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Ministry and Personnel: Susan Zwick
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KNOX UNITED CHURCH IN-PERSON & LIVE STREAM WORSHIP 10:00 am Oct 12, 2025 THANKSGIVING SUNDAY

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
Sydney Leask, 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.



**THE JESUS PATH TO ENLIGHTENMENT
LETTING GO OF PRIDE AND EMBRACING
HUMILITY WITH GRATITUDE**

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

PRELUDE Turn, Turn, Turn Pete Seeger
Decorus Musica

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

INTROIT: Count Your Blessings Arr. Hojun Lee

WELCOME AND COMMUNITY TIME

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PEOPLE AND LANDS

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***HYMN:** Come, You Thankful People, Come 516VU

CALL TO WORSHIP:

One: In a society, where many feel entitled...

All: On this thanksgiving, we are filled with
gratitude for the many blessings we
have received.

One: In a society divided
between the Haves and Have Nots...

All: We count ourselves fortunate
as we seek to live generously.

One: Today we come on our enlightenment
journey prepared to let go of our sense of
pride...

All: And come in humble adoration for the One
who loves us, not because of what we have
accomplished, but because God is love.

CENTERING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME:

***CHILDREN'S HYMN:**
All Things Bright and Beautiful 291VU

SCRIPTURE: Luke 18 9-14; Luke 17:11-19 AND
CONTEMPORARY READINGS

REFLECTION

HYMN: To Show by Touch and Word 427VU

INVITATION TO GIVE
(presentation of gifts and treasure)
For Food in a World 552VU

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

SUNG RESPONSE: Change my Heart O God
w/m Eddie Espinosa

LORD'S PRAYER (Common Cup)

COMMUNITY SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

HYMN: Now Thank We All Our God 236VU

SUNG BLESSING: With Heart and Hands
w/m John Rutter

POSTLUDE Jupiter Chorale
Decorus Musica by Gustav Holst

A SPECIAL THANK YOU! Our heartfelt thanks to Decorus Musica -
Andy Markle (cello), Ed Wasiak (trumpet), and our own Patricia Plumley
(piano) for their beautiful and sacred music today.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Help us to live into our mission of building a community that
cares, shares, and dares with your time, gifts, and treasure.
If you are financially able we invite you to support our faith community
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!

With your presence here, you consent to be filmed and/or otherwise
recorded for our congregation and on YouTube. Our cameras are
directed towards the front of the sanctuary. If you are at all concerned
about your children's image being captured, **DO NOT** sit at the front of
the sanctuary.

The live stream will be available directly through the
[Knox United YouTube Channel](#)