

KNOX FLOS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcomes you to Worship

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

NOV. 24, 2019

*Please stand if you are able.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE ENTER INTO GOD'S PRESENCE

INVITATION TO WORSHIP:

Lift up your head, O gates!

**And be lifted up, O ancient doors,
That the King of glory my come in.**

Who is this King of glory?

**The LORD, strong and mighty,
the LORD, mighty in battle!**

Lift up your heads, O gates!

**And lift them up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in.**

Who is this King of glory?

**The LORD of hosts,
he is the King of glory! (Psalm 24:7-10)**

*HYMN: 274 Crown him with many crowns

PRAYER OF APPROACH AND CONFESSION:

This we ask as we pray...*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.*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON & PEACE:

(offering words of peace and right hand of fellowship)

CHILDREN'S PRAISE SONGS: 266 King of Kings
268 All hail King Jesus

CHILDREN'S TIME:



GOD'S WORD FOR US

SCRIPTURES: Diane Pinder

Revelation 1:1-20

(Pages 245,1921)

L. This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON: *Rev. Martyn Van Essen*

*HYMN: 267 Rejoice, the Lord is King

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING: *Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Doxology #79 praise him, all creatures here below:
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

***PRESENTATION & PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

*HYMN: Oh Worship the King

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.

November 24: Making connections and finding community

For many years, Erskine Presbyterian Church in Hamilton, Ont., has been a congregation that deeply loves both Jesus and their neighbourhood, a church where the gospel is preached in word and action each week. Now Erskine has a vision to become a beacon for health and wholeness in the community—a “Neighborhood Wellness Hub” where individuals and families can connect with services and groups that will lead them to greater wellness. Already partnerships are forming—with youth shelters, food banks, government agencies and other local churches—that will enable Erskine to offer new services to neighbours and to foster connection, community and well-being.

Presbyterians Sharing is bringing people together

CHURCH EVENTS THIS WEEK

Tue. Nov. 26 10 a.m. **Bible Study** resumes at Elmvale Presbyterian Church. In Advent 2019, Presbyterians across the country are invited to join a denomination-wide exploration of Walter Brueggemann’s daily devotional **Celebrating Abundance**. Together we will journey through Advent reflecting on themes of God’s abundance as revealed through the small details of faith stories—a cry in the wilderness, a teenage mother, a worn down stable and a promise of a new day. If you are interested, please speak with Cathy Finlay for further details (705-322-9361)

Wed. Nov. 27 1:30 -3:30 p.m. **Rev. Jim Young**, our Interim Moderator, will be in the minister’s study and welcomes anyone to drop in.

Thur. Nov. 21 9:30 -11 a.m. **Willing Worker’s Coffee Party**
6 p.m. **G.A.S. (Elmvale)**
8 p.m. **Christmas Cantata**

Sat. Nov. 30 7 p.m. **G.A.S.** will be presenting their Christmas Pageant “**Dr. Newhart’s Christmas Cure**” at Elmvale Presbyterian Church.

Sun. Dec. 1 9:45 a.m. Rev. Lois Lyons
First Sunday in Advent & Communion

UPCOMING CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sun. Dec. 8 (after church) **Congregational Meeting**

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Tonight 7 p.m. “**Dream a Dream**” – a Cantata for the Christmas Season at St. John’s United Church. This is a fundraising and awareness event to support the Canadian Foodgrains Bank.

Sun. Dec. 1 7 p.m. **Christmas Candlelight Comfort and Joy Memorial Service** at St. John’s United Church. This is sponsored by Lynn-Stone Funeral Home.

Sun. Dec. 15 7 p.m. **Christmas Cantata “Night of the Father’s Love”** presented by the choirs of Elmvale Presbyterian, St. John’s United and friends at Elmvale Presbyterian Church.

WEEKLY PRAYERS: Week by week we list two households from our mailing list. We would ask you to keep these people in your prayers. The names are in alphabetical rotation: **Elaine Tubman & Brian McInnis; Louise Wanless** and their families.

PRAYERS OF CONCERN are requested for those people known by the Minister or Church Secretary to be in Hospital or Nursing Homes. The help of the congregation is essential to keep the list up to date.
Sara Vista, Elmvale - Mabel Reynolds, Nancy McGrady & Stan McNutt
Serenity, Barrie - Muriel Patchell
Georgian Manor, Penetang - Edna Kerr
King Place, Midland - Violet Graham
The Villa, Midland (Rm. 316) - Bill Cox
Telfer Place, Paris - Nancy Hull
Roberta Place, Barrie - Louise Wanless & Ross Cole
Extendicare, Sudbury - Alma Faris
Royal Victoria Hospital, Barrie - Mary Anderson & Clarine Buchanan
Georgian Bay General Hospital, Midland - Stan Ritchie
At Home - Dolores Parker, Bill Murray, Wally Greenlaw, Jackie Ritchie, Bruce Ritchie, Ellen Furlong, Herb Ritchie, Patsy Graham, Walter Marshall, Norma Kirton, Brad McGrady, Marilyn Cole & Harvey Graham

Our sympathy is extended to **Lorraine Morgan and family** on the passing of her husband Gerald at Royal Victoria Hospital, Barrie on Wed. Nov. 20.

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