Mission Statement: Worship, discipleship, service, and fellowship

Vision Statement:

To grow to be a more vibrant and relevant presence in our rural community as a welcoming, joyful, and spiritual church family.

At Dunwich United Church all are welcome.

We are open for in-person worship every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Join us for Coffee & Conversation after service.

Watch for news and messages on Facebook and the website.

Web: dunwichunited.ca Calendar: www.dunwichunited.ca/calendar Facebook: Dunwich United & Friends

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Church Sign:
When you're finally holding all the cards, why does everyone else decide to play chess?

Welcome

Your life's path has led you here this morning. This is a place where all will find acceptance ... no, that isn't a strong enough word. Here you will find the unconditional love of Jesus. Please know that you are welcome here.



"Sunflower with Bee" by Jennifer Talbot

September 21, 2025

Led by: Worship Team

Guest: Susan McCullough

Ministry of Music: Anne Griffin

Scripture Next Week:

Jerimiah 32:1-3a, 6-15 Psalm 146 1 Timothy 6:6-19 Luke 16:19-31



Acknowledgement of the Land:

Dutton is a Treaty community situated on the traditional territory of the Anishinaabe, Chononton, Haudenosaunee, Huron, and Leni-Lunaabe. Elgin and London Township are on territories that are the subject of the Two Row Wampam, 1613, Dish with One Spoon, 1690, London Township Treaty #6, 1796, McKee Treaty #2, 1790, and Longwoods Treaty #21/22, 1819-1822.

From Susan Lukey, Editor, Gathering Worship, United Church of Canada: "Some may ask why we have an acknowledgement of territory in a worship service. We include them because the church, our church, was complicit in the system of residential institutions and the plan to destroy Indigenous cultures, faiths, languages, and peoples."

Church Bloopers

This evening at 7 PM there will be a hymn sing in the park across from the Church.

Bring a blanket and come prepared to sin.



Drumming is Starting Again!
September 28th, 2:00 p.m.
Dunwich United Church
RSVP to Stacia: 226-385-8796
No experience necessary.
Drums are provided, but you are welcome to bring your own.
All ages, a great family activity.
\$5.00/person
+ food item for Daffodil or
Socks, mitts, hats for Grace Café would be appreciated, but not necessary.



Dunwich UCW Meeting
Monday, October 6, 2025 at 1:30 p.m.
Program: Pauline Sloetjes
"Who relies on my Native Perennial Garden?"
Everyone welcome
Come out and bring a friend



Dutton Farmers' Market
June 1st to October 5th
Sundays, 9:00-1:00
Where Community Grows
Shop Local
A Place for Connection
Join Us At The Market



Knox-St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Warmly invites us to the
25th Anniversary of their church
community coming together as one. In
2000, members from the Dutton,
Wallacetown, and West Lorne churches
joined to form what is now
Knox-St. Andrew's.
A special Anniversary Service will be
held on Sunday, September 21st
at 2:00 p.m.

The Guest Speaker will be the Rev. Tim Raeburn-Gibson, Minister at Westmount Presbyterian Church in London. A time of fellowship and refreshment will follow the service.



Beginning Sunday, August 31 st, and continuing until October 19th, the V&S Team will be collecting good used clothing, especially winter gear, as well as cash donations, for the Grace Café.

Sunday, October 19th, 2025 is World Food Sunday. The Visioning and

Stewardship Team will be leading the Service. Their guest speaker will be from Grace Café. On that Sunday, all donations will be presented for use by Grace Café.

A collection box and some donation envelopes will be outside the meeting room.

Memory Board

Is there someone you would like to recognize?
Perhaps for their contribution to our Church or community? Consider adding them to our Memory Board. All contributions to this Church fundraiser are tax-deductible. Please see Darlene Ford for more information.



Rev. Larry's Office Hours:
September 10th, 4-5 p.m.
September 18th, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
October 02nd, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
October 16, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
He is unavailable
October 26th-28th
Secretary Anne's Hours:
Thursdays, 9-11 a.m.
Phones answered regularly

Now taking orders for <u>our</u> Famous Roast Beef Pies



5-inch deep-dish pies made with top quality, slow-roasted beef, peas and carrots, and rich beef gravy. Frozen, ready for you to bake at home \$6.00

Now taking orders for November Call Jackie at 519-762-2283



Al-Anon is a program that is for anyone that has been affected by the disease of alcoholism. We are welcoming anybody to attend a meeting to learn about the disease of alcoholism from the perspective of a family or friend. We meet every Wednesday at 7pm

This is Your Invitation...

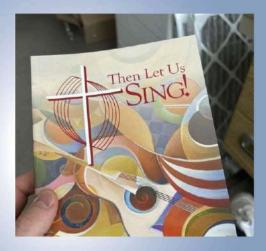
Moving Forward in Song!

Come and Sing! A free event celebrating 100 Years of Great Hymns, and an introduction to "Then Let Us Sing", the new United Church of Canada hymn supplement









Sunday, October 5, 2:30-3:30 pm

Sponsored by Calvary, Riverside, Wesley-Knox, White Oaks United Churches | Hosted by Wesley-Knox

Wesley-Knox United Church, 91 Askin Street, London, ON N6E 1E7 519.673.4803 | www.wesleyknox.com







Have you given up that old dial-up phone? Please give your new cell phone number to the office.

Cafe Open

The Grace Café is a charity organization, open till 1:00 or 2:00 p.m., six days a week, and is located at 323 Talbot Street, St. Thomas.

Ginny started it and works with a large pool of volunteers. For those early risers, a gift card to Tim Horton's is given where people can get a muffin and coffee. The Cafe provides a noon meal and, after lunch, packaged food is available for "take out".

The Café has a ministry there to pass out warm clothing, (mitts, hats, socks, some coats, etc.).

On Saturdays, they open up for a big beautiful brunch.
Ginny often has entertainment at the brunches. She also makes a point of having small cakes on hand to celebrate birthdays. She feels everyone should have a chance to feel special.

For the past three years they have partnered with The Annex, a drug addiction resource. The Annex streamlines the process for getting into detox or rehab. They are determined to reach all people who are in need of their services. They pay for all the fees associated with counselling.

The Café accepts donations of all kinds; cash, food donations, clothing, and \$5.00 Tim's Gift Cards. Thankfully, when they've had equipment break down, community partners have stepped forward for repairs or replacement.

All are WELCOME.