

# WELCOME

KirkWood Presbyterian Church – July 18, 2021



## KirkWood Presbyterian Church

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

### **CONTACT US**

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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. Worship Service**

Introit	“What A Friend We Have in Jesus” arr. Marianne Kim	Ann Brown
Welcome & Announcements		Pastor Chris Shearer
Affirmation of Faith	Celebrating Christ	
Opening Prayer		
Song	“Open the Eyes of My Heart”	Worship Band
Song	“All Creatures of Our God and King”	Worship Band
Prayer		Ben Scott
Hymn #442 (v.1-4)	“The Church’s One Foundation”	
Sermon	Surprise the World! - Week 6 Hear and Act	Pastor Chris Shearer
Anthem	“Cornerstone” arr. Heather Sorenson	Worship Choir Heather Shearer, Soloist
Congregational Prayer		
Song	“Greatly to be Praised”	Worship Band
Benediction		Pastor Chris Shearer

# KirkWood Prayer List

## July 18, 2021

### Illnesses/Health Concerns

Hunter A.	Tim C.'s mom, Jeams
Ida D.	Skip C.'s mother, Pat
Kay G.	Bob C.'s mother, Barbara
Carolyn G.	Betty D.'s brother, Thomas
Gloria G.	Anne E.'s son, Gary
Haydee G.	Matt F.'s mom, Brenda
Steve H.	Jeane H.'s husband, Stan
Jeane H.	Jo Ann K.'s daughter, Teresa
Jo Ann K.	Holly K.'s granddaughter, Catherine
Dick L.	Holly K.'s husband, Farold
Gerry L.	Holly K.'s sister, Barbara
Christine L.	Troy L.'s mother and father
Mike M.	Nate N.'s sister, Ellie
Dennis R.	Donna O.'s daughter, Alayna
Aaron W.	Denisse O.'s father, Abelargo
Arba W.	Lynn P.'s granddaughter, Emily
Len W.	Lynn P.'s mother, Lillis
	Lori S.'s mom, Jeanette
	Tim S.'s father, William
	Skipp W.'s partner, Christi
	Cliff W.'s mother, Patsy
	Robin W.'s brother, Steve
	Robin W.'s mother, Rosemarie

### Sympathy

The family of Stan Leshen  
(Cindy W.'s father)

The family of Gerald Young  
(Lynn P.'s father)

### 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

Katy B., Cathy H., Winette J.



### **Prayer Requests and Special Needs**

Please call the church office at  
766-0343 or email [office@kirkwoodpcusa.org](mailto: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

Please visit [kirkwoodpcusa.org](http://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](mailto:office@kirkwoodpcusa.org).

## Meet Up with Pastor Chris This Week:

- 1) The Monday Rendezvous-Surprise the World Discussion: Monday evenings 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](mailto: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.

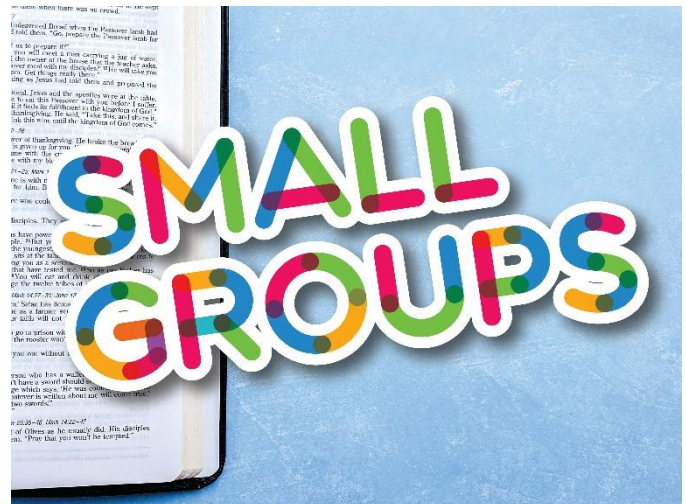
[The 2021 Flower Sign-up list is online](#). There are still plenty of Sundays available (July – December)! Sign up for sanctuary flowers to dedicate in memory/honor of someone. After worship, flowers will be taken to the sick and shut in. Flower arrangements are \$35.00 per week. You can pay online (at [www.kirkwoodpcusa.org](http://www.kirkwoodpcusa.org)) or send a check with "Flowers" on the memo line.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D45ABAA2CA5FE3-kirkwood>

**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 

**SMALL GROUPS** - Are you interested in joining a small group? We already have a couple of people ready to form a new group. If you're interested, please contact the church office at (757) 766-0343 or [office@kirkwoodpcusa.org](mailto:office@kirkwoodpcusa.org).



## A SHARED LEARNING EXPERIENCE!

The entire KirkWood congregation is joining in a shared learning experience, reading a great, short, straightforward book on interpersonal outreach by a leader in the missional church: "Surprise the World!" by Michael Frost. If you haven't gotten your copy yet, you can order one using the link below or get one in the narthex on Sunday. (\$8.00 each). If you write a check, please make it out to KirkWood Presbyterian Church and write "book"/your envelope number on the memo line.

["Surprise the World!" by Michael Frost - Order your copy here](#)

### Reading Schedule:

- 7/18 - 7/25: Read Chapter 7
- 7/25 - 8/1: Read Chapter 8

### "Surprise the World!" - Book Debriefing:

If you're in a small group or attend a Sunday School class, watch for the Midweek Minute email this week: in it will be a set of book debriefing questions that we'd love for you to discuss sometime between August 1 - 15. When you do, take some notes, and send them to Pastor Chris. He'll be compiling what you send for Session to consider.

If you're not in a small group or Sunday School class, you still have a chance to discuss this concluding set of questions:

- You can come to the Monday Zoom book discussion on August 2, the link to it will be in that day's Monday Memo email, as well as on KW's Facebook.
- You can sign up and come to a lunch discussion after the worship service on August 1: to sign up, just email Pastor Chris - [pastorchriskwpc@gmail.com](mailto:pastorchriskwpc@gmail.com).
- You can contact Pastor Chris for a one-on-one debriefing anytime during the week between August 1 - 8.

The goal of these debriefing questions and discussions will be land on a few ideas for how KW can live out the principles we've learned from our summer book as we move into our post-COVID future.

### **Sunday Book Discussion**

In addition to other opportunities, we invite you to join in-person discussion of Surprise the World Sunday's at either 8:30 or 10:45. Come share your thoughts.

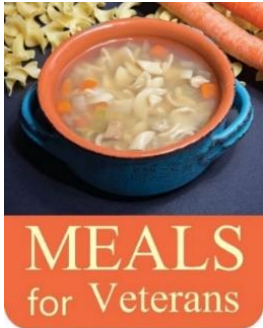


Next week, we will have hard copies of bulletins available for those who would like them. To complete printing in a timely manner, please submit announcements for the bulletin to the office by Wednesday at noon.

**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 5<sup>th</sup> grade. The nursery is also for children under 5 in the Toddler Nursery room. There is overlap, so parents can decide what is best.



**USHERS** are needed for worship services. Please contact Jim Mershon if you can help with this ministry.



### **Urgent Need - Meals for Vets**

We need help with our Vet Meal Mission. KirkWood provides 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.



### **Pledges and gifts**

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

# This Week at KirkWood

## Sunday, July 18

- 8:30 a.m. Surprise the World Discussion  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Children's Sunday School (ages 3 - 5th grade) and Nursery (under age 5)  
10:45 a.m. Surprise the World Discussion/Coffee Fellowship  
6:00 p.m. KirkWood Youth Group - Middle School

## Monday, July 19

- 7:00 p.m. Monday Rendezvous - Surprise the World Discussion

## Tuesday, July 20

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

## Wednesday, July 21

- 10:30 a.m. Linus Group  
4:00 p.m. Coffee with Chris  
7:00 p.m. Women's Choir Rehearsal

## Thursday, July 22

- 7:00 p.m. Discipleship Group

## Friday, July 23

- 7:15 a.m. Prayer Warriors

## Sunday, July 25

- 8:30 a.m. Surprise the World Discussion  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Children's Sunday School (ages 3 - 5th grade) and Nursery (under age 5)  
10:45 a.m. Surprise the World Discussion/Coffee Fellowship  
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.