

## This Week's Activities

### **Sunday, Mar. 13** *H.O.P.E. Offering*

- 8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service/Nursery
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship  
Children's Choir Rehearsal
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages
- 5:00 p.m. KirkWood Youth Group (KYG)

### **Tuesday, Mar. 15**

- 7:00 p.m. Session Meeting

### **Wednesday, Mar. 16**

- 11:00 a.m. Linus Group
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal  
Beautiful Mess

### **Thursday, Mar. 17**

- 11:30 a.m. KirkWood Silver Pastor & Pizza Luncheon
- 6:30 p.m. Stepping Stones
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study – Sweers  
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### **Friday, Mar. 18**

- 7:15 a.m. Prayer Warriors

### **Sunday, Mar. 20**

- 8:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service/Nursery
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship  
Children's Choir Rehearsal
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages
- 6:00 p.m. Chili Cook-off

Today's flowers are donated by  
Len & Sue W. in memory of John Combs

## WELCOME

KirkWood Presbyterian Church  
Sunday, March 13, 2022



## ***KirkWood Presbyterian Church***

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

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**Pastor Chris** is in the office in the afternoons  
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# Order of Worship



Welcome		Pastor Chris
Scouting Spotlight		
Announcements		
Opening Prayer		Rich Egyud
Song	"This Is Amazing Grace"	Congregational Song
Hymn #85	"What Wondrous Love"	Congregational Hymn
Congregational Prayer		Pastor Chris
Special Music	"Be Not Afraid" Bob Dufford, arr. Jack Schrader	Kerry Gough
	<i>Children ages 3 – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade dismissed for Glory Time</i>	
Sermon	Come to Jesus (Week 2) An Uninvited Dinner Guest	Pastor Chris
Anthem	"Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)" arr. Joel Raney	Men's Choir
Benediction		Pastor Chris
Song	"Your Grace Is Enough"	Congregational Song

# This Week's Prayer Requests

Jerry D.	Betty D.'s brother, Thomas
Haydee G.	Anne E.'s son, Gary
Steve H.	Toni F.'s brother, Jeff
Jo Ann K.	Kathy F.'s mother, Mattie
Bruce K.	Jo Ann K.'s daughter, Teresa
Dick L.	Holly K.'s sister, Barbara
Christine L.	Kim R.'s mother, Marilyn
Charlie R.	Jane S.'s daughter, Allison
Tim S.	Tim S.'s father, William
	Skipp W.'s partner, Christi

Sympathy to the family of John Effler  
(Anne E.'s brother-in-law)



## 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.
- Fill out an off-white card in the pews and put it on the Prayer Board in the hallway. Someone at KirkWood will take it and pray for you all week long. Feel free to take someone else's prayer card and pray it during the week too.

# Monthly Mission Collection

Today (and the second Sunday of every month) is our collection for **HOPE** (Helping Other People Eat). This offering helps Faith Alive (formerly Youth Challenge), Menchville House, Mid-Atlantic Teen Challenge and Feeding the Children - Congo. You can give by placing a donation in the Narthex basket or donating online [here](#).

**Adult Mission Trip-** Adult Mission Trip- KWPC will be headed to New Bern, NC for an adult mission trip. We will be leaving on Sunday May 1<sup>st</sup> and returning on Friday May 6<sup>th</sup>. You may sign up for the whole week or part of the week as your schedule allows. The cost will be \$25.00 per night with a total depending on how long you stay. KWPC mission funds will cover the cost of meals and transportation. Because the facility is bunk style housing, at this time, they are requiring that everyone provide proof of vaccination. You can sign up on the Mission bulletin board in the hall or contact Jamie Reno at [h2orenos@gmail.com](mailto:h2orenos@gmail.com).



**Pizza Luncheon**

**KirkWood Silver** will gather on Thursday, March 17, at 11:30, in the Fellowship Hall for our Pastor and Pizza Luncheon (finally!). Please sign up in the Narthex. Don't forget to bring questions for our pastor to answer so that we can know him better! Invite someone who is new to KirkWood or new to KirkWood Silver! Contact Wanda Birch if you have questions, at 757-868-8651 or [wandjbirch@verizon.net](mailto:wandjbirch@verizon.net).

## Announcements

**Brunch with Pastor Chris - March 27:** Once a month, Pastor Chris will be hosting a light brunch during the Sunday School hour in the library for 10-12 congregants. You can sign up to attend on the clipboard by his office door, or by emailing him - [pastorchriskwpc@gmail.com](mailto:pastorchriskwpc@gmail.com). You don't need to bring anything; KirkWood will provide everything. Ideally, he'd like to have brunch with everyone who calls KirkWood home at least once a year.

### Seminar for Caregivers

Attention to those providing long-term care for loved ones! Mary Brown will lead a seminar on April 2<sup>nd</sup> entitled "Help for the Helper: Meeting the Challenge of Caring for Loved Ones." The session will emphasize learning and practicing relevant pastoral care skills related to communication and listening, the importance of boundary-setting/self-care and the biblical and theological framework which undergirds caring for others. Participants will have an opportunity to share their own joys and challenges. The seminar will be in the Fellowship Hall from 9:30-11:30 with informal conversation and donuts for the first 15 minutes. Email ([office@kirkwoodpcusa.org](mailto:office@kirkwoodpcusa.org)) or phone (757-766-0343) the office if you would like to participate. All are welcome!



**Spring Clean-Up** - This year's spring clean-up of the KirkWood campus will be held on April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. We will be cleaning flower beds, trimming trees, raking leftover leaves, and spreading 28 yards of mulch. Feel free to arrive at whatever time works best for you and stay as long or short as your schedule allows. Bring gloves, a rake, and we can use some additional wheelbarrows. (The rain date is April 9<sup>th</sup>.)



**Prayer Path Update** - As our congregation learns with the "Come to Jesus" sermon series, take a moment to follow the prayer path on your own Lenten journey. A Veggie Tale story is printed for the younger at heart and scripture is available for you to savor as you enjoy the outdoors. The path starts at the cross in our outdoor sanctuary, Wee KirkWood.

**Lent 2022 Sanctuary Decor:** The Lenten cross display at the front of the sanctuary offers several traditional symbols for the Lenten season. The color purple reflects both the royalty and suffering of Jesus during the crucifixion. (Mark 15:17-20, John 9:2-3). The stones refer to Jesus' 40 days of temptation in the desert, from which the length of Lent is derived; specifically, the stones refer to Jesus' hunger and the temptation to turn the rocks into bread (Matthew 4:3). The water jug represents the act of washing oneself and being cleansed, pointing to Lent as a season of repentance. Likewise, the sackcloth is a well-known biblical sign of humility and penitence. Also, each week of our series, "Come to Jesus," we'll add a new symbol each Sunday of Lent representing that week's character study: today, it's a candle, representing Nicodemus who came to Jesus at night (John 3). A special "thank you" to Wilma Mitchell for sewing the drapes you see in the display.

### One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS)

We will be collecting for OGHS through April 17th. OGHS supports three different agencies: Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-development of People. You can donate using fish boxes in the Narthex, envelopes in the pews, online through KirkWood's website, online [here](#), or using the Vanco Mobile smartphone app (which is free). There is also literature in the Narthex about OGHS. Every penny will make a difference.



**New Playset** - We are excited to report we have a new playset at KirkWood! A special thanks goes out to Thomas W. and the Boy Scouts for covering a large portion of the cost and the installation for the new playset. They also handled the removal of the old set. Thomas completed this as his Eagle Scout Project. We are truly blessed for all the Boy Scouts do for KirkWood.

**Annual Chili Cook-off:** Our annual Chili Cook-off has been rescheduled for Sunday, March 20, in the Fellowship Hall at 6 PM (Folks entering the contest need to bring their chili at 5 PM) We look forward to judging and consuming your four-legged (beef, pork, etc.), two-legged (poultry), and no-legged (seafood, vegetarian) entries. Contest rules and in-person sign-up are available in the Narthex, and you can sign up online here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4AAFA62FA13-kirkwood6>



KirkWood Youth Group (KYG) will resume meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays from 5 – 6:30pm.