory Response and Prayer** (in unison) VU 539

**Lord of all good, our gifts we bring to you,
Use them your holy purpose to fulfill;
Tokens of love and pledges brought anew
That our whole life is offered to thy will.**

Prayers for the People

***Hymn:** Filled with the Spirit's Power VU 194

***Commissioning & Response** (in unison) VU 298

**When you walk from here,
when you walk from here,
walk with justice, walk with mercy,
and with God's humble care.**

Postlude: Allegretto (Handel)



Welcome Visitors!

We welcome those of you who are visiting with us today, we invite you to sign our guest books located in the back of the Sanctuary. 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 refreshments. For folks with children, there are activity packs available at the back of the sanctuary; please return them after worship. Thank you!

Announcements

Upcoming Church Events...

- Ongoing food bank drive for the month of October; your donations in the grocery cart at the front of the sanctuary!
- Monday, October 21 - Election Day Polling Station
- Sunday, November 03 - Sudan Concert at 7:30pm – Doors open at 6pm for art show and sale! Join Denise Pelley, Saidat, Steve Holowitz and choirs from Banting, Medway, and Victoria for an evening of uplifting song! Free concert, but donations will be collected for development projects in South Sudan
- Sunday, November 10 – Remembrance Day worship service with special music including Handbells

Fall Congregational Meeting...Immediately following worship today

In a time of significant change this is an important opportunity to hear about current and future plans for Wesley-Knox. All are encouraged to attend this meeting. (in the Sanctuary)

Message for the Pastoral Care Team... The Wesley Knox pastoral care team is comprised of trained individuals who are available to listen and support any member of our congregation who is experiencing illness, grief, loneliness - any of life's stressors. Call Arlene, our Office Administrator, and she will ensure that you are confidentially connected with a pastoral team member. Another example of how we care for each other at Wesley Knox.

They're back!... Rhea Thompson Chocolate Mint Smoothies will be on sale for \$3 each at Coffee Time following the service today (and for several weeks). This is an important fundraiser for our Children's Youth Choir Program (CYCC).

Usher & Scripture Volunteers required... Please connect with the Worship Committee for information. (Ann Stokes for Ushers, Liz Dunlop for Scriptures).

Watch for it!... S.A.C.K. 2019 volunteers needed for December 09-14. Please speak with Richard Yake for information regarding this year's Kettle Campaign.

Cheese orders!... Coming in November, watch for details.

United Church of Canada Calendars...if you wish to order a calendar, please speak to Sandy Sershall 519-433-2756. Deadline for ordering is October 31st.

From the Office... That time of year for your Annual report will be upon us before we know it! Consider working on your report before the busy-ness of the Christmas Season is upon us.

Upcoming Worship Schedule

	OCT 27 20 th Sunday after Pentecost	NOV 03 21 st Sunday after Pentecost	NOV 10 22 nd Sunday after Pentecost
	~ Peace Sunday ~	~ All-Choir Sunday ~	~ Remembrance Sunday ~
Worship Leader(s)	Glen Pearson	Glen Pearson	Glen Pearson
Music Director	Karen S, Senior Choir, George Laidlaw	Karen S. & all choirs, incl Mysterium	Karen S, Handbells, Bagpipe, Trumpet
Scripture Reader	Sheila Dinnin	Lauren Milne-Wren	Richard Yake
Usher Captain	Lynda Laskey	Carl Hearn	Carl Hearn
Offering Counters	Rob Reid Paul Spence Al Pauli	Mike Ryan Eileen Cook Hugh John Cook	Doug McCabe John Bontje Nancy Wren
Coffee Time	UCW Unit #4	UCW Unit #1	Breakfast Team

This Week @ WKUC

- 20 OCT-SUN -Worship @ 10:30am – Sanctuary
 - Glen Pearson
 - Congregational meeting (in the Sanctuary) following worship
- 21 OCT-MON -Reaching Out Committee @7pm - Chapel
- 22 OCT-TUE -UCW (pie making) @ 9am - Kitchen
 - Moms & Tots @ 9.30am – Nursery
 - Shine @ 5pm – SHN + SS Room
- 23 OCT-WED -Seniors Connection @ 1pm – Parlour
 - Staff Meeting @ 4pm - Chapel
 - Handbells practice @ 6:15pm – SS Room
 - Faith Formation Committee @ 7pm - Chapel
- 24 OCT-THU -Jr Choirs (Boys @ 4:45pm and Girls @ 5.15pm) – Choir room
 - Primary Choir @ 5pm – SS Room
 - Mysterium @ 6pm – Choir Room
 - Sr. Choir @ 7.30 - Parlour
- 25 OCT-FRI -Moms & Tots @ 9.30am – Nursery
- 26 OCT-Sat -Murder Mystery Night @ 7pm
- 27 OCT-SUN -Worship @ 10:30am – Sanctuary
 - Glen Pearson

