

This Week's Activities

Sunday, Feb. 26 *Albertina on Vacation*

- 8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, Nursery
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship, Joyful Noise Rehearsal
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages

Monday, Feb. 27 *Albertina on Vacation*

- 7:00 p.m. Monday Rendezvous

Tuesday, Feb. 28 *Albertina on Vacation*

- 7:00 p.m. PLD Committee

Wednesday, Mar. 1

- 9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga
- 11:00 a.m. Linus Group
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Choir Rehearsal, Worship Band Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal, Beautiful Mess

Thursday, Mar. 2

- 6:30 p.m. Stepping Stones
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study – Sweers & Gen C

Friday, Mar. 3

- 7:15 a.m. Prayer Warriors

Saturday, Mar. 4

- 8:00 a.m. Gideons Prayer Breakfast & Meeting

Sunday, Mar. 5 *Food Pantry Collection*

- 8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, Nursery
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship, Joyful Noise Rehearsal
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages
- 12:15 p.m. Communications Meeting

Please see the full [church calendar online](#).

WELCOME

KirkWood Presbyterian Church
Sunday, February 26, 2023



KirkWood Presbyterian Church

A Christian Community Growing Together, Knowing, Loving, and
Serving Christ, to make Him known to all

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Order of Worship



Song	"My Savior Lives"	
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Chris Shearer
Fourth Sunday Spotlight	One Great Hour of Sharing	Donna Craig
Affirmation of Faith	For the 1 st Sunday of Lent	
Opening Prayer		
Song	"How Marvelous" "Lord I Need You"	
Congregational Prayer		Ben Scott
Hymn #404	"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"	
	Children ages 3 – 2nd grade dismissed for Glory Time	
Prayer of Preparation		
Sermon	Seeking God (Week 1) To Seek and Be Sought	Pastor Chris Shearer
Response	What do you Hope to Find as YOU seek God This Lent?	
Song	"Graves Into Gardens" "Rescuer"	
Benediction		

This Week's Prayer Requests

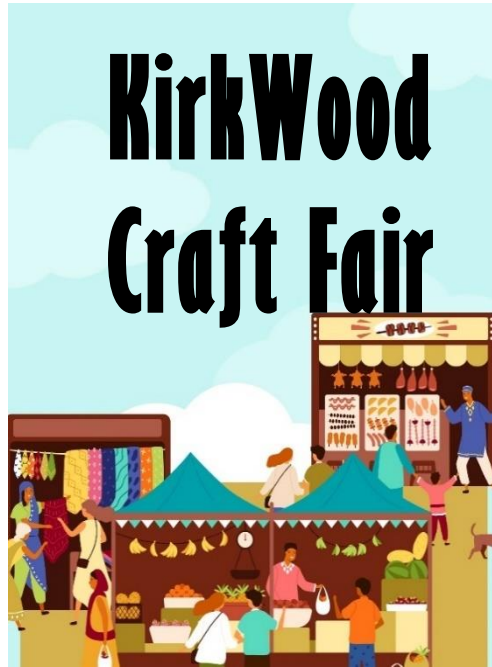
Cathy A.	Janet & Jerry D.'s daughter, Julie
Don A.	Betty D.'s brother, Thomas
Albertina D.	Betty D.'s sister, Madelyn
Ruth D.	Anne E.'s son, Gary
Steve H.	Toni F.'s brother, Jeff
Marge K.	Regina H.'s parents
Dick L.	Jo Ann K.'s daughter, Teresa
Gerry L.	Holly K.'s husband, Farold
Christine L.	Art & Jody P.'s daughter, Alise
April M.	Christine P.'s sister, Michelle
Mike M.	Heather S.'s father, Jerry
Mary S.	Skipp W.'s partner, Christi
	Robin W.'s mother

Sympathy to Holly & Farold K.
on the death of their son, Dale



Prayer Requests and Special Needs

Fill out one of the blue prayer cards in the pews and place it in the offering plate, call/email the church office, or type your prayer request in the online friendship pad and the request will be published in the Monday Memo email.

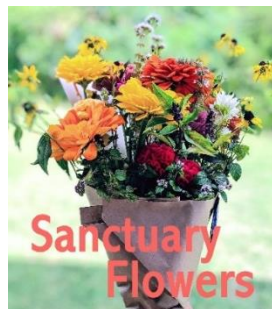


Calling all crafters! KirkWood is hosting a Craft Fair on April 29th from 10am – 3pm on the KirkWood lawn. This will be a wonderful church family event and opportunity to meet and greet our neighbors in the community as well as show God’s love to all. There will be food trucks and craft activities for kids! The Fair will be limited to homemade and handcrafted items and will be open to all “crafters” in the area. KirkWood crafters have priority to sign up for a booth at the Fair, must sign up by March 15th to guarantee a spot. There is no fee to have a booth at the Fair although there is a \$50 deposit that will be returned after your participation on Fair day. An application can be found on the KirkWood website <https://kirkwoodpcusa.org>. Contact Lew Goodman or Arba Williamson with questions.

Gentle Yoga

KirkWood has a weekly yoga class on Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall. If you are interested, please sign up on the roster in the Narthex. You will need to provide your own yoga mat and you will need to sign a waiver (provided at the class).

We are looking at the possibility of starting an evening yoga class on Thursday or Fridays at around 6:00 pm. Current scheduled use of Fellowship Hall restricts us to those days. If we have enough interest, and can identify an instructor, we will get this started. You can contact Murray Ritter by phone (757) 867-9022 or email at [Murray Ritter](mailto:Murray.Ritter@kirkwoodpcusa.org).



Sign up now for 2023 sanctuary flowers. The **Flower Sign-up list** is [online here](#) (or call/email the office to sign up). You can dedicate flowers to commemorate a special occasion or in memory/honor of someone. After worship, flowers will be taken to the sick and shut in. Flower arrangements are \$35.00 per week. You can [pay online by clicking here](#) or send a check with "Flowers" on the memo line.

WANTED: WOMEN INTERESTED IN A WOMEN’S SMALL GROUP



A women’s bible study small group has begun meeting via Zoom. Why Zoom? We have many female members who have reached out who are interested in attending but they have night driving limitations, small children to get into bed, distance from the church is significant, but all would enjoy a time for women to support women, to laugh, cry, study the word and be lifted! Theyto meet two Thursdays a month via Zoom with a quarterly face to face get together on a Sunday afternoon for a casual brunch. We will be using a hybrid of video, book, online studies, and other materials to help us along the way! If this is of any interest to you, please contact [Christine Pregler](mailto:Christine.Pregler@kirkwoodpcusa.org) via email and she will add you to the list. The next meeting dates are Thursday, March 2nd and 16th.

Pictorial Directory

We need your help with our new KirkWood Pictorial Directory.

1. Please email or call the office to update us regarding any address/email/phone changes. There are a couple of directories in the Narthex if you’d like to update your information on a hard copy. If you are not currently in the directory and would like to be added, please add your information on one of the blank pages in the back.

2. Get ready for KirkWood picture days! We’re creating a new pictorial directory and would like to get pictures of everyone. Our resident photographer, Charlie Reece, will be taking pictures on the following days/times:

- Sunday, March 5 – 10:30 – 11:00 am; 12:00 – 2:00 pm
- Sunday, March 26 - 10:30 – 11:00 am; 12:00 – 2:00 pm
- Sunday, April 16 make-up date

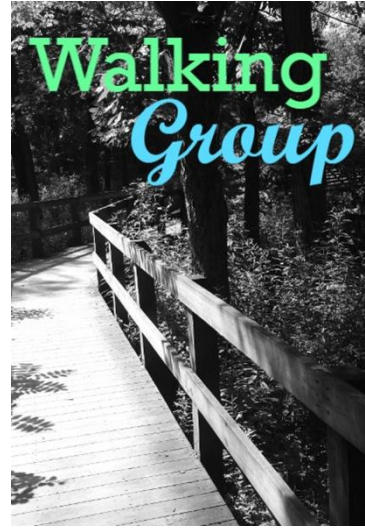
There is a sign-up list in the Narthex, or you can [sign up online for some slots here](#).

This morning’s sanctuary flower dedication:
Happy 32 birthday to Megan and REJOICING
in 10 years of remission!
Love Nate and Lisa N.



KirkWood Walking Group

The weather is turning warmer and it's time for the next gathering of the KirkWood Walking Group on Saturday March 11 at 10:00 am at Sandy Bottom Park (1255 Big Bethel Rd in Hampton). We will meet at the parking lot near the main building. There are a variety of walking trails available, from gentle wide trails on hardpack surface, to trails winding through the woods. As always there will be options for hikers from beginners to experts with choices ranging from 1 to 4 miles. Come join the fun. If you have questions call Bruce Knight 757-303-4252 or Janet Knight 757-303-4253.



Youth Ministry - The youth will be alternating between KYG (KirkWood Youth Group) and Sunday School on Sundays. Contact Rachel Fisher (rach.fisher101@gmail.com) if you are interested in participating in the youth ministry. Below is the schedule for the next couple months:

February 26 th at 4pm	Youth Group
March 5 th & 19 th at 11am	Sunday School
12 th & 26 th at 4pm	Youth Group
April 2 nd , 16 th , & 30 th at 11am	Sunday School
9 th & 23 rd at 4pm	Youth Group

Starting on February 26th, we will start the collections for OGHS and run through April 2nd. The monies raised goes to three different programs: Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, Presbyterian Hunger Program and Self Development of People, all working in different ways to assist people in need. More information about this can be found in the Narthex and on the following site www.presbyterianmission.org. There will be special envelopes in the pews; please write "OGHS" in the memo line. There will be fish boxes for those who would like one and a daily calendar for family. Any more questions please call Connie Barlow (757) 876-4791 or Lisa Nickerson (757) 880-5518.



NEW opportunities with our new partner THRIVE:

We will start collecting plastic grocery bags, such as those you get from the grocery stores. There will be a white plastic bin in the hallway headed to the fellowship room. When we have enough, we will meet and put them together and then take them to THRIVE.

Another opportunity will be collecting shoes, any type, any size and for men, women, and children. There will be a red plastic bin in the fellowship hall. So, empty out your shoe closets and bring them to church!!!!

Meals for Veterans

We need help with our Vet Meal Mission. You can help with this ministry by providing meals for 2 Vet homes (5 men in each home) every Monday. (The meals can be homemade or purchased at a store/restaurant.) Sign up in the Narthex or [online by clicking here](#). Contact Zora Parker or Gloria Griffin if you can help.

Monthly Mission Collections

Please remember the first Sunday of every month is our **Food Drive**. We collect non-perishable food and/or money for the Food Closet at St. Luke's Methodist. Also, the second Sunday is our collection for **HOPE** (Helping Other People Eat).

March Newsletter – Please submit articles for the next Kronicle to Kathryn Kelchner at threexys@gmail.com TODAY, February 26th at 3pm.