



# The Knoll Word

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Monthly News of Grace Unbounded at Knollwood Baptist Church



## A Day to Remember at KBC:

### November 7, 2021 All Saints' Sunday

By ROZANNA GOOCEY

Minister of Music and Worship

On All Saints' Sunday, Knollwood will join the world-wide church as we celebrate Christians, both known and unknown, who have died and joined the "great cloud of witnesses." Worship will include great hymns of the faith accompanied by a guest chamber orchestra. The Chancel Choir and orchestra will offer Faure's *Requiem* and the Chancel Bells will play a stunning arrangement of *Shall We Gather at the River*. We will be led into this solemn and profound day of worship by children bearing candles in memory of those from our congregation who have died over the past year and sent forth with Bach's masterful *St. Anne Fugue* for organ.

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## Faith Formation & Education Minister Search Committee

Informational Session: *Sunday, Nov. 14*

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## Thanksgiving Ingathering and Community Food Drive

Saturday, Nov. 20, from 11 AM - 3 PM

Sunday, Nov. 21, before Morning Worship Service

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Thank you for supporting the life and mission of our church as we gather to worship, learn, connect, and serve.

## Giving 2021

On Commitment Sunday, Nov. 14, please bring your completed Giving and Service Commitment Cards to present during worship. These cards will be sent to members of the church on Monday, Oct. 25.

If you can not be present on Nov. 14, please send your completed commitment cards to the church office. You may also make a confidential commitment by emailing Knollwood's Finance Coordinator, Michelle Anderson, at [finance@knollword.org](mailto:finance@knollword.org).

Copies of the commitment and service card can be downloaded from the QR code, and at [rebrand.ly/to-gatherforChrist](https://rebrand.ly/to-gatherforChrist)



Below is the link for "Giving 2021," our Stewardship newsletter. Each Thursday during our stewardship season, you will receive an email enlightening you on an aspect of stewardship at Knollwood. We encourage you to give prayerful consideration to how you can use your time, talents, and treasures to expand the Kingdom of God.

*Giving 2021*

## And Now a Word From Our Sponsor

By BOB SETZER JR.



It is hard to overstate Knollwood's willingness to step up and meet a need when she feels compelled and called to do so. Our church's compassionate and enthusiastic response to the Afghan refugee crisis is one recent example.

In my sermon on Sunday, Sept. 12--the 20th anniversary weekend of 9/11--I suggested helping Afghan refugees was one redemptive response to the Afghan War. Within days, a couple of dozen people stepped forward to help welcome these new refugees to our community.

Meanwhile, MAAC (Mission Affiliations and Allocation Committee) committed \$15,000 of Knollwood's discretionary funds to assist new refugees resettling in our community. These funds were directed to World Relief (<https://worldrelief.org/triad/>), our church's mission partner in this venture.

Now it appears we are days away from welcoming two Afghan families as our new neighbors (See article on p. 7).

I don't take this kind of Christ-centered energy and passion for granted. To me, it is an expression of the Spirit's presence, bubbling up in joy and resolve, among us (a la John 4:14).

Then on Sunday, Oct. 10, our children helped craft and lead a remarkable service of worship. They wrote and led litanies, played bells and sang, and our sixth graders shared a jointly written statement of faith. The honesty and depth of their confession, and the earnest longing to serve expressed within it, stirred the hearts of everyone present. Afterward, I realized anew that Knollwood doesn't just have a ministry *to* children; Knollwood provides a sacred space for the ministry *of* children.

And looking forward, on Sunday, Nov. 7, our Chancel Choir, bells, children, and guest musicians will present Faure's *Requiem*. This will offer a time for our congregation to acknowledge and grieve the passing of dear loved ones in the last year. It will also be a time to remember the over 700,000 of our fellow citizens who have died of this tragic pandemic. Thank God, Jesus offers a promise of new life daring and bold enough to offer hope in the face of all that death (John 11:25).

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Yes, the cover and pages of this newsletter are filled with opportunities for worship, learning, community, and service meant to grow able, committed disciples of Jesus. At Knollwood, we are blessed beyond measure. Truly, "our cup runneth over!"

*And now a word from our sponsor...*

Oh, yeah. That would be you. And me. For none of the things we treasure most about Knollwood are possible, at least not for long, without the consistent, committed financial support of our members.

So for the next few weeks, culminating on Commitment Sunday, Nov. 14, we'll explore and celebrate what it means *To•Gather for Christ* on the wooded Knoll. There will be weekly emails and videos designed to tell the Knollwood story and even a *To•Gather for Christ* refrigerator magnet coming your way along with your Giving and Service commitment cards.

God willing, 2022 will be the year our church and world put the COVID-19 pandemic behind us. So let's each do our part to commit ourselves to gather for Christ in the new year. And not just for our sakes, or even primarily for our sakes, but for the sake of God's mission of love and justice in the world.

*Blessings,*

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bob".

## Welcome to Knollwood

We welcome Knollwood's new Facilities/Maintenance Technician, Richard Green (Rick), who began work on Sept. 27. The Personnel Committee approved this new position in 2020 but because of the pandemic, the position was temporarily put on hold. Personnel appointed an advisory team including Linda Massler, Jerry Francis, and Bill Leathers. They worked with Robin Spainhour to define the job description for the part time position (20 hours per week) and search for the position. Rick's experience, personality, and team player attitude make him the perfect fit.



Rick retired from AT&T in 2020 after more than 40 years of service. Rick has years of problem-solving experience that will significantly benefit Knollwood. Rick obtained a builder's license (although not a builder) which gives him a good understanding of construction and building. He is experienced in electrical, plumbing, and carpentry and has already exhibited these skills on the job. Rick is excited to support the needs of Knollwood.

A member of New Philadelphia Moravian Church, Rick is a native of Clemmons. He and his wife, Lynette live in Clemmons and have two daughters, Diana and Ashley.

## Writers, Artists, and Shutterbugs Wanted!

By MARY HIX

The 2022 KBC Lenten Devotional Booklet is now underway and we want YOU to contribute. This time we'll be using the daily Lectionary scriptures for the readings. Please consider writing a devotional/poem/prayer or submitting artwork or photographs. You might also share something from one of your favorite writers. We urge newbie writers and artists to participate. The deadline for submissions is Nov. 19.



We have [guidelines](#) to help you write a devotional or submit photographs or artwork. The guidelines and a [link to the signup sheet can be found here](#), or by emailing Mary Hix at [mary.hix1@gmail.com](mailto:mary.hix1@gmail.com).

If you'd like to get a sense of what our booklet will be like, [please view the 2020 edition here](#).

## AMONG OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to *Emily and Andy Dothard* on the birth of *Andrew "McLean" Dothard*, born Sept. 2. *Mary and Mark Hix* are the proud grandparents.

We extend our condolences to the families who have experienced loss in recent months –

to *Don Wells* on the death of his father,  
*Don Wells, Sr.*, Sept. 4

to *Linda Kelly* on the death of her brother  
*Larry Weisner*, Sept. 5.

to *Brent Martin* and family on the death of his father,  
*James Martin (Jim)*, Friday, Sept. 10.

to the family of *Betty Agee* on her death, Sept. 18.

to *Gene Beck* on the death of his cousin, *Sue Lewis*, Sept. 26.  
to the family of *Ted Blount* upon his death Monday, Sept. 27.

to *Carolyn Hurst* upon the death of her  
brother-in-law, *Jim Allred*, Sept. 28.

to *Mark Hix* and family on the death of his nephew,  
*Ryan Hix*, Sunday, Oct. 3

to *Ken and Margaret Rigdon* on the death of  
their son, *Todd*, Oct. 5.

to *Doris Swann* on the death of her sister,  
*Irene Galloway*, Oct. 6.

## THANK YOU

Words cannot express how meaningful emails and phone calls from the pastor, phone calls, cards, prayers and bread from the congregation are during a time of surgery and recuperation. Thank you so much for being the loving, caring congregation that you are. My recuperation is slow but coming, and I look forward to being back and active very soon.

~Diane West

## NEWSLETTER

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**KNOLLWOOD**  
BAPTIST CHURCH  
*Grace Unbounded*

# Fall at the Preschool

By LUCRECIA NORMAN

Minister to Senior Adults & Weekday Preschool



TTWS opened for the new school year on Sept. 7. Our children have settled into a routine and are enjoying a lot of outside play. In the month since school started, our preschoolers have been busy laughing, exploring, planting, building and observing the world around them.



## SUNDAY SCHEDULE

- Knollchat ..... 9:00 AM
- Sunday School for all ages ..... 9:30 AM
- Worship Service ..... 10:45 AM
- HS Handbells ..... 4:00 PM
- Youth Choir ..... 4:30 PM
- Chancel Bells..... 5:30 PM
- Sunday Night Youth Group..... 5:30 PM

## LIVE-STREAM WORSHIP

Recordings of Knollwood’s Worship services:  
<https://www.knollwood.org/media-documents>

## FOR THE CHILDREN

Worship Care is provided for children and infants through four-year-olds, on the first floor of Building B. Children’s Worship is offered for Kindergarten through 3rd graders on the 1st, 3rd and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays.

Children meet their leaders in the narthex where indicated in the worship order to walk together to Children’s Worship (B244). After the worship service, parents pick up their children from B244. For the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays, children are invited to enjoy the worship service with their families.

Children’s worship bags and activities are available in the narthex for children worshipping with their families. There is also space in the parlor off the narthex for families who may need to step away at any point during the service.

[Register for worship care here.](#)

# Family Retreat



On Saturday, October 9, our children, youth and their families gathered on the campus on Winston-Salem Montessori school for a full day retreat. We had worship, service projects, team building, breakout sessions for parents, children and youth, and a good ol' campfire with s'mores. Most of all, it was an extended period of time for us to reconnect in a more relaxed setting which brought healing to our spirits.



## TRUNK OR TREAT:

Wednesday, Oct. 27  
6 PM at Knollwood

Come join us!

Interested in hosting a trunk, helping with a carnival game or volunteering in another capacity? Please contact [chrissy@knollwood.org](mailto:chrissy@knollwood.org) or Judith Kuhn at [judithkuhn44@gmail.com](mailto:judithkuhn44@gmail.com). It takes many eager volunteers to provide this fun evening for our children, families and community.

**Costume Parade**

**Carnival Games**

**Popcorn**

**Cake Walk**

**Pizza - \$1 Per Slice**

*Rain Date:*

*Sunday, Oct. 31 at 4 PM*

# Welcome Back, Welcome Home



**KATHARINE MARTIN**

*Interim Minister of Faith  
Formation and Education*

We did it! Over the course of August and September, we got back together, in person, for Sunday School and for Wednesday night fellowship meals and faith formation programs. After spending most of 2020 doing faith formation and education via Zoom, what a pleasure it has been to regather and reconnect face-to-face! To be sure, Sunday mornings with Knollchat in the Courtyard and several Sunday School classes meeting outside, and Wednesday nights with an outdoors “bring your own” dinner have been different from what we’ve been used to. However, we can celebrate that our staff, the Wednesday night server teams, our new Wednesday Meals Coordinator Connie Harvey, along with all of you, are meeting the challenge of the Delta surge with flexibility and creativity, and figuring out a way to be together in the growth and deepening of our faith.

Our theme for September Wednesday nights was Home. With the help of Jon Musser from World Relief, Dan Kornelis and Kyle Haney from Forsyth County Community and Economic Development, and Telissa Ward of SG Atkins CDC, we explored the spiritual meaning of home, the importance of safe, equitable, affordable homes, and how we might join with community partners such as World Relief to welcome Afghani refugees to Winston Salem as their new home.

We’ve all heard the saying, “Love makes a house a home.” But what makes a church a home? I hope we can continue to ponder this question as we make our way through this ongoing pandemic time. We’ve spent a lot of time in our own homes over the past year-and-a-half, but have missed the “like home” welcome spaces in our community that offer nourishing aspects of home like belonging, acceptance, and spiritual sustenance. Please feel invited to find welcome spaces and warm inclusion at Knollwood in dedicated small groups, adult Sunday school classes, and various missions and service opportunities. Explore [www.knollwood.org](http://www.knollwood.org) for more information.



## REFLECTION WREATH

Those gathered on September Wednesday nights created a beautiful, vibrantly-colored wreath made of multi-colored pieces of fabric that carry words of reflection on loss, gain, and hope, and memorials of loved ones lost in the past year and a half.

Our wreath of reflections will be displayed in the Fellowship Hall as a reminder that Knollwood is a place of home, welcome, and belonging. Each of us, along with our experiences of the past year-and-a-half, as well as our hopes for the future, are welcome and belong here.

## OCTOBER 3, 10, 17, 24 CHRISTIAN ECONOMICS LED BY DR. JOSHUA GOOCEY

In the economy of the Christian life, the primary production is that of faith, hope, and love. How might we use our resources to avoid inhibiting, and perhaps even assisting, God's good intentions?

This elective class will explore what defines Christian economics, from the cosmic to the particular. We'll begin with the macro view of God's divine economy through a cosmic and global lens, then focus on the individual economies of our human bodies, emotions, and minds. We'll consider the "input" and "output" of our lives, examining how what we consume through body and mind correlates to what we produce spiritually. Our relationship with money in all its forms will be discussed practically as well as philosophically, and we will take time to wonder and assess: what is a Christian orientation to accumulating, spending, saving, and giving away wealth?



## Knollwood Welcoming Two Afghan Families

By DEAN CLIFFORD and SPENCE O'NEILL

Knollwood's newest "Good Neighbor" team and other volunteers are working with World Relief, a resettlement agency, to welcome two Afghan refugee families to Winston-Salem as soon as next week. The first and most pressing need is to help these two families set up their homes so donations of furnishings and other household items are needed. [Here is a complete list of what is needed.](#) Donated items may be dropped off in the Fellowship Hall (please coordinate this with the church office) or donors may notify Dean Clifford, [deanmclifford@gmail.com](mailto:deanmclifford@gmail.com), of items that will need to be picked up.

Other opportunities to help include becoming a member of a Good Neighbor Team, helping set up a home for a newly-arrived family, and other time-limited commitments such as tutoring. Please contact Dean Clifford, or Spence O'Neill, [lsbrooks@hotmail.com](mailto:lsbrooks@hotmail.com), co-chairs of Knollwood's Missional Support Team, or Don Harvey, [donharvey53@gmail.com](mailto:donharvey53@gmail.com), coordinator of our Afghan "Good Neighbor" team, if you'd like to help.

In the past six years, Knollwood has worked with the Triad branch of World Relief, as well as forming a partnership with Temple Emanuel, to establish five Good Neighbor Teams providing support, assistance, and friendship to refugee families arriving from Syria and the Congo. On a recent Wednesday night, we heard from World Relief's Jon Musser about new opportunities to connect with and support refugee families moving to Winston-Salem from Afghanistan and other countries. Now, we are ready to re-engage in this important work.

## Circle of Quiet

### *Introducing a Silent, Contemplative Space for the Sunday School Hour*

*"Every so often I need out; something will throw me into total disproportion, and I have to get away from everybody in order to regain a sense of proportion...My special place is a small brook in a green glade, a circle of quiet..." ~Madeline L'Engle*

Being in community is critical for our spiritual life as Christians. However, community does not always mean talking, discussing, socializing, and eating together. "Community in our culture too often means a group of people who go crashing through the woods together, scaring the wild animal of the soul away," Parker Palmer says. "A community of solitudes is where we can be alone together."

In that spirit, we invite you to a Circle of Quiet, hosted in the Chapel during the Sunday School hour on Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:30. Being alone together is what this space is about.



Circle of Quiet is whatever you need it to be. For some, it might be an occasional silent retreat from a more traditional Sunday School class. For others, it might be a more regular and consistent time of quiet contemplation and reflection before worship. We invite you to come and go in accordance with your particular spiritual needs.

Time spent in the Circle of Quiet space is self-guided and personal. Each week the host will provide optional prayer and journal prompts, resources for learning new contemplative spiritual practices, and guidance for those interested in more structure. We welcome you to discover which forms of quiet contemplation feed your spirit each week. We offer this quiet space for stillness, and for letting our minds and spirits "catch up" with our bodies.

Circle of Quiet will be hosted weekly in the Chapel (lower level of Building A, across from the Resource Center), and it will begin on Oct. 31. Contact [fcausby@gmail.com](mailto:fcausby@gmail.com) for more information.

~Forrest Causby

## All Saints' Sunday Con'td

By ROZANNA GOOCEY

Minister of Music and Worship



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This past year has left so many of us without the usual shared public space and time for acknowledging our grief and celebrating the lives of those who've died. Therefore, All Saints' Sunday will serve as a time when we both grieve the loss of life and give thanks for their witness of God's love and light through their lives.

*"To be a saint is to live not with hands clenched to grasp, to strike, to hold tight to a life that is always slipping away the more tightly we hold it; but it is to live with the hands stretched out both to give and to receive with gladness. To be a saint is to work and weep for the broken and suffering of the world, but it is also to be strangely light of heart in the knowledge that there is something greater than the world that mends and renews." ~Frederick Buechner*

My prayer is that this wondrous offering of music "mends and renews" us; that through our song the Spirit motivates us, just as the saints do, to give our whole lives to the work of God in the world.

### Music Ministry Music Schedule:

[http://content.knollwood.org/2021\\_Documents/21MusicSchedule.pdf](http://content.knollwood.org/2021_Documents/21MusicSchedule.pdf)



Children's Choir was full of excitement last Wednesday as we put the finishing touches on our anthem for Sunday's Worship. Here our 1st - 3rd graders are singing a beautiful piece in two parts.

## Informational Sessions about Faith Formation & Education Minister Search: Sunday, Nov. 14

The Faith Formation & Education Minister Search Committee will hold informational sessions for the congregation on Sunday, Nov. 14. The purpose of the sessions is to update the congregation on the Search Committee's process and to seek additional guidance and input for its intended plan.

Both of the meetings are open to anyone. The first will begin at 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall during the Sunday School hour. The second, immediately after worship, is designed primarily for those teaching Sunday School or having other obligations earlier. (Because of current safety protocols, there will be no food served at the after-worship meeting, but it will be kept brief because of the lunch-time hour.)

By making both times available, the committee hopes that more people will be able to attend the gatherings.

The Search Committee began its work in early 2020, with a series of focus groups and a congregational survey to seek input on key priorities and characteristics for this ministry. That has been augmented by consultation with Dr. Chris Gambill of the Center for Congregational Health, interviews with staff in other churches similar to Knollwood, and research on church trends during and after the pandemic.

The meetings on Nov. 14 will be an additional opportunity to engage the congregation before completing a job description and moving into the actual search process. That is expected to begin by the end of the year.

Please mark your calendars for these important times together.

Sylvia Oberle, chair  
Beth Fields, vice-chair  
Trevor Anderson  
Clyde Cash  
Jerry Francis  
Kimberly Maner  
Spence O'Neill



## Thanksgiving Ingathering and Community Food Drive

**Saturday, Nov. 20, from 11 AM – 3 PM**

**Sunday, Nov. 21, before the Morning Worship Service**

Let's fill the Crisis Control truck again with food items at the annual KBC Ingathering. The need is great again this year, and you have two days and ways to donate. Boy Scouts will be handing out grocery bags in the narthex before and after Sunday morning worship in November.

Take several bags and pass them along to your neighbors and friends to fill. Then return the full bags on either Saturday, Nov. 20 from 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM to the Crisis Control truck in the parking lot or bring your donations to the Narthex Sunday, Nov. 21 before worship. The list of specifically requested items is below and will be attached to the grocery bags.

- Instant Potatoes
- Canned Greens (Collards, Kale, Mixed Greens, etc.)
- Canned Meats (Salmon, Ham, Roast Beef, Tuna)
- Canned Fruit (Applesauce, Pineapple, Peaches, etc.)
- Snack items (Granola Bars, Snack Crackers, Cereal Bars, etc.)
- Stuffing
- Beef Stew
- Spices
- Grits
- Oatmeal
- Condiments (Ketchup, Mustard, Mayonnaise, Salad Dressings)

## Faith in the City – Building Public Will for Educational Equity

By SYLVIA OBERLE

Knollwood's Faith in the City monthly educational series is continuing its emphasis on building public will for educational equity, with programs for October and November.

Now in its fourth year, Faith in the City is recognized as an important community-wide forum for in-depth examination of significant issues.

It meets on the first Tuesday of each month from 12-1 p.m. Throughout the fall, we will be meeting virtually on Zoom, as we continue to be sensitive to health concerns and also to continue to reach a growing statewide audience for our discussions.

On Nov. 2, the session will focus on increasing support for universal pre-K, with leaders from the business community, school system and parents identifying early learning as an essential tool for a healthy community.

On Dec. 7, we will welcome Tricia McManus, the WS/FC School Superintendent, and others to talk about specific efforts to achieve necessary reading levels by third grade for all students in Winston-Salem and Forsyth County.

Each session includes ways that members and partners of Knollwood can become more personally involved in taking the necessary steps to achieve educational equity.

We hope you can join us for this significant part of our church's ministry. For more information about Faith in the City, join our Facebook group at Faith in the City KBC, or email [faithinthecitykbc@gmail.com](mailto:faithinthecitykbc@gmail.com) to be added to our contact list.

## Waiting Until December?

By GAYLE ANDERSON

Are you waiting until December to make a year-end donation to Knollwood?

Many of us do, leaving organizations like Knollwood anxiously awaiting the mail each day in December, hoping and praying that their financial projections will be met -- or perhaps exceeded.

You can reduce the trepidation of Knollwood's finance committee and staff by making your year-end donations early. Wouldn't it be a comfort to go into the Advent season, knowing that our church finances are in excellent condition?

Please give prayerful consideration to a fourth quarter gift to Knollwood, even if you've fulfilled your stated financial commitment for calendar year 2021. There are so many needs in God's kingdom, and you will be blessed for supporting the Lord's work here on earth.

# “Extraordinary Ordinary Moments”

By JOSH GODWIN

*Minister of Youth and Recreation*



The best moments are often the most ordinary. Nestled into our memories of mundane days at home or in the company of everyday family are glimmers of extraordinary moments. These happen around a dinner table, or sitting in the cool grass of a fall backyard. More often than not, these extraordinary ordinary moments happen alongside the folks we love most, the folks who know us best.

Youth group is filled with ordinary moments like that. The big goings and doings, the AllNighters, the retreats, or week-long mission trips are fantastic and necessary parts in the life of our group. They are the experiences we talk about and reminisce over. But the moments that make our youth group into a community are the smaller ones: the unscripted, unprogrammed moments of just being together in shared spaces, or the times our youth group schedule gets a little thrown off because all of us have been laughing for five minutes straight.

We missed out on many of these moments during these past 20 months. Being safely apart meant not being able to safely share in those spaces and occasions. And we missed it.

One of the best parts of our SND.yg (our weekly gathering on Sunday evenings) times is the meal we get to share. In the before times (pre-pandemic... because that existed, right?), this meant gathering around the tables in our Noffsinger dining room. Now, in an effort to maintain safety for all our folks, we gather on the patio outside of Noffsinger. The meals are provided by youth families, for which I (and the youth who don't want sandwiches every week) am so, so grateful. At our first SND.yg session of the year back in September we had over two dozen folks gathered for our meal time. It's hard for me to find the words to describe how good this moment felt. After so long spent apart, or in distinct small groups not allowed to share a space for safety concerns, being able to gather with all our group together was like returning home after being away for too long. The small patio was alive with conversation and laughter. Youth hollered at one another from across the patio, shouting out friendly school rivalries or looping in a wider conversation.

At times I have wondered what the value was of setting aside such a large portion of our weekly gatherings for a meal when we could be deep in discussion or teaching valuable prayer practices. Those things are essential to the spiritual development of our folks and prove invaluable as they get older and explore their own independence. But especially now, still stuck in this murky phase of a prolonged pandemic, extraordinarily ordinary moments like this feel just as valuable.

We need to reforge the bonds of our community before trusting one another with our mindful musings on tough spiritual ideas. We need to share laughter and joy before we are comfortable sharing tears and sufferings. We need these moments that we find sharing a meal on our Noffsinger patio to create the foundation for fostering our shared growth. These ordinary, extraordinary moments are the cornerstones of our community, and we are so glad to be able to come back to them.

## SUNDAY MORNING

- 9:00 AM Noffsinger Coffee House
- 9:45 AM Group Prayer
- 9:55 AM Small Groups
- 10:30 AM Transition
- 10:45 AM Worship

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON

- 4:30 PM Youth Choir
- 5:30 PM SND.yg
- 7:00 PM Pick up

## WEDNESDAY YOUTH

- 5:00 - 5:45 PM Youth Bell Rehearsal
- 5:45 - 6:15 PM Youth Dinner
- 6:15 - 7:00 PM Youth Activities

## YOUTH CHOIR

The Youth Choir sings every fourth Sunday of the month in Worship.

- 4:30 - 5:15 PM Sunday Rehearsals

Youth Choir sings Dec. 19

- 9:00 AM Sunday Morning Worship Rehearsal



Josh Godwin, at the Family Retreat, Oct. 9

# Welcome to Our New Members



## Angie Engler and family

Gwen, Lila, Angie (back row) Oliver, Elise, Corinne (front row)

Sunday, Sept. 5, it was our joy to welcome Angie Engler and her family to Knollwood. Angie lives with her husband, Jeff, and

five children in Advance. Her three oldest daughters, Gwen, Lila, and Corinne all love dance, while the twins, Oliver and Elsie, love Pokemon and art, respectively. Angie works remotely as an Operations and Launch Manager for NextRep while her husband, Jeff, is a logistics manager for a petroleum company.

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## Sam and Beth Goforth

Sunday, Aug. 8, it was our joy to welcome Sam and Beth Goforth as new members of our church.

Beth is a graduate of Meredith and Sam of N.C. State. Married for 64 years, the Goforths spent many years in South Carolina where Sam taught chemical engineering and then worked for DuPont. Sam's pastimes include woodworking and writing small computer programs, while Beth has enjoyed serving as the church's kindergarten storyteller at First Baptist Church, Aiken, SC, where she was known as Mother Goose for her sidekick puppet. The Goforths have two children: Eric, a retired Baptist pastor, and Karen, a pastor's wife; four grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

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## Suzanne Mallard

Suzanne was born and raised in New Bern and came here to attend Salem College. That is when she first discovered Knollwood and Suzanne has been a regular worshiper at Knollwood ever since. Suzanne is a self-described "math nerd" who spent her career working with numbers, first at Wachovia Bank and then Booke and Company. She "loves all things Carolina Blue, especially basketball and lots of Final Four trips. Suzanne also enjoys writing silly little poems about most everything.

Suzanne is joining Knollwood by her Statement of Faith and Baptism.

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*We hope you will meet our new members soon and give them a warm Knollwood welcome.*

## Marcia Amos

Sunday, Sept. 19, it was our joy to welcome Marcia Amos as a new member of our church.

A native of South Dakota, Marcia grew up in Winston-Salem and Burlington. Marcia graduated from Catawba College with a degree in elementary education and received a Master's degree from UNC-G in Early Childhood Education.

A teacher for 30 years (26 of which were in the W-S/FC School System), Marcia's late husband's job took them away from Winston-Salem for 18 years, but she was happy to return after retirement.

Marcia enjoys reading, walking for exercise, and socializing with friends. She loves ACC basketball, especially Duke, despite the ribbing from Knollwood's many Wake and UNC fans.

Marcia has been attending KBC regularly for a little over 3 years and is happy to now officially be a member.

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## IN MEMORIAM

### Betty Zoe Agee

December 3, 1930 - September 18, 2021

*The members of Knollwood extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved and pray for God's healing presence in their lives.*

## WALKING TRACK REGISTRATION

The track is open to KBC members and friends during office hours. Masks are required. Please register online <https://www.knollwood.org/groups/wcc-regathering2021>. All participants must be individually registered. If you need help with the online registration, please contact the church office by phone,

336-725-1343,

or [josh@knollwood.org](mailto:josh@knollwood.org).

## AUGUST MINISTRY BUDGET

	YTD 2021	YTD 2020
Income	\$ 919,484	\$ 930,441
Expenses	\$ 881,024	\$ 817,766
Net Gain/ (Net Loss)	\$ 38,460	\$ 112,675
Ministry Budget	\$1,047,793	\$1,036,692



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