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OUR NINE MINISTRIES:

Worship and Arts: Barbara Nienaber
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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)



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

April 27, 2025

345 Pym Street, Parksville, BC, V9P 1C8
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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*
Barbara Nienaber, *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.



(Sketch of Jesus laughing by Willis Wheatley, titled "Jesus Christ, Liberator," one of four he sketched while working for the United Church of Canada in 1973).

**CAFÉ CHURCH
HOLY HUMOUR SUNDAY**

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

PRELUDE Knox Retro Ringers
All Glory Laud and Honour
Arr. Barbara Kinyon

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

WELCOME AND COMMUNITY TIME

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PEOPLE AND LANDS

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***HYMN: Make a Joyful Noise** 820VU

CENTERING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME:

***CHILDREN'S HYMN: In the Beginning** 74AGCS

SCRIPTURE: John 20:11-31

Knox Retro Ringers Time for Joy
Arr. Cynthia Dobrinski

REFLECTION: Time for Sharing Joy of Our Faith

HYMN: Give To Us Laughter 624VU

INVITATION TO GIVE
(presentation of gifts and treasure)
Grateful 182MV

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
The singing bowl invites us into prayer...
SUNG RESPONSE:

Joy Comes with the Dawn (chorus) 166VU

LORD'S PRAYER p. 916

COMMUNITY SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

HYMN: Sing a Happy Hallelujah 224VU

BLESSING

POSTLUDE Hymn of Promise Natalie Sleeth
Arr. Martha Lynn Thompson

SPECIAL THANKS TO KNOX RETRO RINGERS
FOR THEIR INSPIRING TONES!

CARING CIRCLE BRUNCH

Today in worship everyone will be sitting at tables with their caring circle and enjoying brunch together. If you don't have a circle, please see Sheila at the table in the hall and we will find you a place in a circle. There is always room for one more at the Table! Monetary donations are gratefully accepted for the catered lunch. See Sheila!

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 monthly Pre-Authorized Remittance giving (PAR) by **emailing our envelope steward** at envelope@kucparksville.ca, or by **leaving cash/cheques** 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 are 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](#)