

Knox United Church Annual Congregational Meeting

Organ Update

March 20, 2022

Financial Background:

- The organ project has been completely funded to date from the organ fund (a restricted fund specifically for expenses related to the organ).
- In March 2021, the fund had ~ \$13,000.
- \$10,000 used for transportation from First Baptist.

Current Status:

- We re-built the organ fund to ~ \$18,000 (as of Feb 28/22).
- Through fundraisers, donations and donor commitments; the amount necessary to complete the project is ~ \$36,000.
- Due to the outpouring of passionate support, we anticipate meeting our goal.

Our plan is to continue with fundraising for two reasons;

1. This organ can enhance our worship and allow us to extend our music ministry to the greater community.
2. This project has helped keep our faith family committed to a common goal, and connected to each other.

As Chair of the Ad Hoc Organ Committee of Knox
United Church Council, I move that:

*The Congregation of Knox continues with the
refurbishment and installation of the Casavant Organ
donated to us by First Baptist Church of Dartmouth NS.*