



ORDER OF WORSHIP

PENTECOST 12  
August 25, 2019  
**9:30am**



## Power of Prayer

~  
**OUR MISSION**

TO SHARE GOD'S LOVE  
BY LIVING THE TEACHINGS OF JESUS:

showing mercy,  
promoting justice,  
offering forgiveness,  
acceptance, and hope.

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(\*\* indicates rising in body or spirit as you are able)  
(The congregation reads together the words in bold print).

## Prelude

## Welcome + Work of the Church

## Lighting of the Christ Candle

**\*\*Singing:** VU 395 *Part of the Family (Come In, Come In, and Sit Down)*

## **\*\*Call to Worship:**

God, you speak to us in unexpected places  
and with an unexpected voice.

**We are not always sure how to listen.**

We are not always sure who to listen to.

**We are not sure we are really hearing you.**

Be blunt with us – be clear please.

**Give us the challenge of loving you,**

Of loving others, of loving ourselves.

**May we always live out your love.**

**When we don't know where to turn, you are there.**

**In you we are forgiven.**

**In you we are loved, and we are free to serve you.**

## **\*\*Opening Prayer:**

Loving God, as we come into your presence today,  
may we receive your word, feel that presence and sing your praise.  
May we ready ourselves to serve you. Your word still finds us, your  
word tests us, and we are inspired by the teaching of your son  
Jesus. May we always be motivated to be open to your call to serve  
you. **AMEN**

## Time for All Ages

**Singing:** VU 232 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You*

## Offering Invitation

## Ministry of Music during the Offering:

**\*\*Offertory Response:** VU 544 *In Gratitude and Humble Trust*

## **\*\*Offering Dedication:**

## Minute for Mission

**Singing: VU 671** *I Need Thee Every Hour*

**Prayer of the People**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Scripture:**

Isaiah 6:1-9  
Phillipians 2:1-5

~ *Mary Brill*

The Word of God for the People of God  
**Thanks be to God**

**Singing: VU 672** *Take Time to Be Holy*

**Message:**

**Power of Prayer**

~ Bill Hale

**\*\*Singing: VU 245** *Praise the Lord with the Sound of Trumpet*

**\*\*Blessing:**

**\*\*Parting Song: MV 220** *Hope Shines as the Solitary Star*

**Hope shines... Faith shines... Love shines...**

**Postlude**

*Elders: Paul O'Brien, Beth Robinson*



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***Christ's Disciples in Ministry: Everyone***

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~ Thank you to our guest musicians for today ~

**Michael Butz, bass and drums**  
**Katherine Cassidy, flute**  
**Kathleen Lane, bassoon**  
**Hillary Manchester, flute**



## **WHAT'S FREEDOM KITCHEN?**

Freedom Kitchen is a new pilot project coming to Lower Sackville this October. We have partnered up with the Salvation Army, in borrowing their mobile food truck. The truck will be parked in front of "The Den" located in the lower level of the library. This food truck will be providing free meals to those less fortunate or those struggling.

## **WHY THIS LOCATION?**

Nearly three years ago a lovely lady named Caroline Gallop started her own pilot project, the community outreach meal event, also known as C.O.M.E. This is located at Knox United Church, 567 Sackville Drive, the third Thursday of each month. This event began with feeding 15 guests, and has now grown to feed upwards of 250 guests each meal event. BUT, we noticed one thing, and that was we were not reaching the struggling younger adults and youth. So, we knew we needed to take this to the streets! So we've been planning and training for over a year now, and we are now pleased to announce that we are ready!

## **THE FREEDOM KITCHEN WILL BE ROLLING OUT:**

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 7<sup>TH</sup> 5 PM – 7PM**

(The truck will be on site every Monday night until the end of April)

**Visit Knox United Church on Facebook to learn more about Freedom Kitchen, and how to volunteer your time to help in our community!**