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WELCOME

KirkWood Presbyterian Church – November 1, 2020

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

ABOUT US

KirkWood is a Presbyterian Church (USA) congregation which seeks to exalt our Risen Lord in all areas of our individual and corporate lives. We would be happy for you to join us as we discover new and creative ways to respond to God's love. If you would like more information about our ministries check us out on the website at www.kirkwoodpcusa.org.

INFORMATION FOR GUESTS

We are so happy you chose to worship with us today! If you are a first-time guest, please feel free to pick up a church brochure and a complimentary canvas bag before leaving today and do stay awhile after worship so that we may meet you.

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**KirkWood Presbyterian Church
November 1, 2020**

Order of Worship

Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Chris Shearer
Call to Worship	Isaiah 55:6-9	
Opening Prayer		
Opening Song	“Good Good Father” arr. Bryan Sharpe	Small Ensemble Ben Scott, Soloist
Prayers of the People		
New Testament Reading	1 Corinthians 1:18-25	Cindy Heldreth/ Mary Brown
Sermon	Just Another Victim of Rome (A Communion Sunday Reflection)	Pastor Chris Shearer
Song	“God of Calvary”	Worship Band
Preparing for the Lord’s Table		
Observing the Lord’s Table		
Concluding the Lord’s Table – The Lord’s Prayer		
Closing Song	“Glory to God Forever”	Worship Band
Benediction		Pastor Chris Shearer

**KirkWood Prayer List
November 1, 2020**

<u>Illnesses/Health Concerns</u>	<u>Our Troops</u>
John C. Ida D. Sheila F. Kay G. Jim G. Haydee G. Cathy H. Steve H. Jeane H. Winette J. Jo Ann K. Julie L. Mike M. Elizabeth N. Art P. Faye S. Florence S. Aaron W.	including... Jennifer, Karen, Michael, Justin, Drew, Brian, Rey, Ben <u>Mission Concerns</u> Our Sister Church – CPK Mikondo; The Rach Family in Chiapas, Mexico; Jonah of Nineveh <u>Concerns</u> People who are still being identified and dying from the COVID-19 virus; The mental health of our country; Homeless; Hungry; First Responders
<u>Unspoken</u>	
Bruce, Gloria, Barb, Cathy, Kathryn, Gerry, Kay, Tami, Donna Troy, Hans, Jane, Aaron, Robin	



If you would like to receive an email with a more comprehensive list of prayer concerns and praises, please call or email the church with your request.

This Week at KirkWood

Sunday, November 1 – Food Pantry

- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary) & [Online Streaming](#)
Adult Sunday School (Room 5)
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary)
Adult Sunday School (Zoom)
- 12:00 p.m. Worship Band Meeting - Instrumentalists (Room 5)
- 3:00 p.m. Congregational Meeting (Zoom)
- 3:30 p.m. God Is Supernatural S.A.L.T. Group (Room 4)
- 6:00 p.m. KirkWood Youth Group (Rooms 7, 8)
- 7:00 p.m. [Game Night \(Zoom\)](#)

Monday, November 2

- 6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts Pack #54 (KirkWood Grounds)

Tuesday, November 3

- 6:30 p.m. BS Troop #54 (KirkWood Grounds)
- 7:00 p.m. Congregational Care Meeting (Zoom)
Christian Education Meeting (Zoom)
Mission Meeting (Room 6/Zoom)
Outreach Meeting (Zoom)
Property & Facilities Meeting (Rear of Sanctuary)

Wednesday, November 4

- 10:30 a.m. LINUS Group (Parking Lot)
- 5:00 p.m. Team 2 Counters (Room 5)
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Choir (Front of Sanctuary)
- 7:00 p.m. Beautiful Mess Small Group (Zoom)
Worship Choir Rehearsal (Zoom)

Thursday, November 5

- 5:30 p.m. Pack #54 Webelos Den Meeting (Parking Lot)
- 6:30 p.m. New Elder Training #1 (Narthex)
Stepping Stones Small Group (Griffin)

Friday, November 6

- 7:15 a.m. Prayer Warriors (Zoom)

Saturday, November 7

- 8:00 a.m. Fall Clean Up (KirkWood Grounds)

Sunday, November 8 – H.O.P.E. Offering

- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary) & [Online Streaming](#)
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary)
Adult SALT Group (Zoom)
- 3:30 p.m. God Is Supernatural S.A.L.T. Group (Room 4)
- 6:00 p.m. KirkWood Youth Group (Rooms 7, 8)

Announcements

Words in blue are links to worship resources such as videos of songs, sign-up sheets, scripture passages, etc. Please visit kirkwoodpcusa.org to sign our online friendship pad.

Prayer Requests and Special Needs

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



November Newsletter – Please [click here](#) and select **November 2020** to see the latest KirkWood Kronicle [here](#).

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

In-Person Sunday School for Adults - Joyce Armstrong will teach an in-person Sunday school class for adults, beginning Sunday, November 1st, at 9:30.

It will be held in the church library (last room on the left, across from Fellowship Hall). Due to COVID restrictions, the class is limited to 7 students, plus Joyce, and masks are required. During the first session, Joyce will discuss with those present, a direction for the study. She will present several possible ideas to the group. As time allows, she will also present a generic mini-lesson. Please contact Joyce at jarmstrong96@aol.com if interested, or for more information.



There will be a **Congregational Meeting** today, November 1st at 3:00 p.m. via Zoom for the purpose of electing elders. The slate of elders is as follows:

Class of 2022: Lew Goodman, Congregational Care

Class of 2023: Connie Barlow, Mission

Tammie Organski, Administration

Kenny (K.C.) Keller, Technology

Murray Ritter, Planning and Leadership Development



KirkWood Shirts - Outreach will be ordering long-sleeved Kirkwood logo T-shirts in purple, navy blue, and Carolina blue at a cost of \$12.00 each, adult sizes small thru 3XL. Call or email June R. or Toni F. by Oct. 31st if you would like one. Payment upon delivery.

Contact June at 757-867-9022 (jjritter2962@gmail.com) or Toni at 719-237-1156 (fishermd1@gmail.com)



Since KirkWood Silver's Parking Lot Picnic was such a great success, we thought we'd like to try again! On Thursday, November 12th at 11:30a.m., KirkWood Silver will have **Pizza in the Parking Lot!**

The plan is to order personal pan pizzas from Pizza Hut, offering a choice of four toppings: cheese, pepperoni, sausage, or veggies (just one topping per pizza, please). The cost will be \$5.00, to minimize making change. Bring your chair, beverage of choice, and mask, of course.

To make your reservation and tell us which topping you'd like, please e-mail Wanda and Jim at wandjbirch@verizon.net, or call us at 757-868-8651, no later than Monday, November 9th.



Game Night - There's another KW Game Night **TONIGHT**, 11/1, at 7:00 p.m. Plan on joining in the fun! We will explore the history of religious movies produced over the years, dating back a full century, and see who can identify various movies as we give some hints. The Zoom information is below:

Topic: CC game night

Time: November 1, 2020 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6870575191>

Meeting ID: 687 057 5191

Congregational Vows to our New Pastor

Soooooo, in all the hubbub of planning Pastor Chris' Zoom installation last Sunday, we accidentally left out an important piece. The installation is still "official," not to worry.

If you attended, you saw that a - maybe THE - key facet of the installation was a set of vows Pastor Chris took, to KirkWood, our Presbytery, and, most fundamentally, to Christ. Well, as it happens, there are congregational vows too, ones that the church takes about its relationship to its new pastor.

Here are those vows...they reflect the commitment KirkWood has made to Pastor Chris, and outline what a healthy pastor/church relationship looks like:

"Do we, the members of the church, accept Chris as our pastor, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to guide us in the way of Jesus Christ?

Do we agree to pray for him, encourage him, to respect his decisions, and to follow as he guides us, serving Jesus Christ who alone is Head of the Church?

Do we promise to pay him fairly and provide for his welfare as he works among us; to stand by him in trouble and share his joys?

Will we listen to the word he preaches, welcome his pastoral care, and honor his authority as he seeks to honor and obey Jesus Christ our Lord?"

Clothing for the Homeless

Please donate new or clean and gently used clothing for the homeless and the needy. There is a box labeled "Clothing Donations" in the Narthex. All clothing items are needed, especially socks and under garments for men and women... We are no longer accepting books.



The **Fall Clean Up and Pumpkin Patch Removal Day** is November 7th from 8 to 11 am (but usually completed by 10am). If you are able to help, we will be trimming trees, raking leaves, general grounds maintenance, and removing the entire pumpkin patch. We would love to have you for whatever time you can afford, either the entire time or even one hour. Bring a rake, gloves, wheelbarrow, etc.



KIRKWOOD FOOD DRIVE

The Mission Committee will conduct another food drive on Saturday, November 14th. COVID-19 shows no signs of slowing down and the economy is only slowly recovering. This puts continued pressure on our area Food Banks and Pantries to meet the needs of families. The Food Drive will be done as a "drive through" in the KirkWood Parking Lot from 9am-Noon.

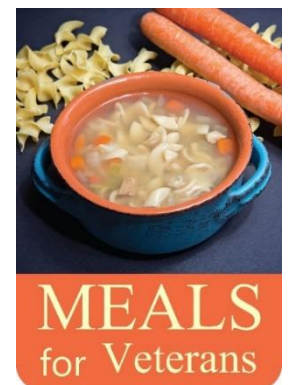
We will accept Non-Perishable food items, checks to the Peninsula Food Bank or to St Luke's Food Pantry, and cash donations. Here is the list of most needed items:

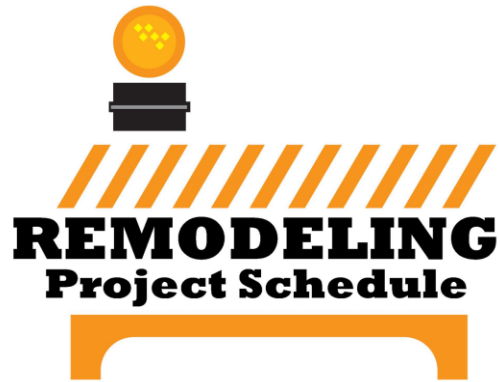
- Canned Tuna, Chicken or Ham
- Pasta Meals and Sauces
- Canned Fruit or Fruit Cups
- Hearty Meaty Soups
- Cereal, Breakfast Bars, Oatmeal
- Rice Boxes, Whole Wheat Pasta
- Peanut Butter and Jelly
- Mac and Cheese

Please support this very critical mission as many families on the Peninsula are hurting. If questions contact Jen Carter, Elisabeth Kelly, or Arba Williamson.

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 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.





REMODELING Project Schedule

We are in the process of continuing the **remodeling of the church**. The painting of the hallways is complete and now it is time to replace the flooring. We will also update and re-hang the bulletin boards. We can use all levels of talent. Here are the planned days for replacing the flooring:

- 11/9 - 8am to 1pm: Remove carpet in hallways and start painting the trim on bulletin boards
- 11/10 - 3pm to 8pm: Complete removal and start installing flooring and continue painting the trim on bulletin boards
- 11/11 - 8am to 1pm: Continue installing flooring and continue painting the trim on bulletin boards
- 11/12 - 3pm to 8pm: Continue installing flooring
- 11/13: - 8am to 1pm Continue installing flooring
- 11/16 - 8am to 1pm: Install trim and hanging bulletin boards
- 11/17 - 3pm to 8pm: Install trim and hanging bulletin boards
- 11/18 - 8am to 1pm: Install trim and hanging bulletin boards

We need 8-10 people each shift. Please sign up in the Narthex or contact Kirk Reno.

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



Need a Small Group? So much of the richness of church life comes from relational connection - and that happens best outside of a Sunday morning worship service. The need of this small group connection is heightened due to CoVid; so many of us feel disconnected and alone, and we need to plug in and support one another.

Are you without a small group or adult Sunday School class right now? If so, we'd like to help you get engaged in a group, which may mean KW creating a few new ones. These might meet via Zoom or in-person, if done safely. Interested? Let Rich Egyud (regyud@gmail.com) or Pastor Chris know (pastorchriskwpc@gmail.com).



It's that time of the year-time to pack shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. These gifts are needed now more than ever for children in need around the world. Shoeboxes and information on "How To Pack A Shoebox," are available in the Narthex. Completed shoeboxes, along with a \$9.00 donation to cover shipping, are due by Sunday, November 15th. Empty shoeboxes can be delivered to you and then picked up when completed.

New this year: www.samaritanaspurse.org/buildonline offers the option of prepacked shoeboxes at a cost of \$25.00 that includes the \$9.00 shipping fee. For more information, contact Wendy B. at 870 9642.

Pastor Chris is usually in the office Sunday - Thursday
Please call the office or email Chris before coming.
Chris Shearer - pastorchriskwpc@gmail.com