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OUR NINE MINISTRIES:

Worship and Arts: Barbara Nienaber Spiritual Formation: Jan du Monde

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Communications: Karen Mayner

Stewardship and Finance: Ashley McDonald Sacred Spaces: Margaret Warburton (interim)

Ministry and Personnel: Susan Zwick

(Ray Walker, Jeanette Mossing, Fred Nienaber, Nancy Douglas,

& Diane Korol)

Trustee: (Rotating Chair)

Growth & Sustainability: Vacant



KNOX UNITED CHURCH IN-PERSON & LIVE STREAM WORSHIP 10:00 am

October 27, 2024

345 Pym Street, Parksville, BC, V9P 1C8 (250) 248-3927 www.kucparksville.ca

Our Core Values are:

Compassion, Inclusion, Joy, and Spirituality Our Mission:

Guided by the creative Spirit of God, we are called to build community that cares, shares, and dares.

Rev. Jennifer Ferguson, *Minister* Jane Williams, *Administrator* Karen *Freeman, Facility Coordinator* Tony Nahon, *Live Streaming* Patricia Plumley, *Music Director* Leslie Hawley, *Visual Arts* Sandy Machan, *Tech* Sheila Little, *Reader*

Welcome to Worship at Knox! We extend a very warm welcome to all who are a part of our community of faith whether you are joining us in person or via live stream, whether you are visiting or seeking a new church home. May you receive what you need today and sense the presence of the Spirit of God moving among us. Our thanks to all those who are participating in today's service.



Getting On Board with Peace

In body or in spirit, please stand as you are able where indicated (*)

PRELUDE SOLO: Sydney Leask

One Tin Soldier w/m Lambert/Potter

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

WELCOME AND COMMUNITY TIME

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PEOPLE AND LANDS

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*HYMN: Common Thread 81AGCS

CENTERING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME:

*CHILDREN'S HYMN: He Came Singing Love

359VU

SCRIPTURE:

Ephesians 4:1-3, Psalm 34:14, Matthew 5:9

AND CONTEMPORARY READINGS

CHOIR ANTHEM: Where Have All the Flowers Gone?

w/m Pete Seeger

REFLECTION Peace Train Norma Emerson

*HYMN: Peace Train w/m Cat Stevens/Yusuf Islam

INVITATION TO GIVE

(presentation of gifts and treasure)

Grateful (chorus)

182MV

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The singing bowl invites us into prayer...

SUNG RESPONSE: Come and Fill 16MV

LORD'S PRAYER (sung) Common Cup

COMMUNITY SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

*HYMN: Put Peace into Each Other's Hands 173MV

BLESSING

CHORAL POSTLUDE: Blowing in the Wind

w/m Bob Dylan

SPECIAL THANKS

Thanks to Norma Emerson for sharing her reflection on peace and Sheila Little for accompanying us on the guitar.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY! WEEKLY OFFERING

There are so many ways we can contribute to the financial well-being of our faith community. If you can, we invite you to support the 9 Wholeness ministries of Knox through any of these avenues.

Through monthly pre-authorized remittance giving (PAR) arranged through envelope@kucparksville.ca, or envelopes of cash or a cheque placed in the basket before or after worship, outside the sanctuary, through e-transfers via acctg@kucparksville.ca, or through the "GIVING" tab on our website. All gifts are gratefully received, and tax receipts made available if we have your contact info.

WELCOME to LIVE-STREAMING WORSHIP!

The live stream will be available. directly through the

Knox United Church YouTube Channel