

Knox Presbyterian Church

5406 Roome Street, Halifax, NS. B3K 5K7

Prayer on Entering the House of the LORD

O God, as we gather to worship, quiet in us any voice but your own in the name which is above every name, Jesus Christ, that we may be inspired by your Holy Spirit to live according to your will. Amen.

Order of Divine Worship – April 17, 2011

We gather in God's name to worship

Organ Prelude

Welcome and announcements

Call to Worship

Responsive Lenten Liturgy – Phyllis MacDonald

*Hymn #214: *All glory, laud and honour*

Prayer of Adoration, Confession and Assurance of Pardon

*Hymn #78: *This is the day*

Children's Anthem: *Tinga Laya*

We hear the Word proclaimed

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 50: 4 – 9a (714)

Responsive Psalm 118: 1 – 2, 19 - 29 Book of Psalms

Philippians 2: 5 – 11 (1139)

Matthew 21: 1 – 17 (955)

Leader: The Word of the LORD **People: Thanks be to God**

We respond to God's Word

Choir Anthem: *A stable lamp is lighted*

The Offering

*Presentation & Dedication of our Gifts (Doxology #830)

*Hymn #216: *Hosanna*

Sermon: A different kind of King

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Hymn: 682: *Just as I am, without one plea* (verses 1 – 4)

Apostle's Creed #539 in the Book of Praise

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving/LORD's Prayer (Debts and Debtors)

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

We go forth to serve God

*Hymn #682: *Just as I am, without one plea* (verses 5 – 6)

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Choral "Amen" and Organ Postlude

*Please stand if you are able

We extend a warm welcome to all who are joining us in worship this morning. If this is your first time worshipping with us, we would be delighted if you would sign our Guest Book. We invite you to stay for coffee/tea and fellowship following the service in the lobby so that we may have an opportunity to get to know you a little better. May God grant His blessing on you and this gathering of His people.

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Today's bulletins are in memory of Lena Fortunato

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fri April 22, 10:00 a.m. – Good Friday Service

~ Special Days ~

April 18th – Bill and Ann Brown – *Happy Anniversary*

Mission Capsule

NICARAGUA: Mike Birks: *Presbyterians Sharing* supports Mike Birks, a Young Adult Intern working in Nicaragua with The Council of Protestant Churches in Nicaragua (CEPAD). CEPAD serves poor communities by promoting justice and peace and helping to improve their quality of life. Mike is working with one of CEPAD's new agricultural projects in Jinotega. He is helping to set up a small company to sell certified, good-quality, indigenous bean seeds to local farmers. Mike is helping create a marketing plan for the seeds, under the company name Demitierra Frijoles CEPAD. He is also responsible for tracking the results of this project to determine whether or not it will be a viable option to continue, and possibly expand, in the future.

Texts for next Sunday: Jeremiah 31:1 – 6
Psalm 118:1 – 2, 14 – 24
Acts 10:34 – 43
Matthew 28:1 – 10