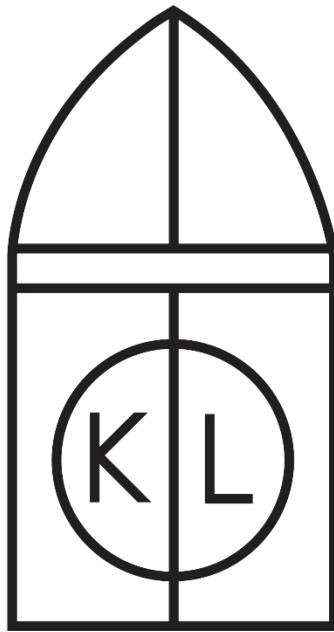


Easter
Sunday



KINGSWAY-LAMBTON

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, April 5, 2026 | 10 am
Easter Sunday and Baptism Sunday



Whoever you are,
wherever you're at,
you are welcome.
Join us on the
journey!



Lead Minister

Rev. Christopher Fraser

Music Director

Nathan Gritter

Organist

Paul Wisniewski

Choir Section Leaders


Camille Labonte | Kate Tapp Mock | Karen Hu | Rianna Robinson
William Salinas-Crosby | Matthew Tissi | Evan Hammell | Simon Vandenberg

Childcare for infants up to three years old is available in our nursery.
Sunday School for JK to Grade 5 is available after our Children's Choir sings.

Kingsway-Lambton United Church

10 am † Sunday, April 5, 2026



The congregation is asked to stand at the “” symbol.

Easter Sunday and Baptism Sunday

You are invited to place a flower on the cross prior to the Prelude.

Prelude: *“That Easter Morn”*

R. Cundick, arr. by J. Schmidt

Welcome

 **Call to Worship:**

One: Christ is risen - death has been defeated!

All: **Christ is risen indeed - Hallelujah!**

One: The stone is rolled away, and nothing can hold him back.

All: **We come to worship Jesus Christ our Risen Lord!**

 **Opening Hymn:** VU 155 *“Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”*

Easter Hymn

Introit: *“This Joyful Eastertide”*

Traditional Dutch Carol

Opening Prayer:

All: Risen Jesus, we come as we are – hopeful, tired, joyful, unsure – and you meet us with life we did not earn. You roll away the stones we cannot move and speak peace into places we thought were finished. Open our hearts to your resurrection life today, and make us alive again by your grace. Amen.

Words of Assurance

One: May the peace of Christ be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

Sharing the Peace of Jesus Christ

(Following the sharing of the Peace, please make your way back to your seats, as the children come forward.)

Celebrating the Sacrament of Baptism

Introduction

Rev. Chris Fraser

✿ **Baptismal Hymn:** VU 450 *“Here at This Font”* (vs. 1 & 2)

Winscott

Prayer of Thanksgiving

One: God be with you

All: **and also with you.**

One: Lift up your hearts

All: **we lift them to God**

One: Let us give our thanks to God

All: **It is good to give God thanks.**

Family Promise Together:

Today, we trust in Jesus Christ, and we present our son for baptism not because of what he has done, but because of what God has done for him.

With God’s help, we will nurture him in the faith and life of the Christian community, and by our prayers and our witness, help him grow in the life of Christ.

Trusting in God’s grace, we renounce all that resists his love – the forces of evil, the powers that corrupt and destroy, and the desires that draw us away from God.

We turn to Jesus Christ, we trust in his grace and love, and we will follow him as Lord.

All this we say and do with God’s help. Amen.

Congregational Promise

One: As the congregation of Kingsway-Lambton United Church, do you commit yourselves to support and nurture this child within a community which worships God, loves and serves others, seeks justice and resists evil?

All: **We do, by the grace of God.**

✿ **Presentation of Candidate**

Margaret Pace

Brothers and Sisters in Christ, Samuel Ryan Fraser has been brought by his parents this day seeking baptism.

Blessing of the Water

The Rite of Baptism and Anointing with Oil

Congregational Commitment:

All: We welcome you with joy into the family of Jesus. We promise to walk with you in faith, hope, and love. We will pray for you and remind you that you belong to God. We will share with you the story of Jesus and his grace. And we will trust that God, who began this good work, will carry it through. AMEN.

Closing Baptismal Prayer

✿ **Baptismal Hymn:** VU 450 *“Here at This Font”* (vs. 3 & 4) Winscott

Children’s Choir: *“My Redeemer Lives”* Reuben Morgan

Offering

Anthem: *“O be Joyful in the Lord”* Eleanor Daley

Presentation of the Offering, Doxology, & Prayer of Dedication

✿ **Doxology:** Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side,
rich wounds yet visible above, in beauty glorified.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! for thou hast died for me;
thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.
(VU 211 – vs. 4)

Scripture: John 20: 1-18 Janna Adair

Sermon: *“The Voice That Breaks Through Tears”* Rev. Chris Fraser

✿ **Hymn:** *“See What a Morning (Resurrection Hymn)”* (words on screen)

Prayers of the People

The Lord’s Prayer

✿ **Hymn:** VU 173 *“Thine Is the Glory”* Judas Maccabaeus

✿ Commissioning and Blessing

✿ **Choral Benediction:** *“Hallelujah Chorus”* from G.F. Handel’s Messiah



**Easter
Coffee
Hour**

Please join us in the
Auditorium

following the service for an Easter Celebration!



Baptized Today

Today we welcome into the assurance of God's eternal love and our Church family's love and into a new commitment of the family and service of Jesus Christ:

Samuel Ryan Fraser
Son of Christopher and Prentice Fraser



Having Trouble Hearing the Service in Person?

Ask an usher for a hearing assistance device.

Please remember to return the device to the Narthex. Thank You!





Sunday School Curriculum!



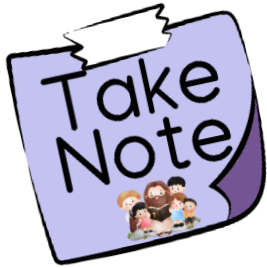
The lesson this week is:
"The Empty Tomb"

Scripture Reading: Matthew 28: 1-10



*"Today is **Easter Sunday**. On Easter we celebrate that **Jesus is risen!** The symbol for Easter is a **cross**. **Jesus died on the cross**, but now he is **alive!**"*

"On Easter morning, four women were surprised! They didn't find Jesus in the tomb because he was alive!"



Sunday School News!

Beginning this morning, **April 5th** (Easter), Sunday School will be temporarily relocated until after the Flea Market.

Sunday School will be in the **Upper Triad Room** located at the east end of the building.





Easter Memorial Flowers



Forever in our hearts.

William and Janna Adair

In loving memory of Caryl Rutledge and Our Parents

Jean Adare

In loving memory of Friends

Mary Ann, Gail, Judith and Family

In loving memory of Gordon & Mary Powrie

Lois Allen

In loving memory of Nancy Lynn Gordon

Jean Ashworth-Bartle & Family

In loving memory of Donald E. Bartle

Deb Bacon & Family

In loving memory of Jeff Bacon

Heather Bacon & Family

In loving memory of Jim Bacon

Jane Bright

In loving memory of John Bright

Kim Cunningham

In loving memory of Barry Cunningham

Alastair Currie

In loving memory of the beautiful Diana Currie who will never be forgotten.

Andrea Darvill

In loving memory of Jim Darvill

Eileen Goodin

In loving memory of Michael Goodin

In loving memory of Marie Samuels-Isaac

Pein-Pein Huang

In loving memory of a Dear Mother

Larsen Family

In loving memory of Millicent and Paul Larsen

Loved One

Remembering You With Love ~ Loved Ones

Don & Mary-Margaret MacInnes

In loving memory of Mary-Margaret's parents, Helen & Merton Simpson

In loving memory of Don's parents, Keitha & Donald MacInnes

Margaret McKie

In loving memory of my Parents

In loving memory of John Brownlie

Anne McMinn and Family

In loving memory of Kathleen McMinn

Marywinn Milne

In loving memory of Marion & Gilbert Milne

Avalon Neale and Family

In loving memory of David Neale

The Niemy Family

In loving memory of Loved Ones

Margaret and Jaclyn Pace

In loving memory of Mom, Dad and dear brother Donald

Marjorie Paradine

In loving memory of Jim Paradine

Carolyn Piitz

In loving memory of Gwladys Martin

Doreen Raymer

In loving memory of Ronald Raymer

Monica Richardson

In loving memory of Tina and Abe Friesen

Susan Richardson

In loving memory of Mary Lou & Doug Richardson & Ann Poldaa

Suzie Rudy and Ian Eddy

In loving memory of Helen & Carson Eddy

Donna Siddall & Family

In loving memory of George & Eva Brown, Dave Siddall

The Spiegelberg Family

In loving memory of Keith Spiegelberg

Gail and Family

In loving memory of Ted Teal

Vanessa James and Sarah

In loving memory of Dawn Thomas

Yvette Vali

In loving memory of Yvonne Trapman

Watt Family

In loving memory of Rev. Dr. John Robert Watt and Verna Watt

Claire Wilson

In loving memory of Michael Wilson

In loving memory of Susanna Claire Weeks (Wilson)

The Wilson Family

In loving memory of Rod Wilson



Easter Outreach Campaign



JOIN OUR EASTER OUTREACH CAMPAIGN!

***Hebrews 13:2 "Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers,
for thereby some have entertained angels unawares."***

Kingsway-Lambton's community Outreach efforts support seven local agencies*, all of which do amazing work in our community. Your donations make this happen.

Let's shine the spotlight on the Out of the Cold Program that feeds 100 people every winter Friday night right here in our neighbourhood. This program began almost 40 years ago, intended to be a temporary winter stopgap for shelter and hunger. Over 30 Kingsway-Lambton volunteers work to host two Friday dinners over the winter. Your donations pay for these meals at a cost of \$5.72/meal. But that's not all! The Out of the Cold program operates with a team of 10+ regular volunteers who are at All Saints EVERY Friday night, after their day jobs, running the show. They ensure wellness and safety; they guide the serving; they organize dental services, haircuts, an art station, instrumentalists, and a table of warm clothing. Your donations also support this part of the program.

I hope you agree this is money well spent.

There are six more agencies that have amazing stories like this. Please consider donating to Kingsway-Lambton's Easter Outreach campaign.

* Community Outreach supports the following agencies:

Stonegate Ministries, Out of the Cold, Youth Without Shelter, Youth Unlimited,
The Gatehouse, Parkdale Golden Age Foundation, and Lake Scugog.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Check out the e-blast or KL website for further details.

ART

For Goodness' Sake

CHARITY ART SHOW & SALE

Saturday, April 11 | 10 am to 4 pm

31 professional artists
over 500 pieces of art across a variety of media

Tickets on sale online and at Coffee Hour.

If you can help on the day of the event and/or supply homemade cookies, please contact Ona Humphreys at 416-232-0484 or by email at onacam@icloud.com

WEST END AFFIRM FILM SERIES

Friday, April 10 | 7:00 pm | Islington United Church

Monday, April 20 | 7:00 pm | Humbercrest United Church

WEST END
AFFIRM
FILM SERIES

Join the West End Affirm Group
for the next movie in their film series:

"Prayers for Bobby"

"She loves everything about him...except who he is."



Prayers for Bobby

The Flea Market

Accepting Donations Now!

OPEN:

Weekdays:
12-7 pm

Sundays:
8:30 am - noon

Saturdays:
Closed



*We Appreciate Your
Generosity & Kindly Ask:*

Please:

- Separate clothing from housewares.
- Label your donations (toys, clothes, ect).
- No textbooks please!

thank you

*Please leave items at the bottom of the stairs of the glass doors.
If the doors are locked, please press the buzzer.*



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