

**Upcoming Events & Happenings:**

The **bulletin** will be posted Sunday.  
([www.nkuc.ca](http://www.nkuc.ca)).

**Meat Sale Fundraiser –**

Pick-up Friday, Oct 2 (1:30-4:00)

**Pet Blessing Service –**

Saturday, Oct 3 @ 1:30 pm. Details below.

**World Communion Sunday –**

Sunday, Oct 4

**Comm. of Stewards –**

Sunday, Oct 4 @ 11:15 am

**Unified Board Meeting –**

Tuesday, Oct 6 @ 7:00 pm

**Wednesday AM Study Group**

Wednesday, Oct 7 @ 10:00 am

**Kildonan Care Service –**

Oct 8 @ 10:30 am. Volunteers welcome.

**NKUC Quiz Night –**

Friday, Oct 16 @ 7:00 pm. Tickets \$20 ea.  
See Barrie M.

Please note that Wilma will be away for an administrative conference from Oct 5 to Oct 9. Emails will be checked occasionally & Rev. Susan will monitor phone calls.

**NKUC Weekly News**

19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

World Communion Sunday

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**Weekly at NKUC:**

Choir Rehearsal – Thursdays @ 7:00 pm. All voices welcome.

Study Group – resumes Wednesday, October 7 @ 10:00 am.

**Scripture Readings for October 4, 2026**

*Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19; Isaiah 5: 1-7; Psalm 80: 7-15;  
Philippians 3: 4b-14; Matthew 21: 33-46*

**Scripture Readings for October 11, 2026**

*Exodus 32: 1-14; Psalm 106: 1-6, 19-23; Isaiah 25: 1-9; Psalm 23;  
Philippians 4: 1-9; Matthew 1: 14*

**Thank you to the following for their participation in the October 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Service:**

**Worship Leader** – Rev. Susan Reed

**Music** – Joanne Diplock

**Scripture Reader** – Shirley Codd

**Candle Lighter** – Kathy Leech

**Greeter** – Noreen Scott

**Usher** – Grace Atkins

**Sound & PowerPoint** – Heinz Goetz

**Counters** – Scotty McLaren & Barrie McPherson

**CARING AND SHARING**

Please keep the following in your prayers: Betty Hamilton, Jen Babcock, Shirley Davie, Frank Cosway, Benjamin (Shirley Codd's grandson), and Doreen Sims.

**PET BLESSING October 3** (Saturday) – Pet Blessing Service @ 1:30 pm. You are welcome to bring your pets (on leashes or in cages or carriers please), pictures of your current or former pets, or your favourite stuffed animal for a Blessing of the Pets service in the church garden. In the case of poor weather, we will gather in the church basement. Please note there will not be a Sunday morning Pet Blessing component this year. So, everyone is welcome to join us on Saturday - whether you have a pet or not!



The Outreach Committee will once again initiate a food collection for 1JustCity, Pimicikamak Centre. Dates of collection will be October 4, 11 and 18th.

To acknowledge World Food Day, you are invited to a Stone Soup luncheon following the worship service on October 18th. The youth and the Outreach committee will prepare soup, buns, cookies and coffee. We hope that everyone will stay for food and fellowship.



Rev. Susan will be leading worship at the Kildonan Personal Care Centre on **Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am**. Members of the congregation are welcome to join her to help with worship, and mostly to visit with the residents. As visitor parking is very limited, we'll meet at the church just before 10am to carpool over.

**Prairie to Pine and the World Council of Churches Prayer Cycle:**

*The Ecumenical Prayer Cycle enables us to journey through every region of the world affirming our solidarity with Christians all over the world. Lord, hear our prayer...please keep the work of the communities of Morris-Rossenfeld Ecumenical Ministry, Reston-Pipestone and Colombia, Ecuador, Venezuela in your prayers this week.*



Frank & Marie Leskovjan  
– October 2



Klaas Polet –  
October 7

"On behalf of those with chemical sensitivities and asthma, we would like to thank you for keeping North Kildonan United Church a **scent-free zone** by **refraining from the use of perfumes and colognes.**"

**Offering:****PAR: General Fund** \$1644.00**M&S:** \$122.88**MCP:** \$35.00**September 27<sup>th</sup> Offering:****General Fund:**\$750.00**M&S:** \$175.00**MCP:** \$20.00**Quiz Night:** \$260.00**Broadview:** \$30.00**Drink Tab Collection**

I recently dropped off 14 pounds of drink tabs that we have collected over the last year.

That is equal to approximately 18,000 tabs!

Thank you all! Continue to collect and drop your tabs in the bin in the narthex. ~Dorothy Franklin

**Prairie to Pine UCW presents****A 4F Day for Women:** *Faith, Fellowship, Fun and Food*Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026, from 10am to 3pm

Hosted by UCW ~ Niverville United Church

55 – 1<sup>st</sup> Street North, Niverville, MBLunch provided. **RSVP by October 1****NKUC QUIZ NIGHT – SAVE THE DATE****Friday, October 16, 2026 @ 7pm** at North Kildonan Community Centre, 1144 Kingsford Place.

Please join us for a fun evening with refreshments, food, prizes, and lots of laughs. Get your friends, neighbours and family together to form a team of up to 8 people; or come on your own. **If you are planning on getting tickets to Quiz Night please contact Barrie at 204-663-6744 as we are nearly sold out.** Silent Auction prize donations gratefully accepted.

**Please see the notices posted on the bulletin board for other events of interest**

- **Faith Beyond Borders** – October 1-3 in Winnipeg; October 4 in Brandon; October 5 at Sandy Saulteaux Centre.
- **Hymn Festival of Thanks** – Saturday, Oct 3 @ 7:30 pm at All Saints Anglican Church.
- **Messy Church** – Thursday, Oct 9 @ 5:30-7:00 pm at Fort Garry United Church.
- **NKUC Quiz Night** – Friday, Oct 16 @ 7:00 pm at North Kildonan Community Centre. Tickets are \$20.
- **A 4F Day for Women** – Saturday, Oct 17 from 10-3 at Niverville United Church. RSVP by October 1.
- **ALF Youth Retreat** – October 23-25 at Minnedosa United Church. Registration deadline October 12.
- **Elvis "The Memories" Fundraiser** – Sat, Oct 24 @ 2:30 pm at Fort Garry UC. Tickets: \$20. Prizes for best costume.
- **Homecoming Worship Service** – Sunday, Nov 1 @ 10:30 am at Fort Garry United Church.

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