



## WELCOME TO KNOX CHURCH!



### If you are a visitor

and joining our service today, we invite you to fill out a blue welcome card found at the end of each pew to introduce yourself to us. You can either hand it to one of our greeters or place it in the collection plate.

### For parents with kids...

**Children up to and including 3 years of age** are cared for in the nursery in the upper room.

Caregivers: Janice Curling and Rebecca Legere

**Children 3 years of age & toilet-trained, up to and including the youth** (grades 6 to high school) may go downstairs to church school following Children's Time.



**Every Advent Sunday we will sing Christmas carols 10 minutes before the service starts. Come early and request your favourite Christmas songs from our hymn books.**

The 2018 Offering Envelopes are available in the Narthex. If you have any questions please contact Brian Earl at

**Christmas Eve Family Service (4:30pm):** Any children and youth who can play an instrument or sing are invited to share their musical talents during this family service. If interested, please speak to Leslie

**Ladies, you are invited to a Christmas Potluck Supper** on Monday December 4th at 6.00pm (TOMORROW) - Supper at 6.30. Bring a friend! A sign-up sheet is on the Bulletin Board. If you have any questions contact Janet Currier or Judy Hehn Hope to see you there

Ushers:	Kim Pratt and Darlene Price
Offering counters:	Liz Klassen and Gary Pluim
Coffee Hour:	Stacey Schlegel and Ellen Konrad

## The Gathering of the Faithful

Welcome & Announcements  
Advent Readings

### **Worship in Song**

*O Come all ye Faithful (Red#145 v 1,2)*

Prayer of Adoration  
Children's Time  
Lord's Prayer

### **Worship in Song**

*Change my Heart, O God*  
*We are Standing on Holy Ground*

Prayers of God's People

Our Offerings to the Lord

**Doxology:** Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
(Blue #830)

### To Hear God's Word

Scripture Readings: Luke 1:26-38 (p.991 )

**Special Music:** Choir – Will We Know Him?

Sermon: "I am the Lord's Servant"

### To Make Our Response

**Hymn:** See amid the winter's snow

Commissioning

Choral Benediction: Walk in the Light

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

### **Manotick Outreach**

Knox will be preparing Christmas baskets for a few disadvantaged families in our community. If you would like to donate an item, please pick up a note from the baskets in the foyer. You can choose food items and/or a gift for a family member. Items need be returned on or before December 17th. Any questions, please contact Marilyn or Brian Schacht A basket will be available in the foyer for donations



**Cornerstone Winter Wish List** – we will be accepting donations in support of Cornerstone Housing for Women. Please take a wish list card from the envelope on the bulletin board. There will be a decorated box in the Narthex from now to December 10<sup>th</sup> to receive donations. If you have any questions please contact Darlene

### ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS

Please keep in mind that election ballots are to be returned and placed in the sealed ballot box located in the narthex of the church no later than December 12 at 12:00 pm. All professing members should have picked up their election package at the Church or you may be receiving it in the mail this week. If you have not received your election package and ballot please contact the Church Office or Marianne Collin

### **Important Dates to Remember:**

Voting takes place -	Nov 12 to Dec 10, 2017
Ballots must be returned no later than	Dec 12, 2017 at 12:00 pm Eastern Time

**Men's Breakfast** – The next men's breakfast is Saturday, December 9th at 8:30 am. It will be held in the upstairs room at Miller's Oven (1137 Mill St.). Hope to see you there!



December to February Small Print "Our Daily Bread" are in  
Pick up your copy at the entrance to the Sanctuary



## Christmas at Knox

Invite your family and friends to join us for all our Christmas events.

**Sunday, Dec. 17**

Christmas Cantata at 10am  
Worship through songs and drama

**Sunday, Dec. 24 (Christmas Eve)**


**THERE WILL BE NO SERVICE IN THE MORNING.**  
Come instead to...

Family Christmas Eve Service at 4:30pm  
A fun and interactive service for families  
or

Candlelight Service at 7:30pm  
"The Holy Night"

**Monday, Dec. 25 (Christmas Day)**

Morning service at 10am  
"The Blessed Morn"



**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**Bible Lesson:** A Ruler from Bethlehem (Isaiah 9: 6-7)  
**Teachers:** Anne, Dan and Hubert

**Memory Verse:** For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the LORD Almighty will accomplish this

THERE IS *Nothing* TOO GREAT OR TOO SMALL  
**FOR PRAYER**

- Congregations in the Ottawa Presbytery
  - Members of the Canadian Armed Forces
  - The persecuted Church around the world
  - Our First Nations Communities
- Thursday Prayer Meeting - anyone who is available is invited to join us in prayer every Thursday in the choir room at 9:30am.

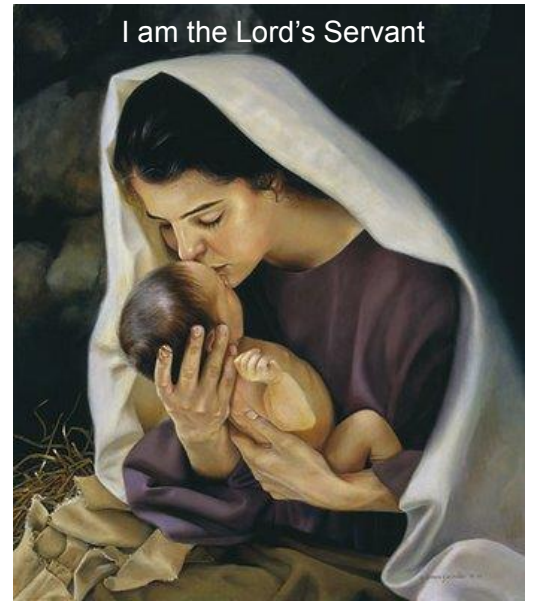
*Prayers for Melanie and Family - We send our prayers to Melanie Hayes and her family at this time. We've been praying for Melanie's sister Glenda for some time. Glenda passed away this week. May God give to the family His peace and comfort.*

### Winter storms:

In the event that our worship service is cancelled due to inclement weather, a notice will be placed on the church voice mail, website and church email. If you are unable to access any of these or would like to confirm the cancellation by phone



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## The Second Sunday in Advent - Peace Sunday, December 3, 2017

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

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