

# KNYSNA METHODIST CHURCH



Following Christ | Embracing All

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Sunday 1 MAY 2022

*We strive to become a community of Christ followers who ...*  
worship (God passionately) | care (for our congregation) |  
serve (our community) | learn (about God, Scripture and Life) |  
meet (in fun and fellowship) | manage (our resources wisely)

Dear Friend/s & Visitors,

Welcome and thank you for joining us as we meet online and in church for this Sunday worship. May this experience be meaningful and through it may you come to know God's love for you. To help us know and serve you better, please fill in the form at the back of the bulletin and e-mail it back to us or pop it into the collection bag.

**BE STILL AND KNOW...**

"In the morning, long before dawn, he got up and left the house, and went off to a lonely place and prayed there." In the middle of sentences loaded with action, healing suffering people, casting out demons, responding to impatient disciples, travelling from town to town and preaching from synagogue to synagogue, we find these quiet words. In the centre of breathless activities we hear a restful breathing, a moment of quiet stillness. In the heart of such involvement there are words of withdrawal and contemplation. After much togetherness there is solitude. In the lonely place Jesus finds the courage to follow God's will and not his own. Where are the lonely places in your life? The careful balance between silence and words, withdrawal and involvement, distance and closeness. Solitude and community form the basis of the Christian life and should be the subject of our most personal attention, first at our life in action, and then at our life in solitude. Never be afraid of the quiet, listen, because perhaps God is trying to tell you something.

Be still and know that I am God  
With unconditional love

*Rod*



01 May 2022 @ 08h30 live stream worship service link:

<https://youtu.be/yeoxqjJpZNk>

(Communion Service / Preacher : Juan Smith)

or visit our website [www.knysnamethodist.co.za](http://www.knysnamethodist.co.za)

**TODAY'S READING**

Psalm 30 (NIV),  
John 21:1-19 (NIV)



**PRAYER'S FOR FAMILIES THIS WEEK**

Bill & Lindy Hartley, Anne Heathcock,  
Shelton & Elaine Hennies

## ***What's happening...***

- **Small Groups:** Contact Hester McGregor for further info on 082 923 5113
- **Car guard:** Pls remember to leave a small donation in the boxes provided
- Any **VISITATION** needs, pls contact Elsie Joubert
- **Reconditioned cards** by WA available at R3, R5 & R10 each in the foyer
- **Soup Kitchen** – remains in much need of fresh soup ingredients, tinned foods or cash donations.
- **Easy to open tinned foods** are still being collected for food parcels.
- **"You Are Invited"** to follow our Daily Devotions via our website under Ministries.
- **Flower Donation Roster** available at the hall & church entrance if you would like to donate flowers in celebration of a special occasion.
- **Faith for Daily Livings** are available again. Please remember to leave a donation when taking a booklet.
- **Singing Kettle** tea garden 7<sup>th</sup> May at 09h00. Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast and freshly baked cakes & savouries!
- **WA Meeting** Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> May 13h30 for 14h00. All ladies welcome.
- **Men's & Ladies breakfast** on 21<sup>st</sup> May will **NO** longer be a combined breakfast. Separate breakfasts will still take place on this date.
- **The Attic** shop is open at Oaks-On-Main, please support us! All donations to be delivered to the church.
- **Men's breakfast** – Sat 21 May at The Bell, Belvidere 08h30. Pls rsvp to Pam Jacobs
- **Ladies breakfast** – Sat 21 May at Bosuns 08h45 for 09h00. Attendance list on the notice boards

### **WE CONTINUE TO COLLECT:**

1. Soup ingredients: needed on a regular basis for the Soup Kitchen.
2. Soaps for Epilepsy SA: used as birthday gifts by Women's Auxiliary.
3. Any used stamps: used to fund the Bible Society of South Africa.
4. Donations for Granny's Attic: any gently used unwanted goods eg. clothes, kitchenware, ornaments, appliances etc. Also any grocery bags.
5. Tin Food Items which are easy to open, for food parcels.

## PRAYER NEEDS

*(For prayer needs, the Prayer Chain contact person is Elsie Joubert (082 871 0868)*

Linda Davis, Hillary Blowe, Helena Monk, Suelene Drake,  
Jean Gillies, Felicity Tremaine, Noel Bell

## CHURCH FINANCES

In response to Jesus and the Spirit's life-giving presence in our world and in us and in accordance with sound biblical principles, we encourage all our members to give financially or tithe toward the Mission of God. Without your giving this work will not be possible. At KMC there are different ways to give:

- The offering baskets on Sundays
- Planned Giving Envelopes (A monthly pledge amount)
- Electronic Transfers: Either as someone on Planned Giving, in which case a reference "Planned Giving" is to be used. If you would like to know more about our Planned Giving Programme, please contact the church office.
- EFTs to: The Methodist Church of SA Knysna Society  
First National Bank, Branch: Knysna, Branch Code: 210214, Acc No. 62 000 506 529
- Zapper App :



Fast and easy Donation option

Donate quickly and securely by scanning our QR code. Search for 'Zapper' in the App store on your mobile phone and download it. It will only take a moment and it's FREE! Select *Register* then create your profile and load your card details. Input your payment amount and select pay.

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***Thank you for your generous giving!***

Knysna Methodist Outreach is a registered NPO no. 131-089

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### Income Feb & Mar 2022

	February	March	Year to Date
Budget	140 232	140 232	420 695
Actual	136 267	121 076	387 112





### **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday – Closed  
Tues to Thurs 08:00 -13:00  
Friday 08:00 – 12:30  
Tel. & fax 044 382 3363

Secretary: Pam Jacobs / e-mail: [admin@knysnamethodist.co.za](mailto:admin@knysnamethodist.co.za)

### **Society Stewards:**

Marion Flaum (044 388 4648) 'meet'  
Jon Rutherford (082 900 8663) 'manage' / 'trust properties'  
Hester McGregor (082 923 5113) 'learn'(adult)  
Elsie Joubert (082 871 0868) 'care'  
Arnaud de Groot (073 502 4528) 'serve'

Circuit Steward: Cedric Baillie (083 230 5719)  
Prayer Chain: Elsie Joubert (082 871 0868)  
Women's Auxiliary: Roz Messenger (082 925 4786)

To help us know and serve you better, please let us know where we can be of assistance to you by e-mailing us at [admin@knysnamethodist.co.za](mailto:admin@knysnamethodist.co.za) or you can contact Elsie Joubert

- \_\_\_ I/We would appreciate a call from the minister
- \_\_\_ I/We would like to join the church
- \_\_\_ We would like to baptize our child
- \_\_\_ I/We would like to share in Planned Giving / Tithe
- \_\_\_ I/We would like to join a Bible Study Group
- \_\_\_ Please note my change of address / tel no.
- \_\_\_ I am going to hospital on \_\_\_\_\_ / Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_

We encourage you to update your contact details so we can keep you updated on current news & events:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact No. (s): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday's & Anniversaries: \_\_\_\_\_