

This Week in the Life and 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.*

**UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS**

Choir – next practice Sept 14<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. in the Sanctuary  
 K.U.C.I.E. – next practice \*Sept 19<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary

<b>EVENT/MEETING</b>	<b>DATE &amp; TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION*</b>
SS. Teachers Meeting	Sept. 10 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30 am.	Res. room
Loaves & Fishes (potluck)	Sept 11 <sup>th</sup> doors open 5:30	F. Hall
UCW North**	Sept. 12 <sup>th</sup> , 1-3 p.m.	Doris Bradley's
<i>**Roll call: Sewing kits</i>		
UCW Sunshine	Sept. 13 <sup>th</sup> , 1-3 p.m.	Choir room
<b>Program</b>	Sept. 13 <sup>th</sup> , 7-9 p.m.	Res. room
Membership & Mission	Sept. 19 <sup>th</sup> , 7-9 p.m.	Liz Dillman's
UCW Lighthouse	Sept. 18 <sup>th</sup> , 7-9 p.m.	F. Hall
Rummage Sale *see update below	Sept. 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 9 a.m. to noon	F. Hall
Dory Lunch	Sept. 26 <sup>th</sup> , 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	F. Hall
Administration	Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup> , 9 - 11 a.m.	Res. room
Property	Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup> , 11 a.m.	Res. room

\*(F. Hall = Fellowship Hall, Res. Room = Resource room)

**SPECIAL UCW LIGHTHOUSE UNIT MEETING**

UCW Lighthouse Unit will be hosting Farah Ahmad to speak at their meeting on Monday

**Sept. 18 at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.**

She lives in Kincardine and is a member of the Ahmadiyya Muslim community.

***All ladies of the congregation are invited to attend.***

**\*UPDATE: RUMMAGE SALE**

**SEPT 23<sup>rd</sup>, 9 am – noon in Fellowship Hall.** Please continue to save items for the fall rummage sale. Clothing, accessories, white elephant and books accepted!

**Donation drop off times (in Fellowship Hall):**

**Thurs Sept 21 1-4:30 pm and 6-8 p.m.**

**Friday Sept 22 1-4:30 p.m. and 6-8 p.m.**



**YOU WANT ME TO GIVE MORE?**

The special Mission and Service Fund envelopes are for an extra donation to support the mission of the United Church of Canada beyond our humble church walls. By donating you make possible support for our partners in Kenya that guest speaker Rev. Dr. Tim Reaburn will relate on Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. Without leaving Kincardine, we will make a difference!

**PLEASE SHARE YOUR MEMORIES OF JACOB HILLERBY**

Many of you have been holding Jacqui and Rich Hillerby in prayer after Jacob's death this past June – which was the day before he and his twin had their first birthday. Many of you have been asking how to support the family in this time of aching loss. Preserve your memories of Jake and Robin to share with Jacqui and Rich in the coming days, and with Robin as she grows and needs to learn about her twin.

You have choices how to give them this gift of memory:

- Go to the website [www.JacobHillerby.com](http://www.JacobHillerby.com) and contribute a memory
- Write a memory on the card included in this bulletin but don't include your name if you wish to remain anonymous.
- Place your card in the offering plate and Gord will pass it privately to Jacqui and Rich.



Jacqui and Rich welcome all memories – short or long, from close by or from a distance. It could simple like, "I saw the twins from the other side of the sanctuary and they were so cute," or "I remember babysitting Jacob and snuggling him when he woke up." It could be longer if you have stories to tell. Don't worry about how well you feel you write, or about spelling or grammar. Whatever the form, every memory is a treasure to this grieving family. If you have a memory you're not sure suits, talk to Gord and he can help.

**Thank you** for making a difference for the Hillerby family.

# LOAVES AND FISHES

(FORMERLY POTLUCK DINNER)

DATE: SEPTEMBER 11, 2017

SOCIAL TIME: 5:30 pm, DINNER: 6:00 pm

*"Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks to God and broke the loaves. Then he gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the people. <sup>20</sup> They all ate and were satisfied."* Matthew 14:18-20

Each month Kincardine United Church hosts a Loaves and Fishes dinner.

**Everyone** is invited – to share friendship, laughter and food.

There is always a great variety to eat. No one goes home hungry!

Unlike Jesus, we may not feed 5,000, but all who attend leave satisfied.

Bring a friend. Make your favourite recipe and bring it. Even bring family!

Not enough time to cook? Come anyway. You're always welcome!



## Change to Gord's Office Hours Week of Sept 11<sup>th</sup>

*Drop in and say hi!*

**Monday: 1 – 5 p.m.**

**Wednesday: 9 a.m. - noon**

**You can e-mail Gord at  
[gord.kuc@bmts.com](mailto:gord.kuc@bmts.com)**

**PRAYER CYCLE** ... As a church, we are called to pray for each other and for our mission in the world. The Prayer Cycle invites prayer each week for particular pastoral charges. This week please include the following Pastoral Charge in your prayers: *Arkell United Church, Waterloo Presbytery.*





### NEED TIME IN QUIET?

*The Chapel* is now available for quiet time before and after Sunday worship. Ask the ushers to show you the way to the Chapel. When worship is about to begin, the ushers will notify you. After worship, if you need time in quiet with God, stay as long as you need.

## SUBSCRIBING TO THE OBSERVER

### 150 Reasons

The Observer has won more than 150 awards for journalistic excellence in Canadian and U.S. church press competitions in the past five years – more than any other denominational magazine in North America.

Letters have been mailed to regular Observer subscribers. Anyone can place an order. **Cost is \$25** if you order with our group. Please **put your payment on the plate by Oct. 8th**, – and be sure to **include a note with your full name, address and phone number, and indicate that the money is for the Observer!** Or, you can also **contact Sarah in the office by Tuesday October 10th** with your payment if you would like to get this publication delivered to your home by mail. *\*If you're writing a cheque, make it payable to the Kincardine United Church and put "Observer" in the memo of the cheque.*

### WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

The following members have given us permission to pass on their new addresses:

**Bette Tusz** Apt 306, 31 Dairy Lane, HUNTSVILLE, Ontario P1H 2L7

**Shirley (Huff) Harris** is temporarily at Brucelea Haven till a space becomes available for her at Trillium Court. She would love to have you stop by if you are in the Walkerton area. Brucelea Haven's address is 41 McGivern St. W., Box 1600 St.W., Walkerton NOG 2V0.

### KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH STAFF

**Minister – Rev. Gord Dunbar ([gord.kuc@bmts.com](mailto:gord.kuc@bmts.com))**

Minister of Music – David Hamilton

Envelope Steward – Rod Coates ([kucesteward@bmts.com](mailto:kucesteward@bmts.com))

Treasurer – Liz Dillman

Office Coordinator – Sarah MacKenzie ([kuchurch@bmts.com](mailto:kuchurch@bmts.com))

Custodian – David Walker

# Program Calendar



**Sunday Sept 17 Mission Sunday**

**Preaching – Rev. Dr. Tim Reaburn**

**Sunday Sept 24 Creation Time 1**

**Preaching – Gord Dunbar**

**“Quailing is a Fowl Result  
of Grumbling”**

## WHO ARE YOU GOING TO CALL?



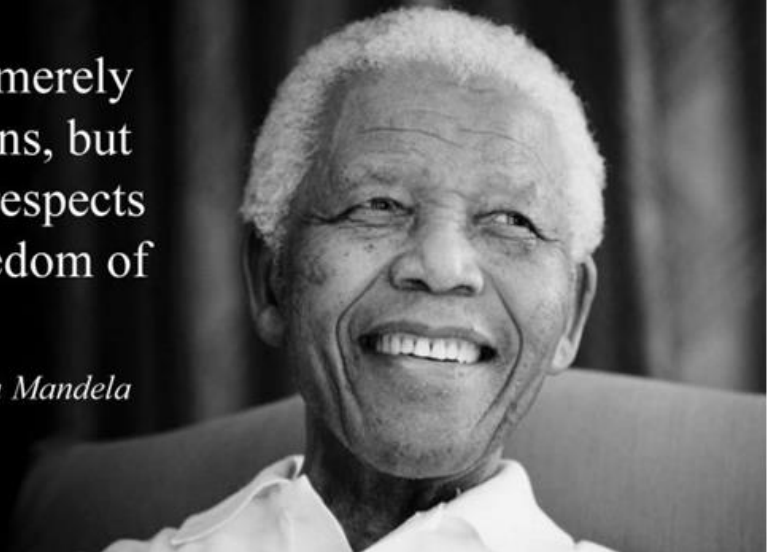
If you have a concern, request or suggestion, please direct it to an appropriate volunteer. Thank you.

Chair of Council – Marion Boyd  
Chair of Administration - Donna Mowry  
Chair of Program - Jackie Clements  
UCW Secretary – Dianne Henkenhaf  
Membership & Mission committee members (no chairperson)  
Liz Dillman  
Jean Johnson  
Charles Ludlow  
Bernd Portz  
Ursula Portz  
Krista Ritchie  
Melinda Smegal

Property Ministry Team  
Ron Elliott  
Bev Jennings  
Ralph Knowles  
Bill MacTavish  
Dotty McClelland  
Jack Nancekivell  
Ron Smith  
Gerry Stephens

For to be free is not merely  
to cast off one's chains, but  
to live in a way that respects  
and enhances the freedom of  
others.

*Nelson Mandela*



## Kincardine Bereavement Support Group

Saturday, September 9, 16, 23, 30

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

(followed by a light lunch)

Knox Presbyterian Church

345 Durham St, Kincardine

Facilitator: Terriann Matissen

### *What is Grief Support?*

- ▶ It is a way to express our experience of loss
- ▶ It is support & compassionate caring for family members & friends of the deceased
- ▶ An opportunity to share feelings or just to listen and not be alone

No charge to attend; Pre-Registration Required

For Information & Registration:

519-371-5331 x 222    [Jessica.Slater@von.ca](mailto:Jessica.Slater@von.ca)

# Could you use a *more* affordable transportation option?



Please join us for a community  
forum and focus group on  
Tuesday September 12th at  
10:00am, Knox Presbyterian  
Church in Kincardine  
(345 Durham St.)

~Refreshments will be provided~

## MINUTE FOR MISSIONS

SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

### A VIBRANT YOUTH PROGRAM

Our gifts for Mission & Service support programs for children and youth. Let us hear a story of The GO Project.

“The GO Project has taught me so much about faith and social justice, but I didn’t even notice I was learning because I never thought you could have that much fun while learning!”

Those are the words of a youth who took part in The GO Project youth mission program. For nine years, The GO Project has been offering a vibrant experience of church to youth and children.

The first program happened at Islington United Church in Toronto, and it’s been an adventure ever since. First offered for youth, GO now also offers summer camp programs for children as well as a young adult intentional community.

The GO Project has youth programs in Halifax, Vancouver, Saskatoon, and St. John’s, in addition to the Toronto site. The youth live in community and work alongside volunteers at community ministries in the host city. Youth who have participated in The GO Project leave with a strong sense of community and a passion for leadership.

We sing thanksgiving that, through our gifts for Mission & Service, children and youth continue to grow in faith and community, able to offer leadership that can mend the world!

If Mission & Service is already a regular part of your giving, thank you so much! If you have not given for Mission & Service, please join me in making Mission & Service a regular part of your life of faith. In all our Mission & Service giving, with a willing heart, we sing thanksgiving to God!