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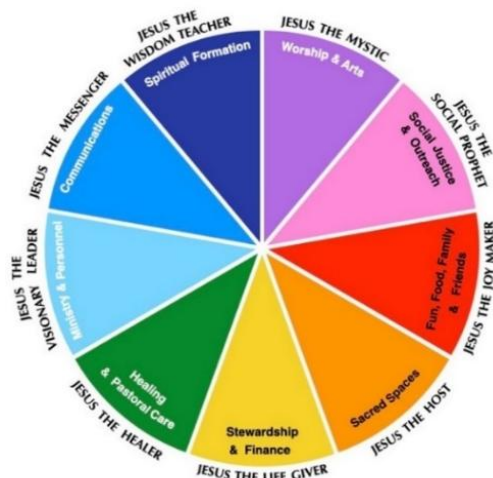
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OUR NINE MINISTRIES:

Worship and Arts: Barbara Nienaber
Spiritual Formation: Jan du Monde/Mary Beth Levan
Healing and Pastoral Care: Sheila Simpson
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Communications: Sarah Kettner
Stewardship and Finance: Ashley McDonald
Sacred Spaces: Bob Hughes
Ministry and Personnel: Mary Ellen Campbell
Sally Hamel, Diane Korol, Susan Zwick)
Regional Reps: Suzan Zwick, Barbara Nienaber
Trustees: Don Emerson



KNOX UNITED CHURCH IN-PERSON & LIVE STREAM WORSHIP 10:00 am August 16, 2026

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 Stream*

Patricia Plumley, *Music Director*
Leslie Hawley, *Visual Arts*
Sandy Machan, *Tech*
Nick Therriault, *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.



“HOPE IN CHAOS”

Please stand as you are able where indicated (*)

PRELUDE & LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

WELCOME AND COMMUNITY TIME

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PEOPLE AND LANDS

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***HYMN: Come and Find the Quiet Centre** VU374
Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness VU375

CALL TO WORSHIP:

ONE: My soul rises up to meet you, God,
ALL: As the day rises to meet the sun.
ONE: My soul rejoices in the goodness of Creation.
ALL: God's Creation gives hope and sustains us in
the face of tension and uncertainty.
ONE: In life, in death, in life beyond death,
ALL: God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to
God.

CENTERING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME

CHILDREN'S HYMN: God Is the One Whom We Seek
Together VU283

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 6: 19-34
AND CONTEMPORARY READINGS

REFLECTION: "Hope in Chaos"

***HYMN: My Soul Cries Out** MV120

INVITATION TO GIVE (presentation of gifts and
treasure)

Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love (Refrain)
VU593

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The singing bowl invites us into prayer...

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNITY SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

***HYMN: I Have Called You by Your Name** MV161

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

We give heartfelt thanks today to Barbara Nienaber for
leading the service in Jennifer Ferguson's absence.
Thank you to all those who shared today.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!
With your time, gifts and treasure, help us to live into our
mission of building community that cares, shares, and
dares.

Through the Summer, if you can, we invite you to remember to
support our faith community through monthly **Pre-Authorized**
Remittance giving (PAR) by **emailing our envelope steward**
at envelope@kucparksville.ca, or sending e-transfers to
acctg@kucparksville.ca or by **leaving cash/cheques** in the
basket before or after worship outside the sanctuary. All gifts
gratefully received.

WELCOME to LIVE-STREAMING WORSHIP!
The live stream is available directly through the
[Knox United YouTube Channel](#)

Next Sunday, August 23, we welcome back
Jennifer Ferguson from her vacation!