



**Kincardine United Church  
Pentecost 8  
July 30, 2017 10:30 a.m.**

Welcome. You bless us with your presence. If you are a first time worshipper, please sign our guest register at the front entrance of the church.

Thank you for turning off your cell phones and for refraining from flash photography. Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the downstairs hall following the service.

**Bold print invites you to say the words.** \*invites you to stand as you are able.

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**PRELUDE** Paperless music

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**GOD GATHERS US**

**MUSICAL INTROIT** Dearest Jesus

*J.G. Walther*

**LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP AND PRAYER OF APPROACH** *(based on Psalm 105:1-5)*

Come on in and give thanks to God whose name is Love.

**We come to testify to God's grace as a shower of abundance.**

Come on in when your spirits need lifting, when life is challenging and complicated.

**We come to sing our praises to God as we are constantly blessed.**

Come on in when you are seeking healing and don't know where to turn.

**We come to recognise – with celebration – God's embrace in our living.**

Come on in and worship God as we pray:

**Loving God, we come:**

**as those who are part of your promise and your covenant;**

**as those who live into your loving with fear and trembling;**

**as those who too often feel alone and lonely, yet who trust you;**

**as those who see too much injustice, so yearn for your strength;**

as those who come in faith and hope for wisdom and insight.  
Touch us this morning, we pray. Amen.

**\*VOICES UNITED #374** Come and Find the Quiet Centre

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Our lives are certainly crowded and chaotic, O God,  
and our eyes cluttered by little things that don't really matter.  
In the midst of our brokenness and within our hidden pain,  
give us the gift of silence to commune heart to heart with you.  
We come in confession in the quiet centre of prayer, that we may be freed.  
(Silent Prayer)

SOLO Flying Free

*Don Besig*

### ASSURANCE OF GRACE

### SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

SHARING TIME "God Believes in You" by Holly Bea

### 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.

SOLO His Eye is on the Sparrow

*C. H. Gabriel*

## GOD SPEAKS TO US IN WORD

BIBLE READING Matthew 13:44-46 in the New Testament page 15

**\*MORE VOICES #154** Deep in Our Hearts

BIBLE READING Genesis 29:15-30 in the Old Testament page 26

### GLORIA

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,  
as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen.

MEDITATION Family Values?

## GOD INVITES US TO RESPOND

SOLO I See the Love of God

*David Ouchterlony*

### COMMUNITY PRAYERS

OFFERING INVITATION AND OFFERTORY Martial Air

*Purcell*

### OFFERTORY HYMN

What can I do? What can I bring?  
What can I say? What can I sing?  
I'll sing with joy. I'll say a prayer.

I'll bring my love. I'll do my share.

**OFFERING PRAYER**

\***VOICES UNITED #299** Teach Me, God, to Wonder

**BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

**POSTLUDE** The Prince of Denmark's March

*J. Clarke*

**AV MINISTRY TEAM** 📺 Thank you

**COUNTERS** 💰 Jack & Karen Nancekivell

**JULY HOUSE LEADERS** 🏠 Rad & Debbie Michielson

**MUSIC** 🎵 David Hamilton, Susan Ryman

**NURSERY ATTENDANT** ♦ Bonnie Cole

**SCRIPTURE READER** 📖 Rad Michielson

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER** ✍️ Jackie Clements

**WORSHIP** 🕊️ Rev. Gord Dunbar

