

## 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.*

### STEW, SOUP AND CHILI LUNCHEON TODAY AFTER THE SERVICE



We will be having a luncheon following the service in the Fellowship Hall.

There will be a free will offering with proceeds being donated to the Cape Croker United Church.



### BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



For the second time, we will be blessing the animals during morning worship on **Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>**. Please feel free to bring your pets – dogs, cats, hamsters, rabbits, birds (caged), iguanas, stuffed animals, pictures of animals who have died but are still living in your heart. At the end of worship, you will be invited to come forward to have them blessed as part of God's good Creation. If needed, the park is just

outside the front door, but be prepared for that eventuality (bags anyone?). Bring treats for your pets if necessary to keep them relatively calm. Be prepared, as well, for the possibility that various animal personalities may conflict at times. In this family of faith, our pets are part of that same family.



## PROGRAMME CALENDAR

- SUNDAY, Sept. 22nd**    **10:30 AM**    **Blessing of the Animals Service**  
**Worship: Gord Dunbar**  
**Meditation: “Goodness Me or Goodness Us?”**
- 7:00 PM**    **Taize Service**
- SUNDAY, Sept. 29th**    **10:30 AM**    **Creation Time 4**  
**Worship: Emily Perry**

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Choir –Thursdays 2-3 p.m. in the Sanctuary and Sundays 9:45 in the Choir room  
 K.U.C.I.E. – starting Sept 10th meets Tuesdays 7-8 p.m. in the Sanctuary  
 Craft, Conversation & Coffee - returns Sept. 24th

EVENT/MEETING	DATE & TIME	LOCATION*
Stew/Soup/Chili lunch**	Sept. 15 <sup>th</sup> , after worship	F. Hall
**not potluck, freewill offering for Cape Croker United		
Affirming Committee	Sept. 15 <sup>th</sup> , 12:00 p.m.	Res. room
UCW Lighthouse	Sept. 16 <sup>th</sup> , 7-9 p.m.	Kitchen
Membership & Mission	Sept. 17 <sup>th</sup> , 7 – 9 p.m.	TBA
Questers	Sept. 19 <sup>th</sup> , 6-9 p.m.	Kitchen
Donation drop off for Rummage sale	Sept. 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2 – 7 p.m. & Sept. 20 <sup>th</sup> 9 a.m. – noon	F. Hall
Rummage Sale	Sept. 20 <sup>th</sup> 5-8 pm & Sept 21 <sup>st</sup> 9 am – noon	F. Hall
“Celebration” for Women of Western Ont. Waterways	Sept. 21 <sup>st</sup> , 10 am – 3 p.m.	Mt. Forest United
Taizé Service	Sept. 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 7 p.m.	Sanctuary
Property Administration	Sept. 24 <sup>th</sup> , 9 – 10 a.m.	Res. room
Dory Lunch	Sept. 24 <sup>th</sup> , 10 a.m. – noon	Res. Room
Trustees	Sept. 24 <sup>th</sup> , 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	F. Hall/kitchen
Council	Sept. 26 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30 a.m.	Res. Room
Marc Toth Piano concert	Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup> , 7-9 p.m.	Kitchen
Aria 21 Gives Thanks concert	Oct. 4 <sup>th</sup> , 7:30 p.m.	Sanctuary
	Oct. 5 <sup>th</sup> , 7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary

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



### GORD’S OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF SEPT. 16TH

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



### SERVICE OF PRAYERS WITH THE MUSIC OF TAIZÉ

Join us on **Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> 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.



KINCARDINE UNITED CHURCH

721 PRINCES STREET

SEPTEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup>  
5-8 PM AND SEPTEMBER 21<sup>TH</sup>  
9- 12 NOON

Help will be needed in the following areas:

September 19<sup>th</sup> set up of hall (1PM)

September 19<sup>th</sup> afternoon and evening sort

September 20<sup>th</sup> afternoon sort

SALE: Sept 20, 5-8 pm and Sept 21, 9-12

September 21<sup>th</sup>, 9 to noon sale followed by  
pack up \*\*\*PLEASE SIGN UP IN FELLOWSHIP  
HALL TO ASSIST US!\*\*\*

**\*We are accepting  
clothing, linens,  
games, books,  
household items,  
craft supplies, you  
name it!!!**

**Please ensure  
items are in good  
condition, clean  
and in working  
order.**

**Drop off: Thurs.  
Sept 19<sup>th</sup> 2-7 p.m.  
& Fri. Sept 20<sup>th</sup>  
9 a.m. - noon**

**Sale Friday and  
Saturday**

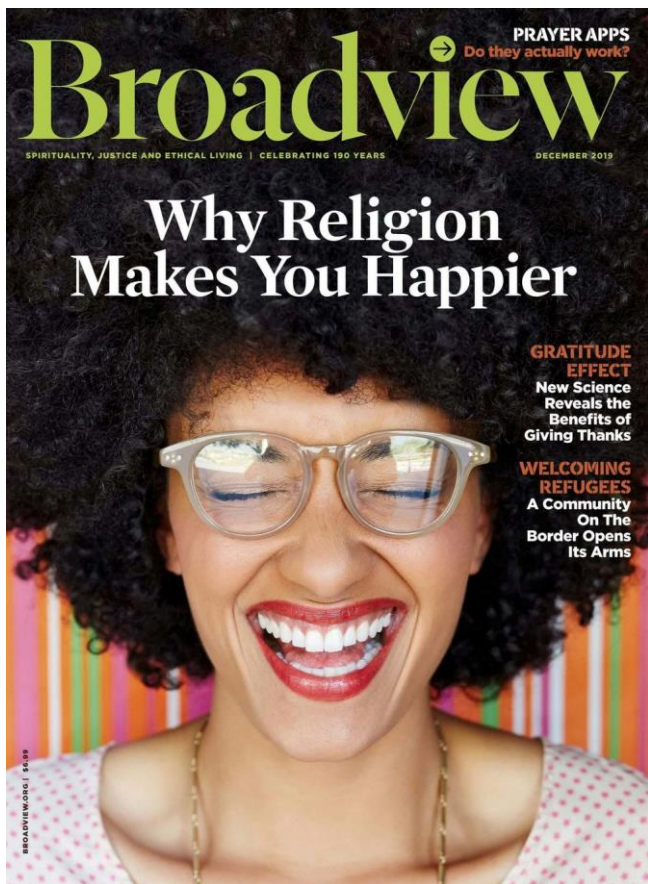
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## SUBSCRIBE TO BROADVIEW (formerly The Observer)

*Founded in 1829, Broadview is the oldest continuously published magazine in North America and the second oldest in the English-speaking world. It has won international acclaim for journalistic excellence and garnered more editorial awards than any other faith-based publication in Canada.*



delivered to your home by mail.

**\*If you're writing a cheque, make it payable to the Kincardine United Church and put "Broadview" in the memo of the cheque.**

E-mails are being sent to current Broadview subscribers. Anyone can place an order. **Cost is \$25** if you order with our group. Please **put your payment on the plate by Sept. 29th**, – and be sure to include a note with your full name, address and phone number, and **indicate that the money is for Broadview!** Or, you can contact Sarah in the office by **Tuesday October 1st** with your payment if you would like to get this publication



**UCW LIGHTHOUSE MEETING**

The UCW Lighthouse group will be meeting in the Choir Room at 7 P.M. on Monday, September 16, when we will be discussing our own experiences of exclusion because of our gender as part of our ongoing educational efforts to enhance our church's work toward becoming a more inclusive and welcoming congregation. Please join us for study, fun and food.

**WEEKLY DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN & ANNOUNCEMENT INFORMATION  
IS TUESDAY AT 4 P.M.**

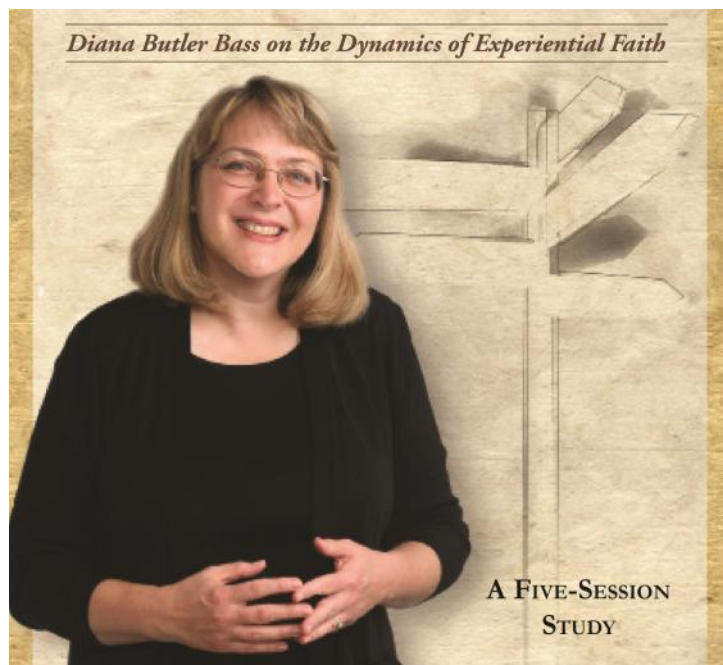
**QUESTERS**

Quester discussion group starts a new season on Thursday, September 19, from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Supper is provided.

This is an open-minded environment where participants not only interact with one another in exploring the best of today's theological thought, but together strive to explore what's next for Christianity. Each session approaches a new topic. The topic for this session is "Restoring Relationships".

**EMBRACING SPIRITUAL AWAKENING**

Best-selling author, speaker, scholar and "cultural observer," Diana Butler Bass explores what Christianity may look like "beyond religion and beyond church." In this engaging and provocative five-session study, Diana leads a small group of diverse adults, young adults and youth in a fascinating discussion of how, both culturally and spiritually, we are in the midst of another of history's "great awakenings." Each session includes a 10-15 minute DVD presentation by Diana Butler Bass, followed by a 10-15 minute filmed interaction with the small group described above. No previous experience is needed. Sign-up sheets are available in the Fellowship Hall. Two times are available and interchangeable.



**Wednesdays in the Choir Room from either 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on October 16<sup>th</sup> ("Waking Up"), 23<sup>rd</sup> ("Believing"), 30<sup>th</sup> ("Behaving"), November 6<sup>th</sup> ("Belonging") and 13<sup>th</sup> ("Awakening").** Join us for this engaging study.

## MARC PIERRE TOTH, CONCERT PIANIST



Friday October 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.  
in the Kincardine United Church  
Sanctuary

**MARC PIERRE TOTH** is back by popular demand Friday October 4, at the Kincardine United Church, to continue his Beethoven Cycle.

As he travels on his 2019 Canadian Tour, he will bring his exciting concert “BEETHOVEN SONATA REVOLUTION” to Kincardine, featuring Sonatas Op.13 *Pathetique* and Op. 106 *Hammerklavier* plus many more!

Why do so many people return every year to attend Marc’s performances? Not only is he a fabulous concert pianist, but he explains the music and describes the lives and histories of the times in a knowledgeable and witty manner. He brings audiences closer to Great Classical Music in at least 5 languages to date, and has performed in more than 30 countries.

Currently on Faculty at the Dr Hochs Conservatory in Frankfurt, Germany, and the Accademia del Ridotto in Stradella, Italy, he holds multiple degrees from the University of Toronto, the Royal Conservatory, and the Hannover Hochschule among others.

Marc has appeared with diverse orchestras and in recitals as a soloist and chamber musician in both North and South America, Japan and Europe and has recently been invited to Germany, Italy and Russia, Thailand, Japan and China. He has also served as guest professor and lecturer for master-classes at Universities in Canada, China, South America and Europe.

*... a brilliant Soloist !...–Neue Westfälische Zeitung, Germany*

*Definitely a performance that one does not hear every day...Full respect.*

– Mindener Tageblatt, Germany

Don’t miss this opportunity to hear this amazing musician and lecturer!

### **Tickets \$25**

Available through the Box Office, Harbour Rose Boutique and Quinn Florist, Kincardine; Ralph’s Hi-Way Shopette, Port Elgin; online at Ticketscene [here](#); and at the door. Age 16 and younger free!



# ARIA 21 GIVES THANKS

Join us for our concert about Fall, Family,  
Faith and Thanksgiving



Christina Edwards, Piano,  
Liz Coates and  
Meghan De Jager, Sopranos

Saturday, October 5th, 2019 | 7pm  
Kincardine United Church

**ADMISSION BY DONATION, RECEPTION TO FOLLOW**



### WE NEED YARDS TO CLEAN

Do you have a yard that will need leaves and stray branches picked up this fall – especially when you can't do it anymore? Do you wish there was a group of youth willing to do it for you – FREE? On **Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup> between 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.**, volunteers from the Big Brothers and Big Sisters will be available for that purpose for up to four small- to medium-sized properties. Properties will be scheduled on a first-come, first served basis, so contact Gord Dunbar ([gord.kuc@bmts.com](mailto:gord.kuc@bmts.com) or at 519-396-2391 ext. 2) to get on the list. **As well, we need four adult volunteers who have current Police Record Checks to accompany each group.** Contact Gord to volunteer for that as well. Thank you to Big Sisters and Big Brothers for leaving us the opportunity to be served as we branch out into the community.



### WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

Jessie and Don Doupe are now at #18 855 Princes St. N., Kincardine N2Z 1Z2

Mary Wilkinson is at "R" Villa in Ripley, Room 17.

Jessie Clark is now living at Malcolm Place, 255 Durham Street, Kincardine. Her phone number is the same.



**DATE: OCTOBER 14, 2019**  
**SOCIAL TIME: 5:30 pm, DINNER: 6:00 pm**

Each month Kincardine United Church hosts a Loaves and Fishes Potluck Dinner inviting everyone to come and share friendship, laughter and food. As those who attend know, there is always a large variety of food and more than enough to feed all who come to our table.

**We invite everyone to come to our Loaves and Fishes dinner – bringing friends, family, neighbours and what you are able for food. If you are not able to bring something we also welcome you at our table.** If you are unable to carry your dish into the Friendship Hall there will be a cart at the side entrance you can put it on and we will bring it down. If you need assistance carrying it from your car just let us know and we will bring it in for you.

*Future Dates: October 14, November 11, & December 9*





The Grief Recovery Method<sup>®</sup>

## Grief Recovery Group

The Action Program for Moving Beyond Death and Other Losses

### 8 WEEKS THAT WILL CHANGE YOUR LIFE

Myths about Grief:

- "Time heals all wounds"
- "Replace the loss"
- "Grieve alone"
- "Be strong for others"
- "Bury your feelings"

Your feelings are normal and natural. The problem is that we have been socialized to believe that these feelings are abnormal and unnatural.

**Whether your loss is recent or is in the past, recovery IS possible.**

People say you have to let go and move on in your life, but they don't tell you what you need to do to accomplish that. The Grief Recovery Group not only makes that possible, but provides partnerships and guidance to ensure that it happens.

**Three Locations to Choose From:**

Kincardine	8-session program begins:	Monday, September 30 6:00pm-8:00pm
Lucknow	8-session program begins:	Tuesday, October 1 1:00pm-3:00pm
Port Elgin	8-session program begins:	Friday, October 4 10:00am-12:00pm

**To register or for further information, call 519-385-5683 or email [cathy@huronshoreshospice.ca](mailto:cathy@huronshoreshospice.ca)**

**Our Grief Recovery Specialists:**

- Liz Dillman • Certified Grief Recovery Specialist<sup>®</sup>
- Maryellen Pollard • Certified Grief Recovery Specialist<sup>®</sup>
- Sher Brown • Certified Grief Recovery Specialist<sup>®</sup>

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**NAME TAGS**

KUC is offering name tags. They are magnetic, have your first and last names on them and are \$5. These name tags are your property and will be yours to keep. Please email Liz Dillman [dillman.l@bmts.com](mailto:dillman.l@bmts.com) if you would like one. There are also sign up sheets at back of the Sanctuary by the coffee.

**ARE YOU WEARING YOUR NAME TAG?**

Neglected your Name tag? We'd love you to wear your name tag! It helps us get to know one another, in service and fellowship time. If you need a name tag made for you, sign the notebook on the table at the back of the church. When you leave church, please put your tag back on the name tag board, or leave it in the name tag boxes (Narthex and Fellowship Hall)

--- our helpful Tag Team Volunteers will get it back on the board for you.

**MINUTE FOR MISSION****September 15, 2019****Spiritual Support for Students**

A row of old houses on Rue MacKay in Montreal, Quebec, is part of student life at Concordia University. One is home to the Concordia Multi-Faith and Spirituality Centre. The Rev. Ellie Hummel is the United Church chaplain on staff at the centre, and she works with chaplains from the Baha'i, Muslim, Sikh, Pagan, Buddhist, and Jewish communities as well as various Christian denominations.

The centre is a safe space for students to talk one-on-one with chaplains, share meals with fellow students, work together on service projects, and hang out during exam time. It holds a drop-in conversation group called Spirituali-TEA each week. In June 2017, the centre celebrated the completion of a mural by fine arts student Laura Douglas, who explored the relationship between people and the environment. Like the centre itself, the mural is a beautiful expression of that exploration. Concordia Multi-Faith and Spirituality Centre offers students a place to explore and question faith, and a safe space to make a difference and simply be. Its service projects include helping with a community garden in the downtown core of Montreal.

If Mission & Service giving is already a regular part of your life, thank you so much! If you have not given, please join me in making Mission & Service giving a regular part of your life of faith. Loving our neighbour is at the heart of our Mission & Service.