Calendar

- 12 November I Am a Changemaker, 2 pm Lounge
- 12 November SKC Grades 3-8, Bake Off, 6 to 8 pm
- 11 November Office Closed
- 16 November Repair Café Workshop, 1-4 pm Auditorium
- 17 November Unconscious Bias at 7:20 pm w/Affirm Committee
- 18 November Council, 6:30 pm Chapel
- 19 November I Am a Changemaker, 2 pm Lounge
- 20 November Broadview Reading Club, 10 am Chapel
- 20 November Trans Day of Remembrance, Memorial 12 pm, Vigil 6 pm
- 21 November BU Basketball Game, 6 to 8:30 pm
- 23 November Let's Get Ready for Advent Stations, 10:30 am
- 26 November I Am a Changemaker, 2 pm Lounge
- 26 November SKC Grades 3-8, Slime Time, 6 to 8 pm
- 30 November Taste of the Holidays, 5:30 pm

NEW: Mission & Service

Partnering for Climate Responsibility

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NEW: Knox Annual Church Silent Auction

The silent auction tables are set! With 28 special pieces to bid on! Thanks to Duncan, Cec, and Norm for the lovely display.

A huge thanks to our Knox Community for donating some stunning and useful items!

NEW: From the M & P Committee

Our Next monthly meeting is Monday, Nov 10 at 5:30 pm via Zoom

The Ministry and Personnel (M&P) Committee acts under the guidelines of The Manual of The United Church of Canada. The committee functions around three roles, which are the consultative and supportive role, the healthy relationship's role, and the supervisory role. We provide resources & support for the staff & community of faith with respect to any issue affecting staff of our church, including ministry personnel and lay employees.

The committee works to build positive and trusting relationships between staff and members and adherents of the community of faith.

If members of the community of faith have praise or concerns about staff, both ministry personnel and lay employees, these can be shared in signed correspondence with the committee. The issues will be considered confidentially by the M&P Committee, which will recommend action

Knox United Church is blessed with staff who are committed to their work, and we are thankful for this work in our community of faith.

Presently serving on the committee are:

Coleen Wall, Chairperson cttwall@mymts.net, Home 204-725-3416, Cell 204-761-5515

Committee Member	Committee Roll	Laison to	Position
Coleen Wall	Chairperson	Rev. Craig Miller	Minister
u		Kendra Carnegie	Office Administrator
Laurie Crowe	Financial Advisor	Bernie Whetter	Choral Director
Karen Turnbull	Secretary	Jane Skinner	Organist
Jim Lewthwaite		Antoinette Gravel-	Youth Director
		Ouellette	
Art Godfrey		Charles Ingram	Caretaker
Sandy Jasper		Brittany Schettler	Children's Program Co
u		Hailey Noto	Children's Program Co

Reminder: I Am a Change Maker: Anti-Racism Work in Church & Society

Each Wednesday in November

Join members of the Outreach Committee and Rev. Craig as we listen to and learn from stories across the United Church. Video stories may include: Accent is not a wall — it's a home. Where are you from? Subtle and not-so-subtle anti-asian racism. Being in right relations. From exodus to hope: why we leave and what soccer is teaching us. My hair, my rage. Who I am.

To attend via Zoom, please email Elaine Gibson at aurenv@gmail.com. Include your name and the email address you want us to use, and the Zoom link will be sent to you.

Also, email Elaine if you have any questions, or simply want to confirm your interest in attending.

Reminder: Unconscious Bias Workshop

Prairie to Pine Regional Council Equity and Diversity Committee is excited to host an online workshop on Unconscious Bias, Monday, Nov. 17, at 7:30 pm CST, for 90 minutes. With trained resource people, we'll focus on offering a very accessible, basic introduction to bias: what it is, how it can impact relationships between individuals and between communities, and how we can move past it to turn diversity into an asset instead of a perceived division. More details to come!

The Affirm Committee is planning to host a group viewing of this workshop at Knox with time to watch the video and have a discussion following the video. Watch for more information to follow.

NEW: Transgender Day of Remembrance

Thursday, November 20

Memorial Service 12-1 PM - In person and on the Knox Konnexion YouTube Channel. Light lunch, community booths, reception to follow.

Candlelight Vigil 6-7 PM - We will be gathering outside, so please dress appropriately for the weather. Reception to follow.

NEW: 2026 Church Calendar

The Canadian Church Calendar, United Church Edition

"A New Heaven and a New Earth"

Now available to purchase in the church office. \$9 each.

Reminder: Taste of the Holidays

30 November - 5:30 pm

The Annual "Taste of the Holidays" supper will be held on Sunday, Nov. 30th, the first Sunday in Advent. Roast Pork Loin, Meatballs, and all the trimmings, including delicious homemade desserts, hot and cold beverages will be served at 5:30 PM in the church auditorium. Gluten free options are available!

Adults \$22.00, Under 12 - \$10.00, and Preschoolers are free.

Only 160 tickets are available at the church office and after worship starting Nov. 16th.

Deliveries and pickups are offered again this year.

HOW CAN WE HELP? Please check the posters in the Narthex and sign up where you think you might like to help.

For further info, contact Sharon 204-728-0541 or rschrismas@gmail.com

ATTN: Youth, Families, Youth Leaders, Youth Allies

Sharing Across Cultures - BIPOC event

A group of Indigenous and Racialized young people have put together an event of culturally diverse cooking, activity workshops, games and reflection.

This free event, including lunch and supper, takes place from 11 am to 7 pm, Saturday, Nov 15th at Broadway Disciples UC in Winnipeg (right beside the Manitoba Legislature).

Please click here for more info and registration.

NEW: 2025 Prairie to Pine Regional Council Online Meeting

The meeting will be held on <u>November 13 at 7:00 PM (CST) via Zoom</u>. Please click <u>here</u> to read the letter of Rev. Doug Neufeld, Co-chair of Prairie to Pine Regional Council.



Let's Get Mending

Come join Knox Green Team and Sustainable Brandon for our first instalment of our Repair Cafe!

Learn how to extend the life of your clothing with different mending and repair options.

Come out for an introduction to sewing and mending your clothing.

What can we help you with?

- · How to hem pants/shirts
- · Resize shirts
- · Put patches on clothing
- · Simple sewing and mending projects
- and more!

There will be sewing machines available for use as well as a selection of buttons, hand sewing supplies and various other tools! When: November 16, 2025

Time: 1pm - 4pm

Cost: FREE

RSVP via email

bdnworkshop23egmail.com

Where: Knox United Church

451 18th st, Brandon



Get help with simple mending projects and learn the basics of sewing!

LET US KNOW YOU'LL BE JOINING BY EMAILING BDNWORKSHOP23@GMAIL.COM

Reminder: Pickleball @ Knox

Our winter pickleball crew is back at it in the Knox auditorium. They welcome any Knox community members to join in and give it a try!

If you're interested, please contact:

Bryan Schettler - bryanschettler@gmail.com

Francis Cancade - cancadefrancis@gmail.com

Reminder: Brandon Bear Clan Needs Our Help!

The following donations are required: tins of hot chocolate, cups for hot chocolate, instant porridge, tea bags, juice boxes, winter coats, hoodies, hand warmers, men's boxers, women's underwear, warm socks, candy, granola bars, long underwear, sleeping bags, lip balm.

There will be a tub for donations in the narthex. Thank you!

Reminder: The Knox Lending Library Needs Your Help

Do you love to read as much as we do? For many of us, books and authors become friends that we go back to again and again. We're missing books from our lending library, including Brené Brown, Kate Bowler, John Philip Newell, Christine Valters Paintner, and many more. They are ready to make some new friends! Please check your shelves, and if you have a book from our library, return it to the tables in the sanctuary. Thanks so much!

Reminder: Spirit Kids Club Clubroom

The SKC have been busy making the Clubroom their own. We want to thank anyone who donated to the garage sale, as we found furniture, board games and artwork for our room! We are still hoping for a couple more items. We wanted to see if anyone had them before we made a purchase. We are looking for a mini fridge, a tv, a tv mount for the wall, a video game console, one or two bean bag chairs, and any gently used up-to-date toys for the baby fold. Contact Brittany. Thanks!

Green Spot & Sobeys Gift Cards

Cards are available for purchase at the Knox Church Office. A percentage of cards sold will go towards our many outreach projects within the community!

\$50 & \$100 options

Sunday Morning Worship on YouTube

Sunday morning worship can be found each Sunday at 10:30 am on our YouTube channel, https://www.youtube.com/c/TheKnoxKonnexion

You can also search for, "The Knox Konnexion" on YouTube to find our channel