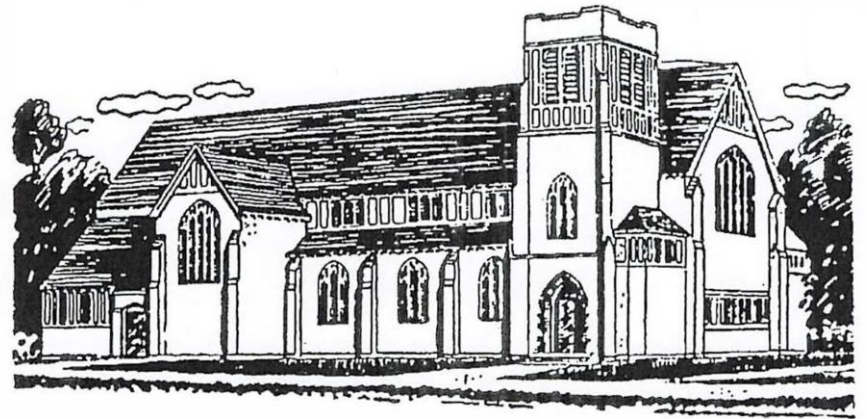


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# KNOX SUNDAY WORSHIP

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May 26, 2024 (10:00 am)

♪↑ Rise to sing, as you are able

♪+ Remain seated to sing

**Prelude:** “Little Partita on Old Hundredth”

David Lasky

**Welcome and Christ Candle Lighting**

**Call to Worship:**

Our hearts rejoice in the Lord.

**In the Lord, our strength is lifted high.**

There is no one holy like the Lord.

**There is no one besides you; there is no Rock like our God.**

The Lord gives strength to his people.

**The Lord blesses his people with peace.**

♪↑ **Hymn:** “Make a Joyful Noise” (*Psalm 100*)

VU 820

**Prayer**

♪+ **Hymn:** “My Soul Cries Out”

MV 120

**Scripture Reading:** 1 Samuel 2:1-10  
*Hanna’s Prayer*

**Anthem:** “Rise Up, O Church, With Singing!” Words: Pamela Stewart  
Music: Brad Nix

**Sermon:** Finding Stability in God's Promises

**Meditative Music:** “God, our Everlasting Hope”

J.S. Bach

♪↑ **Offering Hymn:** “Dance with the Spirit”

MV 156

**Dance with the Spirit early in the mornin’,  
Walk with the Spirit throughout the long day.  
Work and hope for the new life abornin’,  
listen to the Spirit to show you the way.**

**Dance with the Spirit early in the mornin’,  
Sing with the Spirit throughout the long day.  
Work and hope for the new life abornin’,  
listen to the Spirit to show you the way.**

**Dedication of Offering**

**Prayers of the People**

♪+ **Lord’s Prayer** (*said together*)

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come,**

**Thy will be done**

**on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread;**

**and forgive us our trespasses,**

**as we forgive those**

**who trespass against us;**

**and lead us not into temptation,**

**but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,**

**and the power, and the glory,**

**for ever and ever. Amen.**

♪↑ **Hymn:** “Three Things I Promise”

MV 176

**Commissioning and Benediction**

🎵↑ **Benediction Response:** “Spirit God, Be Our Breath”  
(Embracing Change)

MV 150  
(verse 1)

**Spirit God: be our breath, be our song.  
Blow through us, bringing strength to move on.  
Our world seems inward,  
defensive, withdrawn...  
Spirit God, be our song.**

**Postlude:** “Holy, Holy, Holy”

Stephen Burtonwood  
Tune: Nicea

**Worship Leaders:**

Leader: Rev. Richard Chung  
Scripture Reader: Sandra Trueman  
Music Director: Colleen Coulter  
Organist: Madelene Klassen  
Ministry of Music: Knox Choir  
Usher/Greeters: Dave Cass, Sharon Bliss  
Live-Streaming: Kevin Wong  
Webminder: Debra Danny

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**May 26, 2024: Second Sunday of Pentecost**

**Scripture:** 1 Samuel 2:1-10

**Title:** Finding Stability in God's Promises

**Synopsis:** Hannah’s heartfelt prayer is a faithful response in finding emotional and spiritual stability through trusting in God's promises. In a world where personal achievements and status often define us, Hannah's story reminds us that our true worth and support come from God.

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for this land and look forward to relating with them as covenant people  
of God as we continue to care for this land together.

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