

## 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 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

EVENT/MEETING	DATE & TIME	LOCATION*
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
Craft, Conversation & Coffee	Sept. 24 <sup>th</sup> , 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	F. Hall/kitchen
Trustees	Sept. 24 <sup>th</sup> , 1:30 -3:30 p.m.	Res. room
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
Loaves and Fishes potluck	Oct. 5 <sup>th</sup> , 7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary
	Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup> , doors open 5:30 p.m.	F. Hall

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



### 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.

### TRUSTEE MEETING

A meeting of the Trustees will be held on **September 26th. at 9:30 am** in the Resource Room. All members and adherents are welcome to attend. Should there be any matters to be brought to the attention of the Trustees, I would respectfully request that they be forwarded to myself prior to the meeting at [inance@bmts.com](mailto:inance@bmts.com) -Jack Nancekivell



**GORD'S OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF SEPT. 23rd**

**TBA**

**PROGRAMME CALENDAR**

**SUNDAY, Sept. 22nd** 7:00 PM Taizé Service

**SUNDAY, Sept. 29th** 10:30 AM Creation Time 4  
Worship: Emily Perry

**SUNDAY, Oct. 5th** 10:30 AM Blessing of the Animals Service  
Worship: Gord Dunbar  
Meditation: "Living as Weeds – Hoe, Hoe, Hoe"

**FESTIVE GIFT & GOODIE SALE REMINDER ...**



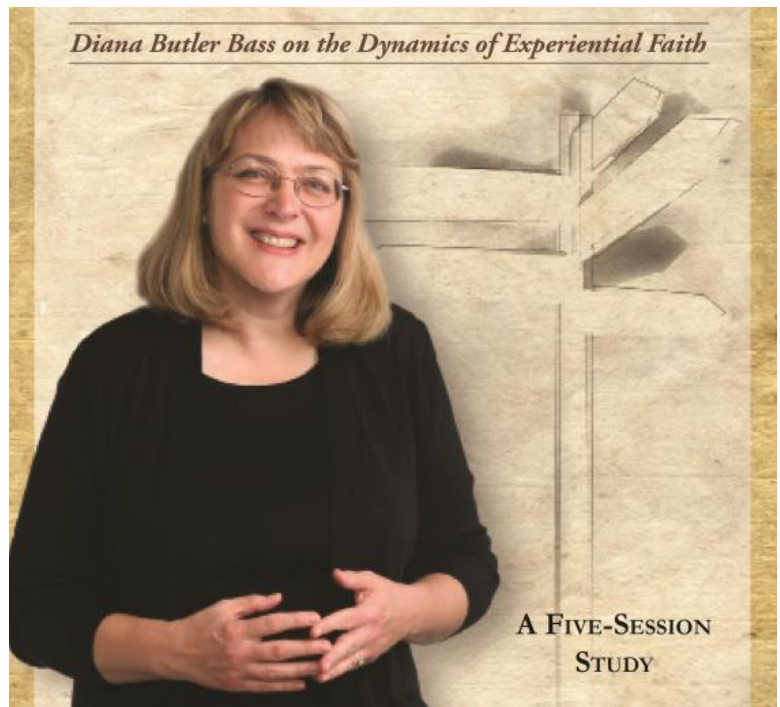
Our annual Festive Gift and Goodie Sale will be held on Saturday, November 16th at the Presbyterian Church. We will also be baking shortbread again this year. Please remember to save small cookie tins. We would encourage people to make a few extra jars of jams, pickles etc. for the sale.



Watch for further announcements in the bulletin.

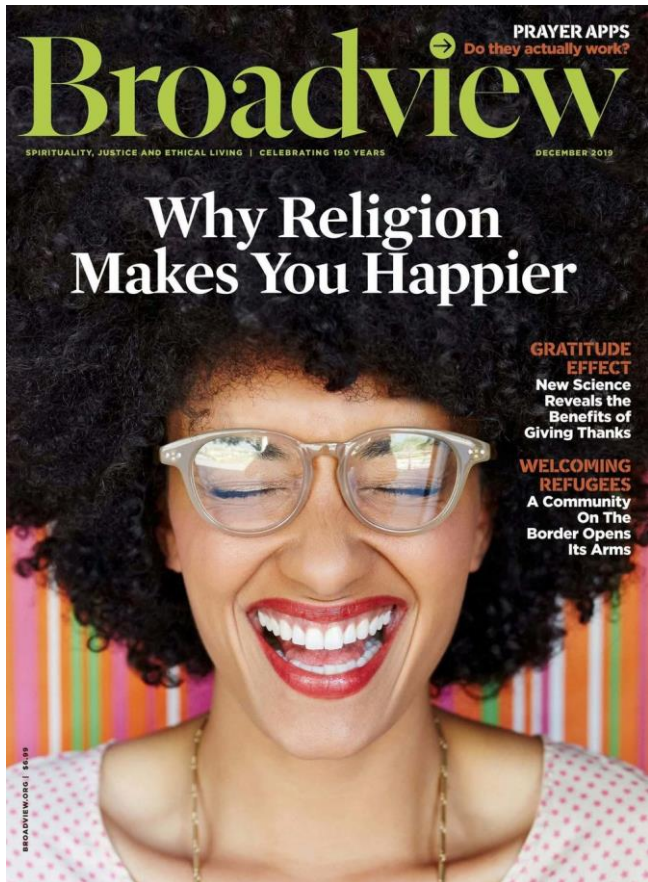
**EMBRACING SPIRITUAL AWAKENING**

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") \*\*2-3:30 pm group will meet in the Resource room on Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>. Join us for this engaging study.**



# 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.*



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 delivered to your home by mail.

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

**\*If**





## 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**

## UNITED CHURCH FEDERAL ELECTION RESOURCES



**Your Vote  
Our Future**

The federal election campaign has begun. Now political candidates will seek your vote, offering a vision of how they believe Canada should best operate. We, as people of faith, can bring God's vision of the fullness of life into the conversation, setting an agenda for the election campaign and for the resulting government. We, as disciples of the

Way of Jesus, are invited to live out our faith by engaging the upcoming election process with our vote, exploring those issues about which we care about most deeply.

The United Church of Canada is offering examples of how to talk about those issues with political candidates. Note that these resources are not in any way suggesting one political party or one candidate is the "right" one. Instead, the resources provided offer a way to explore what each candidate is promoting. It is a way to open the conversation which challenges candidates to be their best selves as we answer God's call in this moment. Some of the topics covered include organising an all-candidates meeting, political activity guidelines and questions addressing topics of climate justice, conversion therapy, disability issues, health care, housing and homelessness, indigenous justice, mining justice, peace building, poverty elimination, refugees and working with dignity. Those resources are found at: <https://www.united-church.ca/community-faith/get-involved/faith-and-politics>

### HURRICANE DORIAN RELIEF



Hurricane Dorian, a powerful category 5 hurricane, landed in the Bahamas in early September 2019 and left a trail of destruction. The slow-moving storm destroyed thousands of homes and left approximately 60,000 people without shelter.

As the scale of the destruction unfolds, The United Church of Canada is accepting funds to help with relief and reconstruction efforts, working with global partners the Methodist Church in the Caribbean and the Americas (MCCA) and ACT Alliance (ACT). ACT's regional office in

El Salvador is mobilizing a rapid assessment team in the Bahamas to assess humanitarian needs. Please include the people of the Bahamas [in your prayers](#) as they face the long and difficult journey from emergency response to reconstruction and recovery.

#### Donate Now

**Online** via our [secure donation page](#).

**Phone** 416-231-5931 or toll-free 1-800-268-3781 ext. 2738 and use your Visa or MasterCard.

**Send a cheque**, money order, or Visa or MasterCard information with donation amount to: The United Church of Canada, Philanthropy Unit - Emergency Response 3250 Bloor Street West, Suite 200, Toronto, ON M8X 2Y4 Please be sure to note "Emergency Response—Caribbean Relief (Dorian)" on the face of your cheque.

*Note: As part of the United Church's Emergency Response Fund, 100% of your donation goes directly to emergency relief with 85% of your donation responding to this designated emergency and 15% responding to future emergencies that do not receive intense media coverage. Donations to Mission & Service enable the United Church to cover all of the costs of emergency response work without deducting any fees from your donation.*



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

### CRAFTS, CONVERSATION & COFFEE



Come to the Resource room on the **last Tuesday of every month at 1:30 p.m.** for coffee in the resource room. We will gather together bringing our knitting, crocheting, embroidery, other craft or no craft at all and spend some time in good conversation.



### 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.

## 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.



**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®

## 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®
- Maryellen Pollard • Certified Grief Recovery Specialist®
- Sher Brown • Certified Grief Recovery Specialist®

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MINUTE FOR MISSION

September 22, 2019

## KidZone!

Our gifts for Mission & Service support programs for children and families living in community housing areas like Ardglen in Brampton, Ontario.

The Journey Neighbourhood Centre looks like every other store in the strip mall where it is located, but once you enter, you encounter a different world—one filled with art, laughing children, enthusiastic volunteers, and interns from the Social Work program at Ryerson University. One of these interns is Maria, who came to Toronto as a teen from Colombia to live with her father.

“At first, I didn’t like it here,” says Maria, sitting at the table preparing snacks for the children who would be arriving from school to participate in the KidZone program. “Over time I have come to really love this country, and I wanted to do something to make a difference in the world. That is why I chose social work.” Maria and the other interns speak passionately about the centre and the children who come through the door. “They are just wonderful!” Maria exclaims.

Your gifts offer children and families in community housing a place to come to share in food and fun.

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.