



Kincardine United Church
Father's Day
June 17, 2018 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 in the bulletin invites you to say the words.

*An asterisk in the bulletin indicates you may sit or stand.

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PRELUDE

Dearest Jesus

J.S. Bach

WELCOME, ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE LAND AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

GOD GATHERS US

MUSICAL INTROIT Dearest Jesus

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LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PRAYER OF APPROACH

Like a father running out to embrace his prodigal son with joy and with welcome,
we come to be embraced while snuggling into love unfettered.

Like a man seeking out Jesus that his daughter might be healed and made whole,
we come hoping for healing as we grow toward Christ's light.

As we come, relishing God's fatherly love, we pray:

Father, God, your enfolding arms become our safe place of healing.

**You passionately teach us about living in wholeness and in compassion –
 lessons we remember through your still, small voice.**

**Open us to your unconditional love this morning, we pray,
 that we take up your vision for a world which is heaven on earth. Amen.**

***VOICES UNITED 402 We Are One**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

Every day we primp and preen,
 preparing to reveal to the world our "best" selves.

Many are the times when we worry that some flaw in our outward image
 will reveal something less polished to others.

Rarely do we dare to reveal our true, inner selves.

Now, in this moment, we remove the outward façade,
 opening all of ourselves to you in anticipation of your grace filled touch.

(Silent Prayer)

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

SHARING TIME Growing Seeds – Huh?

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.

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN WORD**BIBLE READING** 1st Samuel 15:44-16:13 from the paraphrase *The Message****MORE VOICES 79** Spirit, Open My Heart**BIBLE READING** Mark 4:26-34 in the New Testament on page 38**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** "King or Servant"**GOD INVITES US TO RESPOND****ANTHEM** He is my Joy*John Carter***COMMUNITY PRAYERS****OFFERING INVITATION*****OFFERING PRAYER****Bless these gifts, O God, for they are a part of your story.
These gifts represent our reaching out into the world,
to tell your story in loving-kindness,
to tell your story in giving of ourselves,
to tell your story in the ways we live for you.
Bless us in our giving, that we may live the story. Amen.*****VOICES UNITED 589** Lord Speak to Me***BENEDICTION AND THREE-FOLD AMEN****POSTLUDE** Fugue in C major (The Fanfare)*J.S. Bach*

AV MINISTRY TEAM 🗣️	Jim Zarubick, Mary Phillips
COUNTERS 💰	Bernd and Ursula Portz
JUNE HOUSE LEADER 🏠	Sheila Bauer
MUSIC 🎵	David Hamilton, KUC Choir
NURSERY ATTENDANT ♠️	Angela Hazlewood
SCRIPTURE READER 📖	Bev McLelland
SLIDE PRESENTATION ♠️	Sarah MacKenzie
SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER ♠️	Krista Ritchie
WORSHIP 🕊️	Gord Dunbar