

# On -The -Horizon Newsletter

Kemble-Sarawak,  
Zion-Keppel  
United Churches

Thurs. March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025

## A.G.M. Sunday !

This coming Sunday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, at Kemble-Sarawak United Church we will gather at 10:30 a.m. for a shortened worship service followed by our Annual General Meeting (AGM). Please bring your copy of the Annual Report.

Hardcopies of the Annual Report are available at the church or a paper-free copy can be emailed to you: [kszkunited@gmail.com](mailto:kszkunited@gmail.com)

Following the meeting all will gather in the church basement for a Potluck lunch.



### Land Acknowledgement

We formally acknowledge the Territory of the Anishinabek Nation: The People of the Three Fires known as Ojibway, Odawa, and Pottawatomie Nations. And further give thanks to the Chippewas of Saugeen, and the Chippewas of Nawash, known collectively as the Saugeen Ojibway Nation, as the traditional keepers of this land.

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Kemble, ON N0H 1S0

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Rev. Heather McCarrel  
Hours: Sun. – Thurs.  
Pastoral Emergency?  
Phone: 519-270-8545

### **Support the On-Going Ministry of Kemble-Sarawak United Church**

1. PAR: Interested in being on PAR? Contact Mary Beth Gray (Treasurer) at [kemblemt1@gmail.com](mailto:kemblemt1@gmail.com)
2. E-Transfer Donations: accepted at [kemsarunited@gmail.com](mailto:kemsarunited@gmail.com)
3. Envelope Giving: weekly envelopes are available. Contact [kszkunited@gmail.com](mailto:kszkunited@gmail.com)
4. One Time Donation can be mailed to: Kemble-Sarawak United Church 319940 Kemble Rock Road, Kemble ON NOH 1S0

**Inclement Weather?** If worship or an event at the church is canceled a notice will be put on the church's website: [kszkunited.com](http://kszkunited.com) & an email will be sent out. If in doubt, don't head out!

## **A Note From The Minister**

Sunday March 16<sup>th</sup> arrived with bright sunshine and a winter crispness in the air. Roger and Virginia greeted all those who arrived for worship and the chatter grew louder in the sanctuary. We began worship with the lighting of the Christ Candle and everyone joined together to congratulate Keith Davidson on receiving the King Charles III medal. We also took the opportunity to thank the Sunday School children for the wonderful lunch the previous Sunday.

Roger led us through the Lenten Candle liturgy prior to the choir sharing an inspiring Lenten Anthem. It was an unexpected thrill to have so many folks join us for worship and it was especially nice to see all the hospitality once the worship service ended. The conversations lasted well over half an hour after worship!

Monday morning Bible Study was a time spent examining the wise words of Isaiah. We were especially grateful for the arrival of warm homemade tea biscuits and apple butter!

Please plan on joining us this Sunday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, for a shortened worship service followed by the Annual General Meeting. We have only good news to celebrate from this past year in our ministry! Plan on staying for the potluck that will follow the service.

Hope to see you Sunday,

Rev. Heather McCarrel



### **LENTEN PRAYER**

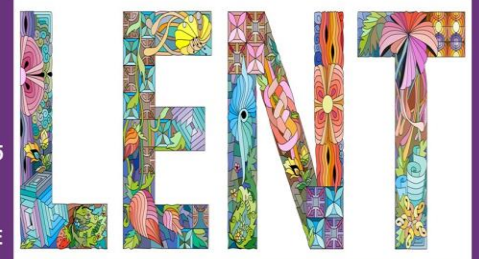
**"Lord, as we journey towards Easter, help us to deepen our faith, embrace your teachings, and grow closer to you through prayer and acts of service, so that we may be renewed in spirit and ready to celebrate the resurrection with joy."**

## Congratulations to Keith Davidson February's Bible Champ.!



## Lenten Bible Study **ENDURING JOY!**

Kemble-Sarawak United Church  
Mondays 10:30 a.m. ~ March 3rd – April 7th  
Scriptures & Questions in the OTH 1 week prior to each Monday



STARTING  
MON. MARCH 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2025  
10:30 A.M.  
EVERYONE WELCOME

**Mon. March 24<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 a.m.**  
**READ: 2 CORINTHIANS 5:16-21**

1. The Apostle Paul believes that the entire good news of God can be captured in two words: new creation. Do you agree?
2. Imagine how the disciples, Jesus' family and friends, experienced the before and after of his death (before they saw him resurrected). How did they feel living in the after?
3. How do you think their relationship with Jesus changed after Jesus rose from the dead?
4. What kind of truths do you think the disciples discovered through the pain of this experience? What hard-won wisdom did they discover from this experience?
5. How do we live into being a new creation as a community? How do we live into the "after" of Christ's love?

# KEMBLE MAPLE TOUR

APRIL 12, 2025

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

5 DIFFERENT MAPLE PRODUCERS  
DELICIOUS MEAL  
ARTS & CRAFTS SALE  
FAMILY FUN AT THE KEMBLE ARENA

ADVANCED MEAL TICKETS PREFERRED  
PURCHASE FROM FEB. 24- APRIL 10 AT:

BAYSHORE COUNTRY FEEDS  
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KembleMaple.com  
or call 519-371-9128

## Read The New Testament In A Year The 5x5x5 Plan

**5 MINUTES A DAY:** Set aside only 5 minutes a day.

**5 DAYS A WEEK:** Read only 5 days of the week.

**5 WAYS TO DIG DEEPER:**

1. Underline or highlight key words in the passages.
2. Read then rewrite the passage using your own words.
3. Ask: who, what, why, when, where, or how?
4. Ask: What's the big idea in this passage?
5. Ask: How does this passage affect my life?

**This Week's Readings:**

Week 13: Galatians chapters 4-6, James chapters 1-2

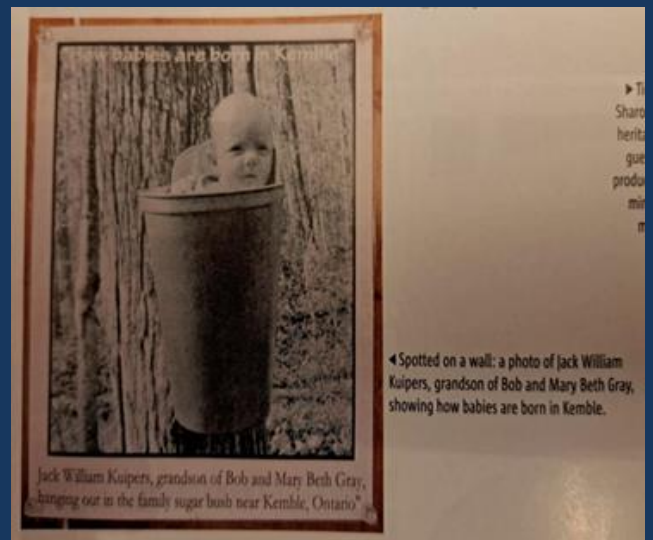
WEEK 14: James Chapter 3-5, Matthew chapters 1-2

**Congratulations on completing  
The Gospel of Mark, Book of Acts, Hebrews, Galatians & James**

Printed Reading Schedule At The Church



# The Magazine titled 'Niagara Escarpment Views' Coverage of the Kemble Maple Tour



## Worship at KSZK United

### Greeters

MAR. 16, 23	ROGER & VIRGINIA MARTIN
MAR. 30, APR. 6	DOUG & BERNADINE PROWD
APRIL 13, 20	DON & WANDA DAILEY

### Scripture Readers

MAR. 16, 23	ROGER & VIRGINIA MARTIN
MAR. 30	SANDY BARFOOT
APR. 6	AUNALEA CRUIKSHANK
APRIL 13, 20	DON & WANDA DAILEY

## This Month at Kemble-Sarawak United

If you or your group would like to book a time to use the church please contact Kerolyn Moran at [kerolynmoran@hotmail.com](mailto:kerolynmoran@hotmail.com)

Sun. March 16th:	CFOS Radio Service: 8:00 a.m. Kemble-Sarawak's Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.: 2nd Sunday of Lent Zion-Keppel's 1:00 p.m.: Worship Service & Zion-Keppel's Annual General Meeting
Mon. March 17th:	Lenten Bible Study: 10:30 a.m. & Lion's Meeting: 7:00 p.m
Sun. March 23:	Kemble-Sarawak's Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. : 3rd Sunday of Lent Followed by Kemble-Sarawak United's Annual General Meeting
Sun. March 30th:	Kemble-Sarawak's Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. : 4th Sunday of Lent

## Announcements

**Chapman House Grief Groups:** Join others in a safe space to explore and express your grief. Learn More At: <https://www.greybrucehospice.com/grief-bereavement/>

**United Church Essential Newsletter , March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025:**  
<https://mailchi.mp/united-church/e-ssentials-4754100?e=8f585e2b76>

**UCW Fundraiser: Tru Earth Orders:** is now linked to its sister company Eco-Collective.  
<http://ecoc.sjv.io/KembleSarawakUCW>

**Milk Bags:** When bringing in your milk bags please ensure that they are placed CLEAN, FLAT and RIGHT SIDE OUT in the box in the basement. Many thanks!!