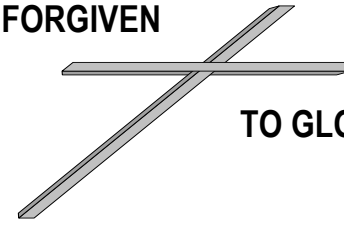


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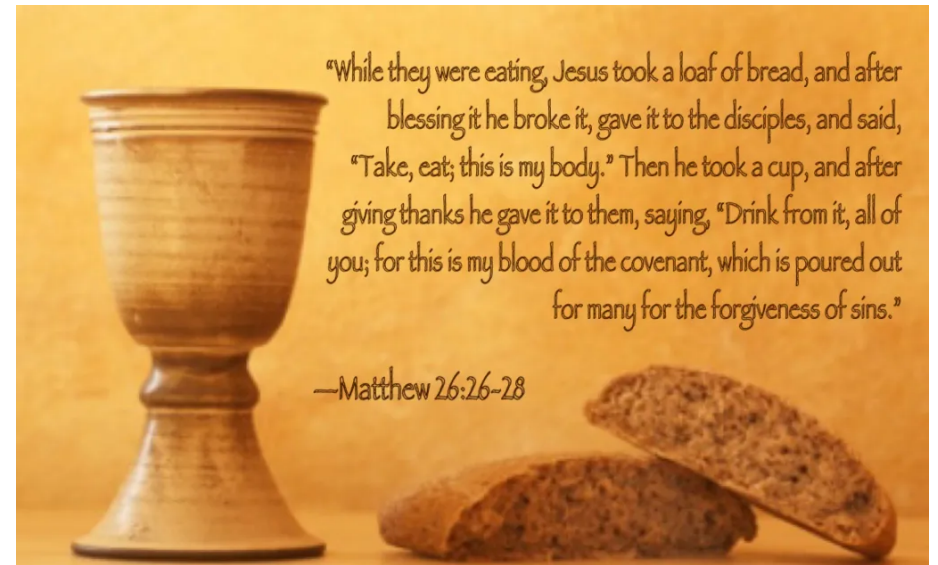
Psalm 103:1-4, 8-12 NLT

- <sup>1</sup> Let all that I am praise the Lord;  
with my whole heart, I will praise his holy name.
- <sup>2</sup> Let all that I am praise the Lord;  
may I never forget the good things he does for me.
- <sup>3</sup> He forgives all my sins  
and heals all my diseases.
- <sup>4</sup> He redeems me from death  
and crowns me with love and tender mercies.
- <sup>8</sup> The Lord is compassionate and merciful,  
slow to get angry and filled with unfailing love.
- <sup>9</sup> He will not constantly accuse us,  
nor remain angry forever.
- <sup>10</sup> He does not punish us for all our sins;  
he does not deal harshly with us, as we deserve.
- <sup>11</sup> For his unfailing love toward those who fear him is as great as the height of the heavens above the earth.
- <sup>12</sup> He has removed our sins as far from us  
as the east is from the west.

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**Established 03<sup>rd</sup> May 1987**

Minister:

Rev. Dr. Mark S. Richardson

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Rev. Jeff Smith

Music Director:

Sarah Pottier

**Communion Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2026 10:30 am**  
**The Church of Jesus the Saviour**  
**Celebrates the Good News of God's Love for the World**  
**Made Manifest in Jesus His Son**  
**as we learn to share Christ's Love with everyone!!!**

*Celebrating the Truth of the Presence of God – Alleluia!*

Call to Worship:

**Praise: “Lord I lift Your name on high”** **SB #48**

Welcome, and announcements:

*Celebrating the Truth of Forgiveness – We Receive New Life!*

**Praise: “Tell me the old, old story”** **BP#401**

Prayer:

*Celebrating the Truth of God's Word! - We are Listening!*

Scripture: St. Matthew 26:17-30 NLT

Message: “Completely or partially forgiven?”

*Celebrating the Truth of God's gifts to us – We Are Accountable*

**The Celebration of the Lord's Supper:**

Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings:

+ Offertory

Doxology: “My tribute” **SB #45**

Prayer of Dedication

**Praise: “Down in my heart”** **SB#21**

*Celebrating the Truth of our Going Forth – We Leave for Ministry*

Benediction:

**Interpersonal Benediction: “My peace”** **SB #42**

**Worship & Sacraments Team: Prayer Requests**

Bernice Baum – at home

Gladys Brown – at home

Frank De Vries – at home

Ann Gray – Trinity Village

Doug Greenwood – Huronview LTC, Clinton

Frank Ingold – at home

Bob Kenzie – Sunnyside Home

Larry Mason – AgeCare West Williams LTC

Mary Master – A. R. Goudie LTC

Dolly McCormack – Court at Laurelwood Retirement Home

Marg & Terry McCorrison – at home

Curt Ryan – AgeCare West Williams LTC

Shirley Steinberg – Winston Park LTC

Dirk Vanderheide – at home

**Sunday School 2025 – 2026:**

Our regular bi-weekly Sunday School dates for 2026 are:

**18<sup>th</sup> January; 01<sup>st</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> February; 01<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> March;**  
**12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> April; 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> May; 07<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> June.**

We are looking for more Sunday School teachers, helpers, or back-ups to join the team. If interested, please contact Cathrine (gcejtaylor@gmail.com), Nicolene (nclemens7@yahoo.ca).

We are thrilled to share and grow with the children this year.

Peace and Joy, Cathrine and Nicolene

**Annual Reports** - In order to prepare the Annual Report for the congregation we ask that anyone who leads an activity in the church please submit a summary of activities. Please forward reports to Barb Cook at [mjblcook@outlook.com](mailto:mjblcook@outlook.com) by Sunday 01<sup>st</sup> February 2026, in order to have the annual report ready for the congregation ahead of the Annual Meeting, on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> February immediately following the worship service. The Annual Report will be distributed electronically, and a few paper copies will be available.

**Leading With Care:** KEPC has been a Leading with Care congregation since its inception in 2004. However, we need to renew our understanding of this national church policy and our implementation of it in our congregation here in 2025/2026. Rob Gloin & Kerry Weir are spearheading this within our congregation.

**Offering Envelopes:** If you are interested in having assigned envelopes for 2026 and are not on PAR, please reach out to Chris at clemensc78@yahoo.ca. For anyone that has changed addresses, please let Chris and Mark know so that we can check our records and update them as required.

#### **Grocery Cards:**

We are participating in the grocery gift card program in our Region. If you would like to purchase grocery gift cards for the PC group of stores, and/or the Metro group of stores, please speak with Barb Cook, Rob Gloin, or Emmie Richardson. They are available every week. For each card we sell we receive a small amount back from the Community Charity Services.

#### **From the Finance Team: options for financial giving to KEPC:**

- 1) **Canada Post:** send your offering envelope in an envelope addressed to the Church: 10 Zeller Dr, Kitchener, ON, N2A 4A8
- 2) **E – transfer:** This involves using your online banking application using the e-transfer option & sending the transaction to the Church email: kepc@golden.net
- 3) **PAR: pre-authorized remittance.** This is set up once and an amount is withdrawn from your bank account monthly until you choose to stop it or change the amount. Contact Chris Clemens clemensc78@yahoo.ca and he can set you up.
- 4) **Tithe.ly** on our website, (click on the menu “Donate Now”) and donations can be through your Visa, Mastercard, or Debit.
- 5) The locked, **black box** on the wall of the sanctuary by the main doors for your offerings.

**Thank-you for your ongoing and prayerful support of the mission and ministry of KEPC.**

#### **Events This Week: 18<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

- Sunday:** 10:30 am – Communion Worship Service; Sunday School, Confirmation group, coffee & conversation in the Gray Hall.
- Monday:** 7 pm – Session meeting in the Gray Hall
- Tuesday:** 12 – 5:45 pm – Music Therapy  
6:30 – 8 pm – Sparks in the Gray Hall  
7 pm – Worship & Sacraments Team at church
- Wednesday:** 9:30 – 11:30 am – Bible study in Fireside room  
6:30 – 9 pm – Scouts in the Gray Hall
- Thursday:** 9 – 11 am – Sonshine Corner this week
- Friday:** 12 – 3:30 pm – Music Therapy
- Sunday:** 10:30 am –Worship Service  
1:30 pm – Worship at Sunnyside Home

**WOW:** The next meeting of WOW will be on Saturday, January 31, 2026, from 10:00 - noon, in the Gray Hall. Julie Murray will be sharing with us the art of card making. We will be making Valentine's Day cards that will be shared with the residents at A.R. Goudie Long Term Care. These cards will be going along with the Valentine's Day gift bags that Mission and Outreach will be organizing. All you need to bring with you is glue, scissors and enthusiasm. Everything else will be provided. Coffee, tea and treats will be provided. All Ladies of KEPC are welcome. Looking forward to seeing you all there. Any questions, please contact Jo Anne at aitkenj09@gmail.com or 519-886-6559.