

Seasons of KirkWood Planner

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January

February

March

Ecumenical calendar

Ordinary Time

Lent

KirkWood Seasons

New Session starts	Annual Congregational Meeting/Chili cook off	Talent/No Talent Show	Spring/Easter Cantata preps
	KW Annual Report	Session Retreat	Confirmation Classes
		Mission Trip planning	Spring Clean up

Activity Areas

Various Committee Meetings every Month

Congregation Care

Hospital visits, Home visits, cards, flowers, Stephens Ministers, Small Group Ministry

Fellowship

KW Silvers KW Dining Partners	Chili Cook Off	KW Silvers KW Dining Partners	Talent/No Talent show	KW Silvers KW Dining Partners	Peace & Pizza
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Mission

P.O.R.T	P.O.R.T	Blood Drive	P.O.R.T	One Great Hour of Sharing
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Outreach

Media, Greeters, Signage

Worship/Music

Ushers	Choirs Adult	Praise Team	Ushers	Choirs	Praise Team	Ushers	Choirs	Praise Team
Acolytes	Children Bells		Acolytes			Acolytes		

Spring/Easter Cantata starts

Christian Ed

Sunday School 8:30/9:30/ 11am/3pm	W.O.W.	Sunday School	W.O.W.	Sunday School	W.O.W.
	KYG		KYG		KYG

Property & Facilities

Spring Clean up

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	April	May	June
Ecumenical calendar	EASTER	Ordinary Time	
KirkWood Seasons	Maundy Thursday and Easter Services/Cantata Easter Egg Hunt	Adult Mission Trip	Sunday School ends Annual Picnic Summer 10am Service Starts Summer Sunday School Starts
Activity Areas	Various Committee Meetings every Month		
Congregation Care	Hospital visits, Home visits, cards, flowers, Stephens Ministers, Small Group Ministry		
Fellowship	KW Silvers KW Dining Partners	KW Silvers KW Dining Partners	KW Salute to Veterans Dinner Annual Picnic & Prep KW Silvers KW Dining Partners
Mission		Adult Mission Trip Blood Drive	
Outreach	Easter Egg Hunt Support	Media, Greeters, Signage	
Worship/ Music	Ushers Choirs/ Praise Team Acolytes Maundy Thursday & Easter Services & Cantata	Ushers Acolytes Choirs/ Praise Team Childrens Choir Show	Choirs/ Praise Team Ushers Acolytes Summer Music Program
Christian Ed	Easter Egg Hunt Support Sunday School W.O.W. KYG	Sunday School W.O.W. KYG	Summer Sunday School KYG
Property & Facilities	Easter Egg Hunt Support KW Lawn mowing Teams Developed	KW Lawn Mowing Teams	

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July

August

September

Ecumenical calendar

Ordinary Time

KirkWood Seasons

CE determines Sunday School curriculum

Youth & Adult Mission Trip

Summer Sunday School ends

9:30/11:00 Services start

Pumpkin Patch Prep & Set up

KW Vacation Bible School

Worship Choir Rehearsals start

Summer 10am Service Ends

Sunday School Starts

Congregational Meeting to Elect Elders

Activity Areas

Various Committee Meetings every Month

Congregation Care

Hospital visits, Home visits, cards, flowers, Stephens Ministers, Small Group Ministry

Fellowship

KW at Music under the Stars at Fort Monroe

VBS Support

KW at Music under the Stars at Fort Monroe

KW Silvers
KW Dining Partners

Mission

Youth & Adult Mission Trip

Blood Drive

Pumpkin Patch Prep

Pumpkin Offload #1

Outreach

VBS Support

Media, Greeters, Signage

Worship/Music

Ushers

Summer Music Program

VBS Support

Ushers

Summer Music Program

Acolytes

Ushers

Choirs/Praise Team

Cantata Kick-off/ Boot Camp

Acolytes

Acolytes

Christian Ed

Summer Sunday School

KYG

VBS Support

Summer Sunday School

KYG

CE Rally Day

Sunday School

W.O.W.
KYG

Property & Facilities

KW Lawn Mowing Teams

VBS Support

Patch Prep

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October

November

December

Ecumenical calendar

Ordinary Time

Advent

Christmas Eve & Day

KirkWood Seasons

KW Pumpkin Patch Support

Patch Removal and Fall Clean up

Season of Stewardship

Annual Budget Development

Christmas Cantata

New Elder Trainig

KW Enchanted Forest

Pledge Sunday

New Elder Trainig

Hanging of the Greens

Childrens' Christmas Pageant

Christmas Services

Activity Areas

Various Committee Meetings every Month

Congregation Care

Hospital visits, Home visits, cards, flowers, Stephens Ministers, Small Group Ministry

Fellowship

KW Silvers
KW Dining Partners

KW Enchanted Forest Support

KW Silvers
KW Dining Partners

Hanging of the Greens

KW Silvers
KW Dining Partners

Mission

Patch Support, Daily counters & Patch Shifts

Blood Drive

ShoeBox Ministry / Samaritans Purse

P.O.R.T

Outreach

Patch Support, Media, Greeters Signage

KW Enchanted Forest

Media, Greeters, Signage

Worship/ Music

Ushers
Acolytes

Choirs/
Praise Team

Ushers
Acolytes

Choirs/
Praise Team

Ushers
Acolytes

Choirs/
Praise Team

Christmas Eve Services

Christian Ed

Sunday School

W.O.W.

KYG

Sunday School

W.O.W.

KYG

Sunday School

W.O.W.

KYG

Property & Facilities

KW Lawn Mowing Teams

KW Enchanted Forest Support

Patch Removal & Fall Clean up

Christmas Cantata

Childrens Choir

A Notional Month at KirkWood

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1st week		10am Morning Prayer Group 7pm- Mission, CE, CC, Outreach, P&F Meetings	LINUS Group Choirs 6-9pm Small Group 7pm	Small Group 9:30am Small Group 6:30pm Bible Study 7pm	7am Prayer Group	Local mission projects, soup kitchens	8:30/9:30/11:00 WOW/KYG/3pm 9:30 and 11:00 Worship/choirs Communion 10:30 Fellowship Coffee
2nd week		10am Morning Prayer Group 6pm Worship/Music Meeting	LINUS Group Choirs 6-9pm Small Group 7pm	Small Group 9:30am Small Group 6:30pm Bible Study 7pm	7am Prayer Group	Local mission projects, soup kitchens	8:30/9:30/11:00 WOW/KYG/3pm 9:30 and 11:00 Worship/choirs 10:30 Fellowship Coffee UNITE Small Group 5:30pm
3rd week		10am Morning Prayer Group 7pm Session Meeting	LINUS Group Choirs 6-9pm Small Group 7pm	Small Group 9:30am KW Silvers activity Small Group 6:30pm Bible Study 7pm	7am Prayer Group	Local mission projects, soup kitchens KW Dining Partners	8:30/9:30/11:00 WOW/KYG/3pm 9:30 and 11:00 Worship/choirs 10:30 Fellowship Coffee
4th week		10am Morning Prayer Group 7pm PLD Meeting	LINUS Group Choirs 6-9pm Small Group 7pm	Small Group 9:30am Small Group 6:30pm Bible Study 7pm	7am Men's Breakfast	Local mission projects, soup kitchens	8:30/9:30/11:00 WOW/KYG/3pm 9:30 and 11:00 Worship/choirs 10:30 Fellowship Coffee

Congregation Care	Fellowship	Mission	Outreach	Worship/Music	Christian Ed	Property & Facilities
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KirkWood (KW) Acronyms & Terms

- **Acolytes:** Youths who light and extinguish the candles before/after each service
- **CC:** Congregational Care – Committee responsible for welfare of congregation and nurturing community of fellowship
- **CE:** Christian Education – Committee responsible for Sunday School curriculum and execution, youth and childrens' ministries, and annual confirmation classes
- **Elder:** Member of KW (not necessarily older!) elected by congregation, that serves for 3 years as a leader in support of God's mission, vision for the church.
- **H.O.P.E. :** Helping Other People Eat – KW collection for food ministry
- **KYG:** KirkWood Youth Group – meet weekly, Sunday School, various missions and activities
- **KW:** KirkWood
- **KWPC:** KirkWood Presbyterian Church
- **KW Silvers:** Active group of retired (or not!) that meet ~ monthly for lunch at various local eateries and other activities
- **Linus:** KW chapter of national Project Linus that meets weekly to knit/crochet blankets, etc for those in need.
- **MFB:** Men's Fellowship Breakfast (held monthly at KW, last Friday of month)
- **P&F:** Property and Facilities – Committee responsible for facilities upkeep, lawn mowing, etc.
- **Patch:** KW pumpkin patch that serves the community during the month of October. Portion of proceeds support KW missions
- **PCUSA:** Presbyterian Church (USA) , our denomination
- **PEVA:** Presbytery of Eastern Virginia, the PCUSA organization above KirkWood
- **PLD:** Planning and Leadership Development – Committee responsible for planning, new member training, new elder training, KW annual report, and future vision.
- **P.O.R.T. :** People Offering Resources Together – Homeless shelter support in the area, a KW mission area
- **OGHS:** One Great Hour of Sharing, annual collection to support Presbyterian Disaster Assistance during Spring/Easter period.
- **SALT:** Sharing and Learning Together, a consolidated Sunday School curriculum for adults of all ages
- **Session:** Group of 15 ruling elders, separated into three classes of five people, serving for 3 years at a time. Meet monthly, with Pastor as moderator, to execute the business of the church as conducted across the following committees: Worship, Stewardship, Planning and Leadership Development, Administration, Property and Facilities, Mission, Christian Education, Congregational Care, Technology, Outreach
- **Small Groups:** Bible study and fellowship groups that meet weekly/monthly at KW or at residences, to learn and share.
- **UNITE:** Small group composed of families and their young children.
- **VBS:** Vacation Bible School, KW-run program, open to the community, usually one week in July
- **W.O.W:** Way of the Word- Sunday School program for children
- **YCPSS:** York County-Poquoson Social Services, area of mission the church routinely supports