

Kincardine United Church
2nd Sunday after Epiphany
January 19th, 2025 11:00 a.m.

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PRELUDE How Brightly Beams the Morning Star Johann Pachelbel

WELCOME

ACKNOWLEDGING THE TERRITORY

For thousands of years, First Nations people have walked on this land.
Their relationship with the land is at the centre of their lives and of their spirituality.

We begin our worship this morning

by acknowledging the traditional territory of the Saugeen Ojibwe.

We are all Treaty people, parties to Crown Treaty 45 ½ in 1836.

**Keep us mindful of the covenants that have been made – and broken –
with First Nations peoples.**

**May we grow into living with respect on this land,
walking into reconciliation through peace and friendship,
while honouring all who live, work and worship on it.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST

May the peace of Christ be with you all

And also with you

MUSICAL INTROIT From Heaven Above to Earth I Come J.S. Bach

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN VU #357 – Tell Me the Stories of Jesus

CHILDREN'S TIME – The Very First Easter

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses

as we forgive those who trespass against us,

and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever.

Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

BIBLE READINGS

Matthew 20:20-28

1 Timothy 2:5

1 Peter 2:23-25

DOXOLOGY #321 (*verse 4*) *“Maker in Whom We Live”*
Eternal Triune God, let all the hosts above,
let all on earth below, record and dwell upon your love.
When heaven and earth have fled before your glorious face,
may all the saints your love has made sing everlasting praise.

HYMN VU #567 – Will you come and follow me

MEDITATION – “Why did Jesus Have to Die?”

ANTHEM MV #180 Sing, Sing Out!

COMMUNITY OFFERING AND PRAYERS

HYMN VU #509 – Here I am Lord (I The lord of sea and sky)

BENEDICTION

SONG OF COMMITMENT VU #37 “Gloria”

Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo!

Gloria, gloria, alleluia, alleluia.

POSTLUDE We Christians Can Now Be Joyful J.S. Bach