

This Week in the Life & Work of our Church

KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH

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The Congregation of Kincardine United Church seeks to foster a journey of spiritual growth through hospitality, service, fellowship and study, and, in community, to build up the ministry of every person and together experience God's abundant love and grace.

WE NEED A TREASURER

Position available. We are currently accepting applications for the position of treasurer of our church, starting date June 1, 2021. Must have knowledge of computers, accounting and Excel spreadsheets.

Please send application to Gregg McClelland by April 23.

[\(dotgregg@bmts.com\)](mailto:dotgregg@bmts.com)

LIGHTHOUSE ZOOM MEETING



The Lighthouse Unit UCW Group would like to invite all women of the congregation to join us for a Zoom Meeting on **Monday, April 19 at 7 pm.** Please bring, if you wish, a tea cup/coffee mug or a memory about one, to share its special significance and the reason why.

The link for the meeting may be found below.

Looking forward to seeing all of you, Pat Jennings and Donna Mowry

The ZOOM link is here:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89333401371> Passcode: 3962391

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Passcode: 396239

Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89333401371>



SERVICE OF PRAYERS WITH THE MUSIC OF TAIZE

Join us on **Sunday, April 25th at 7:00 p.m.** for a deeply contemplative worship service featuring the music of Taizé, France. This service incorporates sung chants with a variety of musical accompaniment interwoven with reverent silence that leads worshippers into a restorative inner space. Come and discover the light of Christ within.

LIZ DILLMAN'S RETIREMENT

Liz Dillman is retiring from her position of Treasurer as of May 31, 2021. Liz has given of her time and talent for 14 years. She has faithfully paid our bills and salaries, kept an excellent set of books and prepared financial statements every month for Administration and for Council, just to name a few of the things she has done over that 14-year period. In many cases, she has gone above and beyond what is stated in her Job Description. To keep abreast of changes in laws and policies, she has taken the time to attend many Financial Sessions sponsored by the United Church of Canada. Liz has a great knowledge of finances and her expertise has been invaluable.

Liz, we wish you all the best in all your future endeavours. Thank you for 14 years of service to Kincardine United Church. We will certainly miss you as our Treasurer.

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WILL HE SHAVE OR WILL HE GROW?

Gord has a beard. Should he shave it off or should he grow it some more (at least until July 1st)? Have your say through this fundraising competition. You have two options:

1. Donate to the church for the option you wish to support by the **deadline of Sunday, April 25th**.
2. Donate your time and talent, that will add points toward the side you wish to support. The points will be calculated based on the number of hours a year of new volunteering times ten. After all, even in a pandemic we need:



- Property Ministry volunteers to help maintain the property.
- Administration Committee members to guide the financial well-being of our community of faith.
- Stewardship Team volunteers to invite, to inspire and to thank people for their gifts of time, talent and treasure.
- Programme Committee volunteers for the Tech Crew, for greeting, for nursery and Sunday school, for small group leadership, for lift operating, for scripture reading, for coffee making and for cleaning up after gathering together.
- Choir members for all sections.
- Volunteer telephone callers to keep us connected.

The side which gains the biggest total of donations will dictate what Gord does with his beard. We can have fun while at the same time raising money for the ministry and mission of Kincardine United Church. Please make all donations to **Kincardine United Church** and mark them as either "**SHAVE**" or "**GROW**". To volunteer, please e-mail Gord at gord.kuc@bmts.com and he will record your choice for either shave or grow, letting you know how many points you earned through a follow-up e-mail.

*****Thank you for ALL you give to our collective ministry in Christ's name.*****



SURPLUS BULBS AVAILABLE

We have surplus light bulbs that we have replaced with LED's and are no longer needed.

Some of the sizes are:

130, 150, 120, 75 watt flood lights,
and others.

These could be available for a donation to the church. Anyone interested are to call Ralph Knowles @519-396-5580 for information.

PROGRAMME CALENDAR (all services below are live streamed)

SUNDAY, April 25th 10:30 AM 4th Sunday after Easter
Worship: Gord Dunbar
Meditation: TBA

SUNDAY, April 25th 7:00 PM Taizé Service

SUNDAY, May 2nd 10:30 AM 5th Sunday after Easter
Worship: Gord Dunbar
Meditation: Not Bowled Over But Em-bowl-ded

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

Jessie Clark has moved to in Southampton Care Centre.

Those who have been in touch with her regularly are aware of how they can contact her son Murray for her new phone number.



Regular Sunday Services are live streamed on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. Email kuchurch@bmts.com to get on the email list and receive live stream invitations.

Recent services can be found on our Youtube Channel:
[KUC YouTube Channel](#)

Services will continue to air on Rogers Cable Channel 6 a week later.

View the schedule here: <https://www.rogerstv.com/schedule?lid=1&rid=75>

You can view some past services online at

<https://www.rogerstv.com/media?lid=237&rid=75> under Access Programming (no cable tv necessary)

From your Transitional Leadership Team UCW



The purpose of the Regional United Church Women is

- to strengthen and support the local UCWs and other women's groups where desired
- to provide an opportunity for spiritual growth, Christian fellowship, study, and leadership development; and
- to maintain close ties with the National UCW, Regional Council Executive, and General Council working units

Save the Date!

60th Anniversary Celebration of the United Church Women

July 11-15, 2022

At the Membertou Centre in Sydney, Nova Scotia

Theme: Continuing in Hope

Guest Speaker: Sally Armstrong - Journalist & Author

Grants for up to \$400 are available from two funds to UCW members Applications on-line at: united-church.ca/UCW Handbook; pages 41-46

If applying for the Agatha Kaasa grant,

you MUST submit by April 15, October 15, 2021 or April 15, 2022

If applying for the Dorothy Amos grant, you MUST submit by July 2, 2021

More info soon about registration; stay tuned!

**Western Ontario Waterways
of The United Church of Canada**



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**Theme:
"CONTINUING IN HOPE"**

Saturday, April 24, 2021

**Worship Leader & Guest Speaker
The Rev. Robin McGauley**

**Register to receive Annual Report & link via email
for this Virtual 'Zoom' Meeting**

email UCW.WOW@gmail.com
or phone Kim 705-734-0162

Zoom Open 9:30 a.m.
Gather in Song 9:45-10 a.m.
Program & Business 10-11 a.m.
Chat Room Socializing 11-11:30 a.m.

Please wear your UCW pins,
bring your favourite beverage &
invite your UCW Sisters to join you

WEEKLY DEADLINE FOR ANNOUNCEMENT INFORMATION

Submit information to kuchurch@bmts.com by 4 PM on TUESDAYS



A Friendly Reminder

UCW is seeking dedicated, passionate leadership for its Regional Executive. Various positions are available, with a core group continuing. If you are interested in sharing your gifts, please send your Expression of Interest by email to ucw.wow@gmail.com

Please indicate in subject line: Expression of Interest.
Include a brief biography, including name of your Unit and contact info. Nominations Deadline April 23rd.

Don't forget our UCW WOW AGM April 24th.

**Register to receive the Annual Report & Link via email
for this Virtual Zoom Meeting.**

**Email: ucw.wow@gmail.com
or phone Kim at 705-734-0162**