



**Kincardine United Church**  
**21st Sunday after Pentecost**  
**October 14, 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** Ode To Joy  
A Hanover Prelude  
Hymne  
This Little Light Of Mine  
I Asked The Lord  
A Shaker Hymn

*all performed by K.U.C.I.E.*

**WELCOME**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE LAND**

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 unceded territory of the Chippewas of Nawash First Nation,  
the Saugeen Ojibwe and, more recently, the Saugeen Metis.**

We are all Treaty people,

parties to the Upper Canada, Haldimand, Huron and Niagara Treaties.

**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  
with all who live and work and worship on it.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

#### **GOD GATHERS US**

**INTROIT**      Thou Art Worthy

*performed by K.U.C.I.E.*

### **LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE**

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP AND PRAYER OF APPROACH**

*from ministrymatters.com*

God has called all people to lives of hope and service.

**We want to serve God, but sometimes life gets to be too difficult for us.**

Place your trust in God's power and love.

**God understands our needs, our sorrows, and our joys.**

Come, let us worship God who is with us always.

**Praise God for God's eternal presence.**

Let us pray:

**Lord, you have called us here this day for healing, hope, and transformation. As we listen to the Scripture, pray our prayers, sing our hymns, and hear the words of wisdom, open our hearts to hear your claim on our lives; that we may fully and joyfully serve you. Amen.**

**\*VOICES UNITED 409**      Morning Has Broken

#### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)**

*Merciful God,*

**We have so much and want so much more.**

**Rather than striving to serve you more faithfully,**

**we strive to gather more and more possessions.**

**Forgive our materialism. Forgive us for not caring for others.**

**Open our hearts to know that the riches of the kingdom are in service to you. Help us to understand the call you have given us - to service,**

**and having heard and understood that call,**

**may we be about the work of the kingdom.**

**We offer this prayer in Jesus' Name. Amen.**

*(Silent Prayer)*

#### **ASSURANCE OF GRACE**

Jesus understands our cries and our weakness.

He forgives and heals our souls.

**In the name of Jesus Christ we are healed and transformed. Amen.**

**SHARING TIME**      Treasure Hunt

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** *(say together)*

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**

**\*VOICES UNITED** 264 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

**BIBLE READING** Mark 10: 17-31 "The Rich Man"  
 New Testament page 46 in pew bible

**DOXOLOGY** VU 217 All Creatures of Our God and King (verse 5)

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship God in humbleness:  
 sing praises, hallelujah!

Praise God eternal, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, three in one:  
 sing praises, sing praises, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah!

**MEDITATION** "On Your Mark, Get Set – Go!"

**GOD INVITES US TO RESPOND**

**ANTHEM** Come Build a Church

*Medma*

**COMMUNITY PRAYERS**

**OFFERING INVITATION** Stewardship .... *Teresa Perfrement*

**OFFERING PRAYER (in unison)**

*God of grace,*

we hear your call to generous giving

in the way you meet our needs each day.

Having received so much, we offer what we have:

our time, talents and treasure for your kingdom.

Bless these gifts for the work of your church. Amen.

**\*VOICES UNITED** 642 "Be Thou My Vision"

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\* SONG OF COMMITMENT** 145 MV Draw the Circle Wide

Draw the circle wide. Draw it wider still. Let this be our song,  
 no one stands alone, standing side by side, draw the circle wide.

Let our hearts touch far horizons, so encompass great and small;  
 let our loving know no borders, faithful to God's call.

Draw the circle wide. Draw it wider still. Let this be our song,  
 no one stands alone, standing side by side, draw the circle wide.

**POSTLUDE** Somerset March

*performed by K.U.C.I.E.*