

Calendar

- 9 March - Congregational Care Mtg, 10 am Library
- 11 March - Lenten Study, 2 pm Chapel
- 11 March - SKC grades 3-8, Karaoke, 6 pm
- 13 March - Son Jarocho Workshop with Ana, 6:30 pm Lounge
- 14 March - National Affirming PIE Day
- 15 March - Brunch
- 17 March - Council, 6:30 pm
- 18 March - Lenten Study, 2 pm Chapel
- 19 March - Broadview Reading Club, 10 am Chapel
- 19 March - Informative Evening with the Green Team, 7 pm
- 20 March - SKC grades 3-8, Dodgeball, 6 pm
- 20 March - Son Jarocho Workshop with Ana, 6:30 pm Lounge
- 22 March - Repair Café, 1 pm Lower Level
- 25 March - SKC grades 3-8, Park Clean up/Fun, 6 pm
- 29 March - Son Jarocho Workshop with Ana, 6:30 pm Lounge

NEW: Mission & Service

Partnership in Bloom

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NEW: From the M & P Committee

Our Next monthly meeting is Tuesday, March 10th, 2026 7:00pm 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 in three roles: 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 M&P Committee will consider the issues confidentially and 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)

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-Liaison to Craig Miller, Minister

-Liaison to Kendra Carnegie, Office Administrator

Laurie Crowe (Financial Advisor)

-Liaison to Bernie Whetter, Choral Director

Jim Lewthwaite

-Liaison to Antoinette Gravel-Ouelette, Youth Director

Art Godfrey

-Liaison to Charles Ingram, Caretaker

Karen Turnbull (Secretary)

-Liaison to Jane Skinner, Church Organist

Sandy Jasper

-Liaison to Brittany Schettler & Hailey Noto, Children's Program Co-Ordinator's

NEW: BRUNCH Club

On March 15, following worship, please join us for an always delicious brunch and a time of fellowship. Everyone is welcome!

Adults \$5 - Under 12 \$3 - Preschoolers free

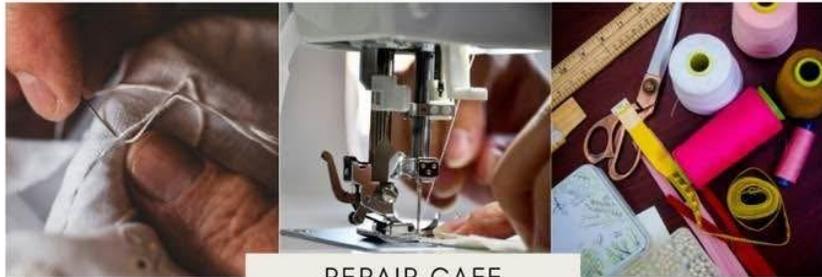
NEW: SHIFT Program

On March 20th from 9:30 am to 11:30 am, Quentin and Madelyn will be presenting the SHIFT program at TALC at Brandon University. This will be very similar to the "just a green worship minute" that they shared before Christmas. If you missed one or would like a refresher, join us!

Reminder: Evening with the Green Team

19 March, Thursday, 7 to 9 pm in the sanctuary at Knox

The Green Team and Sustainable Brandon are presenting public information and leading a conversation about the proposed Gas Plant expansion and the Direct Air Carbon Capture project being proposed in the Pipestone area. This will be an opportunity to engage in conversation and ask questions about what these projects will look like and what it means for the future of our community.

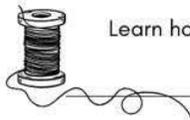


REPAIR CAFE

Let's Get Mending

Come join Sustainable Brandon and Knox Green Team for our second 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: March 22, 2026

Time: 1pm - 4pm

Cost: FREE

RSVP via email

bdnworkshop23@gmail.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: Son Jarocho Community Workshop

Weekly group classes begin Friday, March 13th,
March, 20, 29 (Sunday), April 3, 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15
6:30-7:30 PM in the Knox Lounge

We are pleased to offer a Son Jarocho Workshop, an interactive introduction to a vibrant musical tradition from Veracruz, Mexico.

Son Jarocho brings together rhythm, poetry, dance, and community in a joyful and welcoming way. Participants will explore basic footwork (zapateado), traditional songs, rhythmic exercises, and elements of Mexican cultural heritage in a relaxed and inclusive environment. The workshop is open to all ages and experience levels, everyone is invited to join. Participation is by voluntary contribution, and we look forward to sharing this beautiful tradition with the community. Feel welcome to bring your ukulele or percussion instrument if you have one (not required).

Any questions, please contact Ana: espinoaa07@BrandonU.ca

Reminder
The Assiniboine Affirming Cluster Invites You To
National Affirming PIE Day 2026
Crafting Community
With Guest Artist Rev. David Cathcart

Saturday, March 14, Knox United

Line & Wash Watercolour Workshop 10:45 am to 12:00 pm

Line & Wash is a fun and easy way to enter the world of watercolours and turn them into simple yet beautiful paintings. You will learn to sketch and draw in ink and combine it with watercolour washes to create unique and intricate works of art. When you're done, you'll have four unique bookmarks to share.

All the materials you need will be provided.

Cost: \$25 (some scholarships available)

Register by Friday, 6 March

Lunch available from Komfort Kitchen for \$22.50 Wraps/Side Salad/Cookie/Soda

THIS WORKSHOP IS LIMITED TO 20 PARTICIPANTS. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE REGISTER ASAP, AS IT WILL FILL QUICKLY. PAYMENT IS DUE AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION.

To register online visit: <https://form.jotform.com/260355697097066>

Art Talk 1 PM

Embracing the Wonky Line and Following Happy Accidents: What Art Taught Me About Creating Community

NEW: Healing Hearts - Must Register

The group will start in May on the 3rd Thursday of the month. This is not a drop-in group so those interested need to connect with us first, and we can answer questions ect.

We are not alone and support is available



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The Way Lent 2026 at Knox

"You don't choose a life, you live a life." – The Way

I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. – Isaiah 43:19

Lent is a time of reflection, and there's nothing like a pilgrimage to conjure that up. Making intentional journeys has been a ritual of humankind across time and traditions. Inspired by passages in the Judeo-Christian scriptures that talk about the journeys, roads, and pathways of life, we will make our way together through this season. The popular and poignant movie *The Way*, about a father's pilgrimage in honour of his late son, who died on the famed Camino de Santiago in France and Spain, serves as a modern-day inspiration to live the life we've been given to the fullest.

The Way is currently available to watch on Netflix Canada. If you have a chance to watch the movie prior to Lent One, it will deepen your experience as we make this journey together. Plus, it features one of my favourite actors and social justice advocates, Martin Sheen.

"The Wandering Way" - Lent One

"The High Way" - Lent Two

"The Way Around" - Lent Three

"The Way Home" - Lent Four

"The Free Way" - Lent Five

"The Other Way" - Lent Six/Palm Sunday

"The Loving Way" - Good Friday

"Make Your Way" - Easter Sunday

Reminder: New Hymn Book Order

The United Church of Canada has released a new hymn book called "Then Let Us Sing". Knox will be collecting names to place a group order. If you are interested in purchasing a copy, please let Kendra or Diane Shepherd know. The soft cover version with music and lyrics is \$32.95, accompanist copy with a coil spine is \$49.95 (this is a larger book). We would like to order before Easter, April 5th.

Thank you!

Reminder: Getting Better Together with Prairie Mtn Health

A **FREE** six-week program for living better with ongoing health conditions. Learn to manage pain, start exercise, and increase energy levels.

Available on-line, March 12 - April 16, Thursdays 1:30-4 pm

Or in-person, April 7 - May 12, Tuesdays 1:30-4 pm at Knox United Church.

For more info or to register rcullen@pmh-mb.ca or call 1-877-509-7852

Reminder: New Email Address for Knox

For email & e-transfer, please update your records.

admin@knoxunitedbrandon.ca

Reminder: Greenspot & Sobeys Gift Cards

Greenspot Home & Garden and Sobeys gift cards are restocked and available in the church office. A portion of every card supports our church's outreach ministries throughout the community.

Sobeys cards are currently out of stock, new order is on the way

Sunday Morning Worship on YouTube

Join our Sunday worship at 10:30 AM on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/c/TheKnoxKonnexion>

Or search *The Knox Konnexion*