

To Our Guests and Visitors

Welcome!

Welcome to Knox Presbyterian Church! We invite you to join us whenever we are gathered for worship: 9:15 am (Knox Commons); 11:00 am (Sanctuary), education, fellowship or service. Join us also for coffee hour between the 9:15 and 11:00 am services in the Knox Commons. Visitor information is available at the rear of Knox Commons, in the narthex and in the Michigan Avenue lobby. If you have questions, look for members wearing badges, or call Tom York or Jana Reister in the church office, 321-2573.

Parking for Sunday Services

Parking can sometimes present challenges for those attending worship services or participating in other Knox events. In addition to the parking area off Michigan Avenue, we now have 13 additional parking spaces off Observatory Ave. On Sundays we are asking that the Observatory spaces be saved for use by individuals who are physically challenged. A map of available parking may be found on our website: www.knox.org

Restrooms

Men's and women's restrooms are available on the sanctuary level and on the basement level at the far north end of the building. Please follow the posted signs to their location.

Coatroom

The coatroom can be found off the Observatory Road narthex.

Caring for Children

Childcare for infants and toddlers is offered at 9:15 and 11:00 am during worship services. Please ask an usher or the Deacon on-duty in the Michigan Avenue lobby for directions to the nursery and childcare rooms.

Sunday School

At 9:15 am, Sunday School is available for children ages 3 years through grade 6. At 11:00 am, classes are held for children and youth ages 3 years old through 12th grade. Please check the bulletin insert for information about weekly Adult Education classes.

Hearing Enhancement Equipment Available

Hearing enhancement equipment is available to help you hear the service at 9:15 and 11:00 am. An usher would be happy to assist you. At the close of worship, please return the unit to an usher. Thank you!

Large-Print Hymnals and Bulletins are Available

Large-print hymnals, with text, but no music notation, are available. Please ask one of the ushers.

Mobile Phones

Please turn off mobile phones, pagers and other mobile devices upon entering the sanctuary. Thank you!

Printed Copies of Sermons

Printed copies of Sunday sermons are available at no cost. You will find them in the narthex (at the rear of the sanctuary) and in the Michigan Avenue lobby on Monday mornings.

Recycling

Please support the Knox Youth and our environment by dropping your Sunday bulletins and announcements in our Abitibi paper recycling boxes as you leave. Everyone is welcome to bring your home or office paper waste to place in the Abitibi bin located in the old parking lot.

This Sunday, the Sunday closest to All Saints' Day, we remember the loved ones, members of this congregation, who have died in the past year. Their names are listed below. Not listed, but no less dear, are family members and friends who have died this past year but were not members of Knox. We remember them all in our prayers this day.

Elizabeth P. Parker, October 8th

Laurence Fisher Gard, November 21st

Elder Richard A. High, January 3rd

Elder Jean Franke Mulford, March 15th

Elder William Wendell Beltz, April 10th

Ruth Wigor, April 21st

Deacon Mary Louise [Pat] Rupp, May 11th

Deacon Lois E. Volkman, June 6th

Mary June Pack, June 27th

Genevieve Allman, August 11th

Elder Rose Ellen Carpenter, August 16th

Barbara Ann Vorjohan, September 13th

Deacon Hilda Villasuso, October 4th

Notes from Worship Today

Notes from Sermon Today

Paul begins to isolate the essence of Christianity. Some would (and do) define it as right belief. Others regard it as a matter of moral behavior, duty. But emerging is the acid test—the unity and love evident in the church itself.

Self-assertion is fashionable, not self-abnegation.

The centrifugal forces are strong. And perhaps the best way to observe All Saints Day is to acknowledge and celebrate the marvelous gift of friendship where you experience it, or to take initiatives which will create it.

We are inclined to forget that we are, essentially, fundamentally, a group of individuals who are related to one another in a new way because of Jesus Christ. We forget the horizontal dimension of faith.

"We belong to Christ by belonging to each other...We have no choice in the matter. Some of our brothers and sisters we may like; others we may dislike. But they belong to us and we to them." ~ Robert Raines

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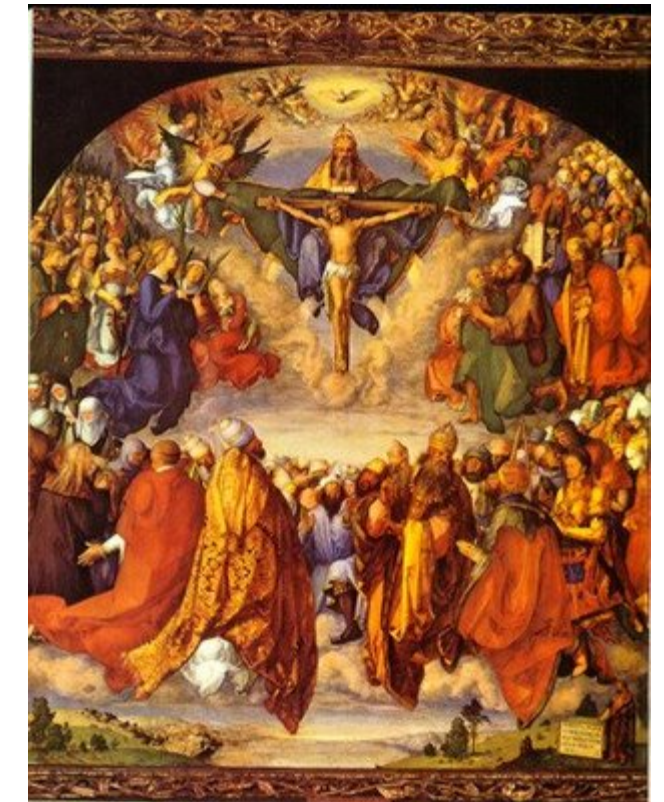
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Knox Preschool website www.knox.org/preschool.php



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Presbyterian USA

All Are Welcome



*We are a joyful community
of Christian faith...
A growing reflection of God's love.*

Sunday, November 1, 2009

Michigan & Observatory
Hyde Park
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