This Week's Activities

Sunday, June 8 *H.O.P.E. Offering*
9:30 a.m. Worship Service, Nursery
10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship
11:00 a.m. Congregational Debriefing and Discussion

Monday, June 9 *Pastor Chris on Vacation*
7:00 p.m. Outreach Meeting

Tuesday, June 10 *Pastor Chris on Vacation,*
No Scheduled Church Activities

Wednesday, June 11 *Pastor Chris on Vacation*
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga
10:30 a.m. LINUS Group
6:00 p.m. Worship Band Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, June 12 *Pastor Chris on Vacation*

Friday, June 13 *Pastor Chris on Vacation*
7:15 a.m. Men's Prayer Group
7:00 p.m. Celebration of Life Service for Tom Briggs

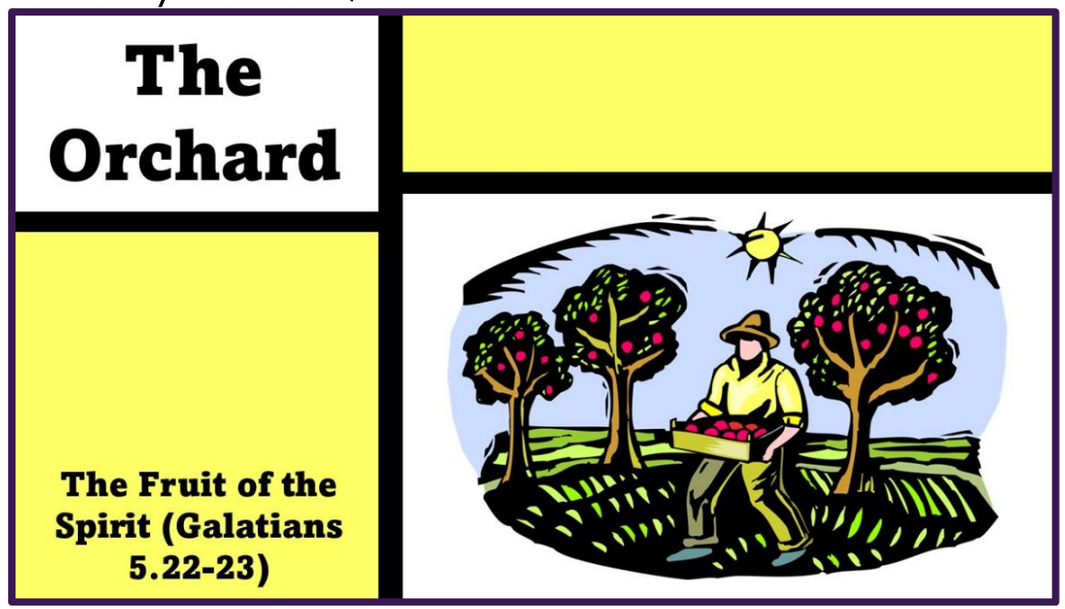
Saturday, June 14 *Pastor Chris on Vacation,*
No Scheduled Church Activities

Sunday, June 15 *Pastor Chris on Vacation*
9:30 a.m. Worship Service, Nursery
10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship

Please see the full
church calendar online.

WELCOME

KirkWood Presbyterian Church
Sunday June 8, 2025



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	"Meet Us Here"	
Welcoming Each Other		Pastor Chris Shearer
Announcements		
Affirmation of Faith		
Opening Prayer		
Songs	"Soul on Fire" "Good Morning Mercy"	
	Children ages 3 – 2nd grade dismissed for Glory Time	
Congregational Prayer		Pastor Chris Shearer
Anthem	"Love, Come Down" Karen Marrolli	Women's Ensemble
Sermon	The Orchard – Week 6 Self-Control	Pastor Chris Shearer
Hymn #404	"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"	
Closing Prayer		Pastor Chris Shearer
Song	"Holy Spirit"	

This Week's Prayer Requests

Wendy B.	Jerry & Janet D.'s daughter, Jill
Wanda B.	Betty D.'s sister, Madelyn
Dominique C.	Toni F.'s brother, Jeff
Albertina D.	Regina H.'s parents
Julia H.	Cathy H.'s mom, Joyce
Carolyn H.	Jeane H.'s husband, Stan
April M.	April M.'s mom
Mike M.	Mike & Wilma M.'s son, Allen
Denisse O.	Kim R.'s mother, Marilyn
Ken P.	Robin W.'s father
Roger R.	Lisa W.'s mother, Lois
Sandy R.	
Carla R.	
Hans S.	
Pepper W.	

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 opportunity - 1st Thursday Lunch Program

KirkWood is partnering with First Presbyterian Church, Hampton to provide lunches to the homeless and others with food challenges on the 1st Thursday of each month. KirkWood provides 2 volunteers to assist the First Hampton team prepare and deliver lunches to those in need.

Volunteers are needed from 10am until 12:30pm at First Hampton Presbyterian at 514 S. Armistead Ave. First Hampton provides all the items for the lunches and leads the team. The next open 1st Thursdays are:

July 3rd
August 7th
September 4th

Volunteers can sign up online at https://rebrand.ly/1stThu or contact Arba Williamson at 757-344-5588.

Flower Ministry

If you would like to donate sanctuary flowers, you can sign up in the foyer, call/email the office, or online here. You can dedicate flowers for a special occasion or in memory/honor of someone. Flower arrangements are $35.00 per week. You can pay online by clicking here or send a check with "Flowers" on the memo line.

Each week, volunteers take the sanctuary flowers and make several small arrangements to be taken to the sick and shut in. If you would like to volunteer to make flower arrangements after service on Sunday you can sign up at online by clicking here.

Sanctuary flowers were given by
Pepper & Sandy Westbrook in Honor of Their Anniversary

Sanctuary flowers were given by
The Griffins in Honor of Steve & Gloria's Anniversary

Announcements

PLAY BALL! Please join us for Peninsula Pilots Baseball on Saturday, June 21st, at 7 PM at War Memorial Stadium in Hampton where they'll take on the Zookeepers from Asheboro NC. These talented players hail from colleges around the country and the competition is top notch. Tickets are a bargain at $11 for adults, and $8 for seniors (65+), children (16 and younger), and active-duty military (w/ID) that you can purchase online (service charge) or at the gate. There are a variety of food and drink options as well, all reasonably priced. No need to sign up; just show up and enjoy the fun! Van will be available for those requiring transportation (please contact Bill Gilbert). For other questions, the point of contact is Lew Goodman.

Office Schedule for this week – Pastor Chris is on vacation Monday, June 9th – Sunday, June 22nd. Albertina is recovering from surgery and will be working from home as needed from Monday – Wednesday this week. She plans to return to the office on Thursday.

H.O.P.E. Offering

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.

Concert at Busch Gardens - Did you know that Busch Gardens offers FREE concerts included with regular park admission during the summer? On Saturday, July 12 at 7:00pm, Billboard's #2 Artist of the Decade, Jeremy Camp, will be performing! This is a perfect outing for all ages and we hope you will join us for an evening of worship under the summer sky (along with a roller coaster backdrop and a train whistle or two)! RSVP online: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0F4DADAF29A5F85-57008647-busch so we can coordinate a meeting time and place at the park. Feel free to spread the word and invite your friends and neighbors, too! For more information contact Lauren Malone (lauren.w.malone@gmail.com).

Vacation Bible School - Our kids have been invited to be a part of Vacation Bible School this summer at Yorkminster Presbyterian Church. It runs from July 21 to July 25, 9:00 am – 12:30 pm each day ($10 cost). Registration – https://www.bit.ly/ypcvbs2025.
YPC is also looking for KirkWood teens (6th-12th grade) & adults to help during the week. You can sign up at Yorkminster Presbyterian Church: VBS True North 2025 Volunteers.
You can also reach out directly to Director of Family Ministries, Dowler Wheat (dowler@yorkminsterpc.org), if you have any questions.

Volunteer Needs:
-Photographer
-Nursery Attendant (infants through 3yrs)
-Bible adventure co-lead
-Sticky scripture co-lead

Crew leaders (6 total):
-Preschool (need 2 for ages 4 & 5 - already completed year 1 of preschool)
-3rd grade (need 1)
-4th grade (need 1)
-5th grade (need 2)

Also, if you have an artificial Christmas tree (lit or unlit) that Yorkminster could borrow, it would be greatly appreciated!

KirkWood Arts Camp

The Arts Camp is on Saturday, July 12th from 10 am – 1 pm and Sunday, July 13th during Worship and is open to children ages 5-10. Our theme this year is "The Bee-attitudes." We will explore it through music, movement, scripture and art.
We are combining resources with Yorkminster Presbyterian church, and want to make sure that we have room for your (grand)child(ren) so PLEASE make a beeline to let Ann Brown (orybeebrown@gmail.com) know ASAP if your child (or one of your child's buddies) would like to be part of our camp this year.

Have you remembered KirkWood in your estate plan?

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

- KirkWood has installed a new listening assist system so that those who have difficulty hearing can have their own amplified sound, particularly focused on the spoken word and vocals.
- Stop by the sound desk between 9:10-9:25 or after service to get instructions.