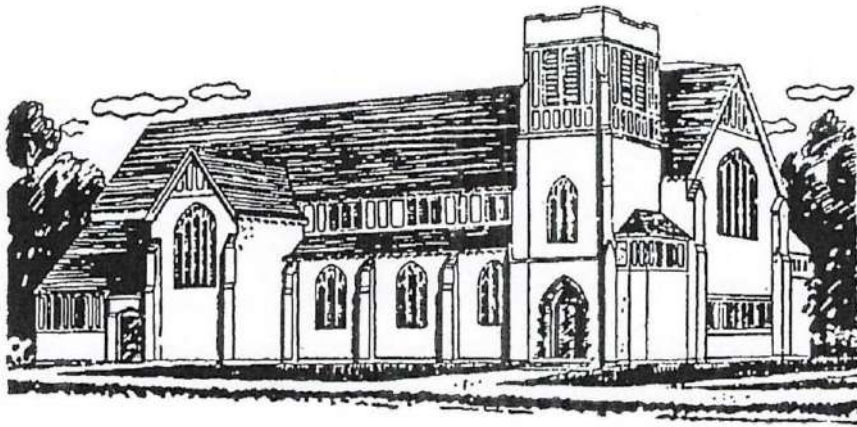


Sept. 20, 2026

17th Sunday after Pentecost

Pentecost



KNOX UNITED CHURCH

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Worship Order, 10:00 AM

(圣灵降临后第十七主日) 2026 年 9 月 20 日

♫↑ Rise to sing, as you are able ♫+ Remain seated to sing

Prelude: “Just As I Am”

Bradbury; Arr.: Victor Labenske

序曲: “照我本相”

Welcoming

欢迎

Candle Lighting (*as the candle is lit*)

点燃蜡烛 (蜡烛被点燃时)

**We light this candle as a sign that God’s love is with us – today,
and every day.**

♫+ **Introit:** “From this Sacred Space”

引子: “来自这片神圣空间”

Our lifted hands and hearts lie open.
That we may feel God’s spirit
touch us once again.
And in this sacred space,
held in God’s embrace,
we hear and share the word
of God’s good grace.
We hear and share the word
of God’s good grace.

Call to Worship

敬拜呼召

This is the day that God has made.
Let us be glad and give thanks.
We come with what we have, and with what we need.
God has provided for us, day by day.
Come --- let us open our eyes and our hearts.
Let us worship God.

♫↑ **Hymn:** “It’s a Song of Praise to the Maker”

赞美诗: “这是一首献给造物主的赞美之歌”

MV 30

Opening Prayer (said together) 开场祷告 (齐声诵读)

Generous God,
thank you for this day
and for everything in it
that we did not earn and could not make.
Help us to notice your gifts ---
even the ordinary ones.
Open our hearts to worship you. Amen.

Psalms Reading: Psalm 105; Parts One and Four VU 828

诗篇朗读：诗篇 105; 第一部分与第四部分

Hebrew Scripture: Exodus 16:2-15 NRSV p. 55

希伯来圣经：出埃及记 16:2-15

Hymn: "All Who Hunger" VU 460

圣诗：“凡饥渴的人”

Sermon: What Is It? 讲道：它是什么？**Anthem: "I Am the Bread of Life"** Arnold B. Sherman

赞歌：“我是生命的粮”

Offering Hymn: "Christ Has No Body Now but Yours" MV 171奉献赞美诗：“基督如今没有身体，只有你的身体。” (*refrain, verse 4*)**Dedication of Offering (said together)** 奉献词 (齐声诵读)

We bring these gifts in thanks for all that God has given us, day by day.
Take them, God, and use them --- and use us --- to share what we have received. Amen.

Prayers of the People 信众祷告**Lord's Prayer: "Our Father in heaven"** TLUS 70

主祷文：“我们在天上的父”

Hymn: "Your Hand, O God, Has Guided" VU 274

圣诗：“上帝啊，祢的手引领”

Commissioning and Benediction 差遣与祝福**Benediction Response: "From this Sacred Space"**

祝福回应：“来自这片神圣空间”

Our lifted hands and hearts lie open.
That we may feel God's spirit
touch us once again.
And from this sacred space,
held in God's embrace,
we go forth to share the word
of God's good grace.
We go forth to share the word
of God's good grace.

Postlude: "To God Be the Glory" Doane; Arr.: Larry Shackley

后奏曲：“荣耀归于神”

Worship Leaders:

Presider: Rev. Richard Chung
Music Director: Colleen Coulter
Head Usher: Dave Cass
Live-Streaming: Kevin Wong

Scripture Reader: Mary Graham
Ministry of Music: Knox Choir
Greeter: Wendy Trant
Webminder: Alex Danny

This bilingual worship order reflects our welcome toward Chinese members of the community, as part of our commitment to being a welcoming and inclusive church.

本双语礼拜程序体现了我们对社区华人朋友的欢迎，也是我们致力于成为一个欢迎并包容的教会的一部分。

September 20, 2026 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

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Text: Psalm 105; Parts One and Four; Exodus 16:2-15

文本：诗篇 105; 第一部分与第四部分；出埃及记 16:2-15

Title: What It Is? 讲道：它是什么？

Synopsis: Hunger makes Egypt look safer and better than it truly was. God gives the people manna - daily bread they receive before they fully understand it. The wilderness teaches them to live by grace one day at a time rather than returning to the false security of the past.

概要：饥饿感让埃及显得比实际情况更安全、更美好。上帝赐予百姓吗哪——

那是他们在尚未完全领会之前便已领受的日用之粮。旷野教导他们依靠恩典过好每一天，而不是重返过去那种虚假的安全感之中。

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Land Acknowledgment:

We acknowledge we worship on the unceded territories of the
x_ʷm_əθk_ʷəy_əm_ (Musqueam), S_kw_x_wú7mesh (Squamish),
and Sel_íl_witulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations. We thank them for having cared
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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KNOX UNITED CHURCH

Mission: "We exist to love God and love our neighbours"
(Matthew 22: 36-40)

Vision: "We aspire to engage our neighbours through
the arts, building a community without loneliness.

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