

KNOX FLOS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcomes you to Worship

*Please stand if you are able.

AUG. 25, 2019

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE ENTER INTO GOD'S PRESENCE

INVITATION TO WORSHIP:

Psalm 68:4,5

Leader: Sing to God,

People: sing praises to his name;

Leader: lift up a song to him who rides through the deserts;

People: his name is the Lord

Leader: exult before him!

People: Father of the fatherless

Leader: and protector of widows

People: is God in his holy habitation

***HYMN:** 407 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven

PRAYER OF APPROACH & CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS & PEACE:

People: May our Almighty God grant us pardon and forgiveness of our sins, time to change our life and the grace, comfort and peace of the Holy Spirit.

(offering words of peace and right hand of fellowship)

CHILDREN'S PRAISE SONG: 647 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us

CHILDREN'S TIME:

GOD'S WORD FOR US

SCRIPTURES: Carolyn Hill

Romans 8:1-17

(Pages 157,1768)

L. This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON: Sermon text is Romans 8 *(Rev. Martyn Van Essen)*

HYMN: Behold the amazing gift of love (#224 '72 Book of Praise)

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING: *We give thee but thine own
Doxology #661 what- e'er the gift may be;
all that we have is thine alone,
a trust, O Lord, from thee*

PRESENTATION & PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN: 461 Be thou my vision

GOD SENDS US OUT INTO THE WORLD

***BENEDICTION & BLESSING**

Go Now in Peace

*Go now in peace. Never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of every day
Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true
Know he will guide you in all you do
Go now in love, and show you believe
Reach out to others so all the world can see
God will be there, watching from above
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love*

We extend a warm welcome to everyone today. Thank you to Rev. Martyn Van Essen for taking our service.

Minister for Sun. Aug. 18 – Sept. 8: Rev. Martyn Van Essen

Martyn grew up the son of a pastor in the Reformed Church in America. Being a PK (preacher's kid), Martyn vowed never to become a minister himself, but God had other plans. And so it was that Martyn attended the University of Toronto studying the Ancient Near East, particularly focusing on Hebrew (a personal passion of his), Greek and Aramaic, and then Western Theological Seminary in Holland, Michigan. Martyn graduated from WTS in 1988 and was ordained and installed as pastor the same year in Bethel Reformed Church (RCA) in Brantford, Ontario. In 1998 he joined the Presbyterian Church in Canada and was inducted in the Tatamagouche Pastoral Charge in Nova Scotia. At present, Martyn is the chaplain at Tollendale Village in Barrie, a Christian independent living retirement community. Martyn is married to his wife, Mary, and together they have four grown children, and two grandchildren.

Sat. Aug. 31 11:30 a.m.-1p.m. **ANNUAL BBQ & CORN ROAST**
“All you can eat for \$10” at Elmvale Presbyterian Church. There is also to be a garage sale. The congregation is invited to contribute items from their home that are in good condition. All proceeds will go to the Building Fund for the Elmvale & District Food Bank.

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