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# "To Share Christ with Others"

To be a church community where all are welcomed and included.

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Church Office Hours: Tues., Thurs., Fri., 9 am - 11:30am

#### **CALLED TO WORSHIP**

### **Call to Worship**

**Opening Hymns:** What a Beautiful Name

Lord I Need You

# **Prayers of Adoration, Confession, and Intercession**

# **Keep in Your Prayers this Week**

- For families who are grieving the loss of a youth, young adult or child.
- For Christians around the world who are the targets of discrimination, threats and harm due to their faith.

If you want the church to pray for you, your family, or a particular situation, email these details to <a href="mailto:pastorsteve@knoxmilton.com">pastorsteve@knoxmilton.com</a>

**Children's Song:** *I've Got Peace Like a River* 

**Announcements** 

**Invitation to Offering and Offertory Prayer** 

### **LISTEN TO THE WORD**

**Hymn #352** And Can it Be, that I Should Gain

**The Scripture Readings** 

Hebrews 13:1–6

Romans 8:18-39

Message

**Hymn #490** God of Grace and God of Glory

**Holy Communion** 

#### **SENT FORTH IN PRAISE**

**Commissioning and Benediction** 

#### **NOTES AND NOTICES**

# Finance and Maintenance Meeting: Monday @ 6:30pm

# Men's Tuesday morning Bible Study: Tuesday 9am

Men's Tuesday morning Bible Study runs this week from 9:00 am to 10:00 am. in the Lower Hall. We will be meeting every other Tuesday. We are looking at the Book of Romans with Video from 'Right Now' media.

## Midweek Bible Study: Tuesday @ 7pm

The midweek Bible study meets at Knox in the Lower Hall every first and third Tuesday. We will be starting a study on Jesus' Parables from Right Now Media. For more information or to join, please contact Maggie Luyckx.

Congregational Meeting + Lunch: Sunday 26th November There will be a Congregational Meeting + Lunch after the worship service where we consider the 2024 Operating Budget. Everyone is welcome to attend, even if you can't stay for the meeting, and the lunch + meeting will likely take about an hour. There will also be kid's activities available during the meeting.

A draft budget will be circulated via email and available after worship from Sunday the  $12^{th}$  of November.

Faith + Life Study Group - Friday, November 10 @ 7:30pm This is a bi-weekly, short term study group that offers study & discussion on issues of faith, life, history and the Bible. It is open to all ages. The fall Series is: "For the Love of God: How The Church Is Better + Worse Than You Ever Imagined"

The topic for November the 10th is "Power and Humility"

# **Volunteers needed: Hospitality Hour after Sunday Worship**Taking time to gather and talk after the service is an important

Taking time to gather and talk after the service is an important way for people to connect following Sunday Worship. Currently, we have a small number of people who look after this important ministry. If you are able to periodically help set out refreshments before the service, serve them to people, and clean up afterward, your assistance would be much appreciated.

A sign-up sheet with available dates is in the hall after the service.

#### **Membership Class & Welcome Service**

In a few weeks, we will formally welcome new members to the Knox family. This can include people who have transferred membership from another church or are becoming members at Knox for the first time.

We have a short video explaining more about membership in the Presbyterian Church in Canada here:

### https://youtu.be/Sg7m9x1K58Q

For new members, if you have been attending for a while and would like to formalize your membership, we would love to help you understand more about who we are and what we are about through a membership class.

The class will run weekly over four weeks, with three sessions being video calls and the last one being in-person. If you would like to participate in the new members class or transfer your membership to Knox, please contact Pastor Steve at pastorsteve@knoxmilton.com

# Walk to Bethlehem - 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> November

The Walk to Bethlehem is a production of the Christmas story where participants move through a number of locations where parts of the story are acted out. The event is hosted by the Coptic Orthodox Church in Milton, in partnership with Milton Churches, at the Milton Fairgrounds.

Knox has been asked whether we can provide some people to help act out two of the scenes for a few hours each day. (It doesn't need to be the same people for each day or timeslot) Scripts and costumes are provided.

If you are interested in participating, email pastorsteve@knoxmilton.com

# Please Keep Us Informed:

When your mailing address, telephone number or email address changes, please contact the church administrator so that we don't lose contact with you. The Church Administrator can be reached at (905) 878-6066 or <a href="mailto:knox@knoxmilton.com">knox@knoxmilton.com</a>