

MISSION MOMENT

June 18th - Winnipeg Inner City Missions (WICM) is an outreach ministry supported by gifts to Presbyterians Sharing that welcomes and embraces all people living in downtown Winnipeg, Manitoba. WICM works towards healing and reconciliation and provides temporary housing, employment services, as well as programming for children and youth. The staff and volunteers of WICM work tirelessly to provide a safe, inclusive space that inspires lifelong learning and building social and personal well-being for all people in the community. WICM recently welcomed Beverly Burkard as its new executive director. Beverly is a welcome addition to WICM, bringing with her an extensive background working with charitable and non-profit organizations, including Sage Journey, Agape Table and Red Road Lodge.

Reflection June 18th

How would you respond to the arrival of wandering messengers of good news in your town or on your doorstep? Would you welcome them or listen to their words? What does it mean for the kingdom of heaven to “come near” ?

June 25th Readings Jeremiah 20:7–13 and Psalm 69:7–18; Romans 6:1b–11; Matthew 10:24–39

KNOX CAFE



Please join us every Thursday 1-3 PM. at the Knox Cafe. We meet on the lower level of the church. Drop in for coffee or tea, cookies, cards and fellowship. All are welcome to join!

THE LITTLE RED CHURCH

The little Red Church on the corner is fine
The bell at 11 rings out in a chime
The service begins
with a candle aglow
The organ plays softly
" Be still and know"
A message a prayer
some songs sung in rhyme
In that little red church
so friendly and kind

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Hours of Service

Sunday 11 AM weekly

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Knox Presbyterian Church Bayfield

*The little church,
with a great big heart!*



Weekly Announcements

DATES TO NOTE

12 June Book Club meets 12-1 PM
15 June Knox Cafe 1-3 PM
18 June Kirk In The Cedars worship service
2 July Jan Searle, flautist
2 July 1st Sunday in July after service light lunch

WMS Cda Come Together MTG - June 14 @ 1-2:30 PM (EST) by Zoom. Cathy Reid, President of the WMS Canada will be presenting on the situation in Malawi, especially after the devastation caused by the cyclones. If you would like the Zoom info for this event please see Rev Lisa for more details.

HuronSong Chorus presents "Shine", a Benefit Concert for Huron Women's Shelter with guest soloist Renee Stalenhoef. Admission: Freewill Donation to Huron Women's Shelter. **Monday June 19 @ 7:30 PM** at Knox Presbyterian Church, Goderich. **Tuesday June 20 @ 7:30 PM** at Northside United Church, Seaforth.

Knox Cafe - Closed Thursday June 8. The cafe will run until the end of June and then break for the summer months of July and August.

Bayfield Area Food Bank now has a dedicated phone number 519 525-8286 and email bayfieldareafoodbank@gmail.com

Looking for a family doctor, nurse practitioner or specialist near you? The Health Care Connect program can be found online at:
<https://www.ontario.ca/page/find-family-doctor-or-nurse-practitioner>

Book, Bake & BBQ Sale - It was a very successful day. We ended up (after expenses) with a total of \$1,072.60. A great big THANK YOU for those of you that helped!

Alumni In-Residence 2023 Summer Program! There is an opportunity for Camp Kintail alumni to engage with campers (and support staff), to provide leadership in a variety of areas, See Rev Lisa for more details.

JUNE MISSION FOCUS

Throughout the month of June, Knox Presbyterian Church Bayfield will be collecting children's books and school supplies to support the efforts of the Rotary Club of Grand Bend Education & Youth Services Committee. Since 2010, the Rotary Club of Grand Bend has partnered with other Rotary Clubs across Southwestern Ontario shipping almost 100, 40' shipping containers loaded with school furniture, blackboards, books and school supplies to developing countries such as South Africa and Eswatini. The containers are then received by Rotary Clubs in those countries, and are unloaded and distributed to rural schools.

There is a big need for basic supplies, such as: pencils, pens, crayons, pencil crayons, sharpeners, rulers, scissors, markers, paper, scribblers or exercise notebooks, erasers, glue or glue sticks, construction paper, and art supplies. Also requested are teacher aids such as: flash cards, stickers, learning games, tape, and used & new books to assist the children with their reading skills. Toothpaste and toothbrushes gladly welcomed as well.

Donations can be dropped off at Knox Presbyterian Church Bayfield, 2 Bayfield Main St North on Sundays and Mondays 10 am -1:30 pm; Thursdays 1-3 pm. Additionally, all are welcome to join Sunday worship service which begins at 11 am. Speak with Rev Lisa 519-955-2158 for more details.

CAMP KINTAIL

June 18 "Kirk in the Cedars". Worship service @ 4 PM . with a delicious meal to follow.

July 16 @ 11 AM will be an outdoor worship service followed by a BBQ lunch for local congregations.

KNOX BOOK DISCUSSION



We meet on the lower level of the church on Mondays at 12 noon. The reading is a launching point for our discussions. Our current focus is *Shalom Sistas - Living Wholeheartedly in a Brokenhearted World* by Osheta Moore and Sarah Bessey. All are welcome to join!

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June 11th - Prema and her five children live in the Umerkot district of Pakistan. After her husband's death, Prema found it very difficult to provide for her family, and severe drought throughout the district only brought more hardship. Her eldest son tried hard to find work so that he could help support his mother and siblings, but despite his best efforts, his job prospects were limited due to a physical disability. A glimmer of hope came when Prema and her family were selected for a food assistance project run by Presbyterian World Service & Development's local partner. The food aid that Prema's family has received through the project has helped them to become more resilient to future adverse events.

Reflection June 11th

How are we called to be a blessing to this world? How are we called to be a curse to this world? How can you be a healing presence in your home, in your community, and in your church? How can we live and work to share the message of faith with those who live without it?

June 18th Readings Exodus 19:2-8a and Psalm 100; Romans 5:1-8; Matthew 9:35-10:23