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Keep on keeping on in God

As Christians we are not simply called to put our faith in Christ at a moment in time. We are called to persevere.

The Christian life is not just a stroll through the park, nor is it a 100 meter sprint.

It is like a long-distance marathon, and we are called to run with perseverance the race marked out for us.

Day in and day out, we are to keep on, keeping on in God.

And sometimes this is not easy.

We will have challenges to overcome, we will have hardships to endure, we will have moments of wondering. This is all very normal and to be expected.

But through all this we have the absolute promise and reality that God is with us no matter what.

When you are going through the trials of life, you can take comfort in the fact that God has promised never to leave your side or to forsake you. You may not be able to see him visibly with your physical eyes, but he is there as sure as his Word, and knowing that, should help us to persevere when the going gets tough.

We must keep in mind that Jesus didn't give his life on the cross, for us to just start the race of faith. He gave his life so that we would finish the race and enter into his kingdom and he has given us all the resources we need to accomplish this.

But we do have to keep going forward toward the finish line, and when we fall, pick ourselves up and carry on.

Just like John Stephen Akhwari who completed the marathon by putting one foot in front of the other, even though he was injured with a dislocated knee and abrasions.

So, we are called to do the same in the life of faith.

Sometimes we fall and are battered and bruised.

Sometimes we feel as though our lives have become dislocated and we are hurting.

Sometimes the journey seems so long, and we feel out of breath.

But we keep going because we will make it to the finish line if we keep putting one foot in front of the other.

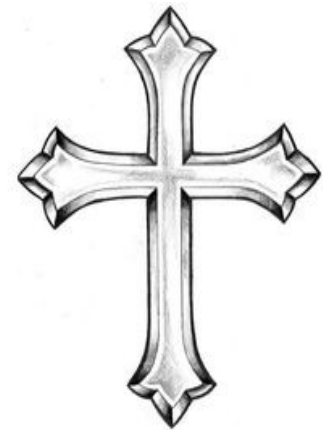
So, day in and day out, we are to keep on keeping on in God!

Welcome to
**Knox Presbyterian
Church, Morrinsville**

18 August 2019

Bible Reading

Hebrews 12: 1 - 13



*Do join us for morning tea
following our service*

*We use grape juice for communion
not alcohol*

*We seek to enable people to learn through God's
Word and our actions, and so develop a
Christ-centered community*

WORD-BASED ~ MISSION-MINDED ~ SPIRIT-LED

Rosters	25 August	1 September
Door Duty	Maureen Gordon & Fatima Lock	Dyan & David Robins
Sound Desk	Nathan Bateson	Paul Warner
Morning Tea	Fenton McIntyre & Astrid Steyn	Felicity Wilson & Sharon Alexander
Flower Duty	Bo Kennedy	Clare Walters
Cleaning Duty	Church cleaned once a fortnight	August 16 Helen & Chris Little

August/September

Tues	20	10am	Bible Study in foyer
Wed	21	7pm	Prophetic Prayer Group
Fri	23	10 - 12am	Healing Rooms - Lane Gallery Canada St
Sun	25	10am	Worship
Tues	20	10am	Bible Study in foyer
Wed	27	7pm	Prophetic Prayer Group
Fri	28	10 - 12am	Healing Rooms - Lane Gallery Canada St
Sun	1	10am	Worship

Offering Banking

Church Offering can be made through Internet banking into Account number 01 0367 0007970 00

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Please ensure you use the correct offering envelopes with **your** number on it .

If you would like to join the Offering Envelope system at any time, contact the Office during office hours.

Mission Prayer Points

Lois and Joseph

- That they will always be open to the leading and direction of God
- That they are able to receive ongoing professional development and spiritual nourishment
- They are able to fulfil all responsibilities to themselves, each other and their children

Ezekiel Trust Donations

If you are making cash donations to the food basket you are able to receive Tax receipts for these donations.

We just need to give the Trust your information so that they can write the receipts out to you.

If you wish, you could claim the rebate from the Government and then donate it back to the trust.

Ezekiel Trust say thank You for all the generous donations

August Working Bee

The Property team are planning a working bee for the 24 & 25 August. (next Saturday/Sunday)

Saturday 24 will be from 9:30am until early afternoon - feel free to come when you are able and stay as long as you are able.

Sunday 25 straight after Church if needed.

We are needing to clear a lot of things from the Hall before the builders start work in September.

If you would like to help but can't attend on that weekend, see Glenys as there are lots of little jobs that can be done in preparation

Please see Glenys or Bev Reid if you have any questions.