

WELCOME

KirkWood Presbyterian Church – May 9, 2021



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 Sunday – Thursday
Please call the office or email
before coming.
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9:30 a.m. Praise & Worship Service

Song	“Come, Now is the Time to Worship”	Worship Band
Welcome		Pastor Chris Shearer
Call to Worship		
Opening Prayer		
Song	“Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”	Worship Band
Congregational Prayer – For Moms		Pastor Chris Shearer
Special Music	“Thankful” Mark Burrows	Leah S.
Prayer of Preparation		Pastor Chris Shearer
Sermon	“Perfectly Imperfect Faith (Week 5) Samson’s Faith”	
Song	“Chain Breaker”	Worship Band
Announcements		Pastor Chris Shearer
Benediction		



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11:00 a.m. Liturgical Worship Service

Introit	"Just As I Am" arr. Sandra Eithun	Handbell Choir
Welcome		Pastor Chris Shearer
Call to Worship		
Opening Prayer		
Song	"You Are So Faithful" Lenny LeBlanc and Glen Gulley	Ben Scott
Congregational Prayer – For Moms		Pastor Chris Shearer
Special Music	"Thankful" Mark Burrows	Leah S.
Prayer of Preparation		Pastor Chris Shearer
Sermon	"Perfectly Imperfect Faith (Week 5) Samson's Faith"	
Song	"We Walk By Faith and Not By Sight" Marty Haugen	Ben Scott
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KirkWood Prayer List

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Illnesses/Health Concerns

Ida D.	Cathy's husband, Art
Gloria G.	Jim's aunt, Mimi
Kay G.	Tim's mom, Jeams
Haydee G.	Skip's mother, Pat
Steve H.	Bob's mother, Barbara
Jeane H.	Steve's dad, Ben
Jo Ann K.	Betty's brother, Thomas
Dick L.	Anne's son, Gary
Gerry L.	Matt's mom, Brenda
Bob L.	Jeane's husband, Stan
Christine L.	Jo Ann's daughter, Teresa
Mike M.	Holly's granddaughter, Catherine
Nate N.	Holly's sister, Barbara
Christine P.	Troy's mother and father
Dennis R.	Bob's sister, Nancy
Faye S.	Nate's father, Nate Sr.
Katie S.	Nate's sister, Ellie
El S.	Donna's daughter, Alayna
Aaron W.	Donna's sister, Michelle
Tom W.	Denisse's father
	Lynn's granddaughter, Emily
	Lynn's parents, Jerry & Lillis
	Charlie's sister, Marla
	Lauren's mother, Kathy
	Skipp's partner, Christi
	Robin's brother, Steve
	Robin's parents, Myron & Rosemarie

Our Troops

including...

Jennifer, Karen, Michael, Justin, Drew,
Brian, Rey, Ben

Mission Concerns

Our Sister Church - CPK Mikondo;
The Rach Family in Chiapas, Mexico;
Jonah of Nineveh

Concerns

People who are still being identified
and dying from the COVID-19 virus;
The mental health of our country;
Homeless; Hungry; First Responders

Unspoken

Cathy H., Winette J., Christine P.



Prayer Requests and Special Needs

Please call the church office at
766-0343 or email office@kirkwoodpcusa.org.

A more comprehensive list of prayer concerns and praises will be in Pastor Chris's Monday Memo email. To sign up for his weekly emails, call/email the office.

Announcements

Today's Sanctuary flowers were given by
Knight/Girardi family
In Memory of Jan's Mom



[The 2021 Flower Sign-up list is online.](#) There are still a few Sundays available! Sign up for sanctuary flowers to dedicate 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 (at www.kirkwoodpcusa.org) or send a check with "Flowers" on the memo line. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D45ABAA2CA5FE3-kirkwood>

Please visit kirkwoodpcusa.org to sign our online friendship pad.

If you would like to receive Pastor Chris's follow-up emails (Monday Memo and Midweek Minute), please request it in the comments of the Online Friendship Pad or email the church at office@kirkwoodpcusa.org.

Meet Up with Pastor Chris This Week:

- 1) The Monday Rendezvous: Every Monday evening at 7 PM via Zoom; the Zoom info/link will be in the weekly Monday Memo email, as well as on KW's Facebook page.
- 2) Coffee with Chris: Every Wednesday, you can sign up for a 15- or 30-min. session with Chris anytime between 4-6 PM here in the church narthex or his office. Just reach out to him to reserve your spot - pastorchriskwpc@gmail.com.
- 3) Meetings Any Other Time: Of course, if neither of the above time slots work for your schedule, Chris is happy to meet or Zoom with you anytime, or talk on the phone if that's more convenient. Just reach out to him, and he'll get you on his schedule ASAP.

COMING SOON - A SHARED LEARNING EXPERIENCE! For the months of June and July, the entire KirkWood congregation gets to join in a shared learning experience. We're going to read a great, short, straightforward book on interpersonal outreach by a leader in the missional church: "Surprise the World!" by Michael Frost. Part of the rationale for this is that we know more folks travel in the summer, and you can take the book with you when you go so you don't miss out. We'll also be syncing our Sunday services to the book, going into greater detail on each chapter; our small groups and adult Sunday School will be discussing the book as well.

For now, all you need to do is get yourself a copy: you can order your own, or buy one from KirkWood in the narthex. If you write a check, please make it out to KirkWood Presbyterian Church and write "book" and your envelope number on the memo line. Don't start reading it just yet - we'll do it a chapter a week beginning in early June.

Blessing Ashley W.: On Sunday, 5/16, we'll be saying thanks to and blessing our Youth Director, Ashley Wenner, as she prepares to leave her role at KirkWood for what God has next for her. You'll have a chance to say a personal thanks to her after both services, and we'd encourage you to bring her a card with your personal message of gratitude and encouragement.



Children's Ministry Update - In-person Sunday School is available during the 9:30 a.m. service in room 2 for children ages 3 through 5th grade. The nursery is also for children under 5 in the Toddler Nursery room. There is overlap, so parents can decide what is best. Masks are requested for all ages in the Sunday School class.

Looking for Ministry Leaders - You can be a part of God's vision for our KirkWood Kids! Volunteer in-person during the 9:30AM service for the nursery or Sunday School room. Sign up to be on a rotating schedule or request a particular date. If you can help, contact Jeannine.Scott@gmail.com or scan the QR code/click on the following link to sign up via SignUpGenius - rebrand.ly/kidmin.



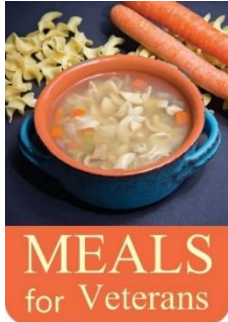
KirkWood Silver will be having another parking lot Bring Your Own Lunch for our May fellowship event. It will be on Thursday, May 20th, at 11:30. Bring your lunch, including beverages, a chair, and your mask. Encourage others who have never attended KWS to join us! We had a great time in April and will have another great time in May! No sign-up is necessary, but it is nice to know who is planning to be there. Wanda at wandjbirch@verizon.net.

USHERS are needed for the 9:30 and 11:00 services. Please contact Jim Mershon or Nancy Ridsen if you can help with this ministry.



We'd like to extend an invitation to any men in the church who would like to get together as Christian friends. This is some guys getting together a couple of times a month; an informal group relaxing, chatting, and supporting each other as we all come out of our pandemic bubbles. We limit planning to where and when to meet—no agenda, lesson, RSVP, or required reading. Our next event is Saturday, May 15th at 2:30 p.m. at the Oozlefinch Brewery on Ft. Monroe. Kirkwood men are invited to show up with a lawn chair; Christian friends welcome too. For more information—or to be on the notification list—they may contact me (Bruce Buchanan) at 757-725-6001 or r.bruce.buchanan@gmail.com.

Just a reminder that the Congregational Care Committee will be hosting a **Military Appreciation Breakfast Drive-By**, from 9-11 AM, on Saturday, May 22nd. Creamed Beef, biscuits, and fruit will be on the menu. All KirkWoodians are invited. Please call or email the church office by Thursday, May 20th, to sign up.



Meals for Vets

We are continuing our Vet Meal Mission by providing meals for 2 Vet homes (5 men in each home) every Monday and Thursday. These homes support Vets transitioning from homelessness. Please consider assisting in this mission by fixing a casserole for 5 men. You can sign up in the Narthex, through [Signup Genius](#) or call Gloria at 757-223-4104/757-719-0995 or Zora at 757-833-6406/757-869-3784 and they will sign you up, answer questions, and arrange for pickup.

Clothing for the Homeless

Please donate new or clean and gently used clothing for the homeless and the needy. Call the church office to schedule a time to drop off items in the "Clothing Donations" box in the Narthex. All clothing items are needed, especially socks and under garments for men and women.



Hour of Prayer - Come gather in the Narthex, grab a hot beverage from our new coffee maker, and share prayer requests! We will pray over existing prayer requests of Kirkwood and those mentioned in person. We will meet on Tuesdays from 7-8:30 p.m. in the Narthex. Attendance is capped at 10 so please RSVP to Ashley Wenner at KYGYouthleader@gmail.com or 804-413-2113.

Pledges and gifts

can be mailed to
1209 Hampton Hwy, Yorktown, VA 23693
Thank you for remembering the church.



FACEBOOK - We're using KirkWood's Facebook page as a communication and discipleship tool. Click the link below to find the page.

Find us on 

This Week at KirkWood

Sunday, May 9 – H.O.P.E. Offering

- 9:30 a.m. Praise & Worship Service
Children's Sunday School (ages 3 – 5th grade) and Nursery (under age 5)
- 11:00 a.m. Liturgical Worship Service
Adult Sunday School
- 3:30 p.m. God Is Supernatural S.A.L.T. Group
- 6:00 p.m. KirkWood Youth Group - Middle School

Monday, May 10

- 6:00 p.m. Worship Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. [The Monday Rendezvous](#)

Tuesday, May 11

- 5:30 p.m. KirkWood Youth Group - High School
- 7:00 p.m. Hour of Prayer Meeting

Wednesday, May 12

- 11:00 a.m. Linus Group
- 4:00 p.m. Coffee with Chris
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. Beautiful Mess Small Group
Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 13

- 6:30 p.m. Stepping Stones Small Group
- 7:00 p.m. Discipleship Group

Friday, May 14

- 7:15 a.m. Prayer Warriors

Sunday, May 16 – Senior Recognition Sunday

- 9:30 a.m. Praise & Worship Service
Children's Sunday School (ages 3 – 5th grade) and Nursery (under age 5)
- 11:00 a.m. Liturgical Worship Service
Adult Sunday School
- 12:30 p.m. Session Retreat
- 3:30 p.m. God Is Supernatural S.A.L.T. Group
- 6:00 p.m. KirkWood Youth Group – Middle School



Please see the [church calendar online](#) for a complete list of KirkWood events and other activities in the building.