

## This Week

**Sunday, March 8** *H.O.P.E. Offering, Daylight Saving Time Begins*  
8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service, Nursery  
10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship  
11:00 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages, Joyful Noise Rehearsals  
Unite Meeting

**Monday, March 9**  
7:00 p.m. Welcome & Communications Meeting

**Tuesday, March 10** *No Scheduled Church Activities*

**Wednesday, March 11**  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga  
10:30 a.m. Linus Group  
6:00 p.m. Worship Band, Handbell Choir Rehearsals  
7:00 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal, Beautiful Mess

**Thursday, March 12**  
6:30 p.m. Bible Study – Sweets, Stepping Stones

**Friday, March 13**  
7:15 a.m. Men's Prayer Group

**Saturday, March 14**  
8:30 a.m. Spring Clean Up

**Sunday, March 15** *Green Sunday*  
8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service, Nursery  
10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship  
11:00 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages, Joyful Noise Rehearsals  
Caregivers Support Group  
12:00 p.m. Voices of Faith in Action Meeting

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

## WELCOME

KirkWood Presbyterian Church  
Sunday March 8, 2026



## 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



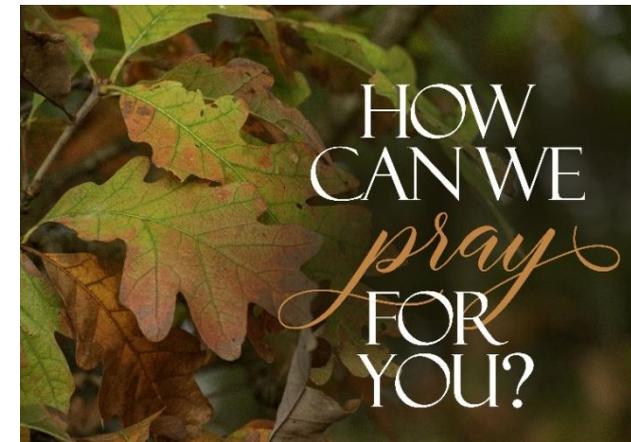
Song	"Forever"	
Welcome		Pastor Chris Shearer
Announcements		
Scripture Reading	<a href="#">Ecclesiastes 3:1-8</a>	
Opening Prayer		
Songs	"Still" "Open the Eyes of My Heart"	
Congregational Prayer		Pastor Mary Brown
Children's Message	"What Time Is It?"	Lauren Malone
	Kids Dismissed to Play Praise	
Sermon	Pause, Then Proceed (Week 3) Telling Time	Pastor Chris Shearer
Anthem	"Eleison, Have Mercy" Joel Raney	Worship Choir
Hymn #525	"Here I Am, Lord"	
Benediction		Pastor Mary Brown

First time guest? Want to learn more about KirkWood?  
 Want to join our texting list?  
 Text "Connect" to 757-772-0209 and follow the prompts.



## This Week's Prayer Requests

Wendy B.	Julia H.	Tim C.'s mom
Ida D.	Jeane H.	Jerry & Janet D.'s daughter, Jill
David D.	April M.	Betty D.'s sister, Madelyn
Susie E.	Don N.	Amy E.'s son, Rowan
Toni F.	Donna O.	Phyllis G.'s sister, Donna
Mike F.	Christine P.	Aleta G.'s granddaughter
Aleta G.	Mary P.	Regina H.'s parents
Lew G.	Dennis R.	Jeane H.'s husband, Stan
Kerry G.	Jim R.	Bruce K.'s mom, Joan
Cathy Ha.	Carla R.	Holly K.'s husband, Farold
	Dyer V.	Lisa N.'s dad, Paul
		Kim R.'s mom, Marilyn
		El S.'s brother, Mark
		Lisa W.'s mother, Lois



### Prayer Requests and Special Needs

Fill out one of the blue prayer cards in the pews and place it in the Offerings & Prayer Requests box, call/email the church office, or type your prayer request when you Check In online and the request will be published in the Monday Memo email.

## Volunteer Opportunities

**Monthly Mission Collection** – Today (and the second Sunday of each month) is our collection for **HOPE** (Helping Other People Eat). Donations are divided between Menchville House, Faith Recovery, Natasha House, and the Congo Feeding Program.

**PORT** - We need volunteers to help check guests in, prepare and serve dinner and check guests out the following morning. Our last date this season is March 20<sup>th</sup>. Sign-up sheets are on the mission bulletin board in the main hall or contact Jamie Reno at [h2orenos@gmail.com](mailto:h2orenos@gmail.com).

**Adult Mission Trip:** KirkWood is planning an adult mission trip to Black Mtn, NC to help support the rebuilding of homes that were damaged by Hurricane Helene. We will be leaving on Sunday April 5<sup>th</sup> and returning on Saturday April 11<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$200.00, which includes travel, lodging and most meals. Space is limited to 20 people. Contact Jamie Reno at [h2orenos@gmail.com](mailto:h2orenos@gmail.com) if you are interested or want more information.

**Card Making** - Compassionate Care will be making greeting cards on March 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am in the fellowship hall. If you are interested in making cards, please join us. No card making experience is needed. We will supply all the materials needed. If you have any questions, please call Carolyn Horton or Connie Barlow.

**KirkWood Spring Clean-up!** The KirkWood Spring Clean-up is this Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 - 11 am. Join us as we spruce up the church grounds by raking out areas, removing fallen twigs and branches, and placing 28 yards of mulch across the gardens in preparation for Easter and spring. No need to sign up - just pop in when you can and stay for as long (or short) as your schedule allows. All ages, rakes and wheelbarrows are welcome! The weather back up day is March 28<sup>th</sup>. Any questions? Contact Nate Nickerson at [nlnickers1@cox.net](mailto:nlnickers1@cox.net).

**Grass Cutting Teams** - We need volunteers for the 2026 grass cutting season. All the equipment and gas are provided. If you are interested, please sign up in the Narthex or contact Scott Shoun.

**One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS)** - Around the world, millions of people lack access to sustainable food sources, clean water, sanitation, education, and opportunity. The work done in support of the causes supported by OGHS - disaster, hunger, poverty, climate change, and immigration/migration and refugees - serves individuals and communities in need. This work provides people with safety, sustenance, and hope. During the Lenten Season, KirkWood is collecting this special Offering, to help improve the lives of people in these challenging situations. You may use this QR code, visit KirkWood's giving page online, or a check with OGHS noted on the memo line. Thank you for your loving and generous support of this special Lenten offering.



## Events

**KirkWood Dining Partners Sunday Edition** We will be heading to Tinto in City Center (707 Mariners Row, #100) on Sunday, March 15 for a wine tasting at 4:30 p.m. and a chicken and vegetable paella dinner at 6 p.m. Join for one or both of these events. We have the entire location to ourselves so come out and fellowship with your fellow KirkWoodians and enjoy some great food and fun. Sign up in the foyer or contact Cindy W. at [cwillic114@gmail.com](mailto:cwillic114@gmail.com).

**Green Sunday** - The Fellowship Committee encourages everyone to show their St. Patrick's Day spirit by wearing green to church next Sunday. If you don't have anything green, don't worry - Kirkwood is a "No Pinching" zone!

**Talent/No Talent Show Talent show - March 21st at 6pm**  
**Price of admission - bring a dessert for the reception**

**Rend Collective Concert** - Come join a group of KirkWoodians as we enjoy a concert by Rend Collective on April 17<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in Glen Allen. Rend Collective performs several of our worship songs including 10,000 Reasons, My Lighthouse, and Rescuer. Cost is \$31, less if we have more than 10 people. Sign up in the Narthex by March 15. Reach out to Jim Mershon for details.

Sanctuary flowers were given by Tony Sweers  
In Memory of His Mother, Thelma Sweers