



Knollwood

at Worship

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Sunday, January 15, 2023 • 10:45 AM

In-person and Live-Stream

*To those who feel the need of light; to those who find doubts and fears in their hearts;
to those who need courage for their daily tasks; to those who feel lonely and friendless;
to those who wish to give service; to all who, in faith, will support and involve themselves
to the limit of their ability in the work of the Kingdom of God which this church undertakes;
to all who want rest, peace, and happiness — this church invites you to the fellowship of Jesus.*

KNOLLWOOD AT WORSHIP

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

Please silence all electronic devices. Thank you!

CHIMES

Three chimes are sounded, awakening us to the presence of God, alerting us to the voice of Christ, centering us in the embrace of the Spirit. As we gather, we present ourselves "as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is our spiritual worship."

PRELUDE

*Siyahamba (We Are Marching in the Light of God)arr. Hal H. Hopson
Chancel Bells*

CALL TO WORSHIP Katharine Martin

May the Lord put a new song in our mouths, a song of praise!

Happy are we who thank God for life, and trust in God's goodness.

We will tell of your faithfulness and your salvation, O Holy One.

Delighting in the Way of Jesus the Christ, we are eager to worship! ~Katharine Martin

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 39

Great Is Thy Faithfulness FAITHFULNESS

PRAYER OF THE DAY Katharine Martin

Precious Lord, light of the world, who illuminates the Divine image in all creation, open our eyes to the sanctity of life, and to the belovedness of each brother and sister, especially when they look, sound, and think differently from ourselves, and make us champions of justice for all, in the name of the One who so loves the world, and comes to make all things new. **Amen.**

~Katharine Martin

CALL TO CONFESSION, NO. 377

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light HOUSTON
Stanza 1 Caroline Tucker, cantor*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Bob Setzer, Jr.

Eternal Light,

shine in our hearts;

Eternal Goodness,

deliver us from evil;

Eternal Power;

be our support;

Eternal Wisdom,

scatter the shadows of our ignorance;

Eternal Compassion,

Have mercy on us, that with heart and mind and soul and strength we may seek your face and be brought by your infinite mercy to the Holy Presence, through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

* Those who are able will stand.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE, No. 377

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light.....HOUSTON
Stanza 2 All

LISTENING FOR GOD’S WORD

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Isaiah 49:1-6.....Katharine Martin
This is the word of God.
Thanks be to God.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9.....Lindley Curtis
This is the word of God. Deacon of the Week
Thanks be to God.

*HYMN OF THE DAY, No. 451

Open My Eyes, That I May See.....OPEN MY EYES
Stanzas 1 and 2

*GOSPEL LESSON: John 1:35-42.....

Lucrecia Norman
We rise in body or in spirit for the reading of the Gospel lesson.
This is the Gospel of Christ.
Thanks be to God.

*HYMN OF THE DAY, No. 451

Open My Eyes, That I May See.....OPEN MY EYES
Stanza 3

CHILDREN’S TIME.....

Chrissy Hardy
Children who are in kindergarten through third grade
are invited to meet the Children’s Worship leaders in the narthex.
Worship Care for infants through 4-year-olds is offered weekly.

SERMON.....

Bob Setzer, Jr.
WHEN JESUS OPENS OUR EYES TO THINGS WE’D RATHER NOT SEE

RESPONDING IN FAITH

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

If you desire membership in this congregation, you are invited to come forward and the pastor will greet you. Or if you prefer, you may speak to one of the ministers after the service. As an open membership church, we honor your previous baptism in any other Christian community. If you have not made a confession of faith, we invite you to do so by being baptized. Church members are invited to commit themselves anew to God and to God’s service in the world.

*HYMN OF RESPONSE, NO. 307

God of Grace and God of Glory CWM RHONDDA
Stanzas 1, 2, and 4

PASTORAL GREETING Bob Setzer, Jr.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD’S PRAYER Josh Godwin

**Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO GIVING

In response to the bounty of God’s blessings to us, we joyfully offer our gifts as we are able and dedicate them to the glory of God. Ushers will receive monetary gifts as our musicians offer the anthem.

Please sign and pass the Friendship Pads found on the end of each pew. If you are a guest, and wish to know more about Knollwood, please indicate that on the pad. Thank you.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Be Thou My Vision arr. John Carter
Lauren Winkelman, piano

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING Lindley Curtis

*DOXOLOGY, NO. 490

Wash, O God, Your Sons and Daughters BEACH SPRING
**O how deep your holy wisdom! Unimagined, all your ways!
To your name be glory, honor! With our lives we worship, praise!
We your people stand before you, water-washed and Spirit-born.
By your grace, our lives we offer. Re-create us; God, transform!**

DEPARTING TO SERVE

*BENEDICTION Bob Setzer, Jr.

*POSTLUDE

Little Prelude and Fugue in F Major Johann Sebastian Bach
Lauren Winkelman, organ



TO OUR GUESTS

To learn more about Knollwood Baptist Church, find us online at www.knollwood.org. You can also receive our newsletter and email announcements by [signing up here](#), or by emailing colleen@knollwood.org.

KBC WELCOMING STATEMENT

Knollwood Baptist Church is an inviting, inclusive family of faith open to all persons, whatever their race, gender, socioeconomic status, special needs, or sexual orientation, who want to walk in the way of Jesus.

FOR OUR CHILDREN

Worship Care is provided for children, 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 5th Sundays of the month.

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 2nd and 4th 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.

ABOUT OUR WORSHIP

The acolyte is Jack Bain and the crucifer is Claudia Stinehelfer.

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HEARING DEVICES

Hearing devices are available to those who need one. Please see an usher for assistance. For cellphone linked devices, KBC guest WiFi can be accessed at *kbcguest* in your settings.

FLOWERS

The flowers are given today for the glory of God and in deep gratitude for God's abundant grace – for our families of birth, this community of faith and the family we were to become, beginning January 7, 1984. Last Saturday, Chuck and Renée celebrated 39 years of marriage. We give thanks for our relationship. We especially give thanks for our children – both of whom grew up in and through KBC: Olivia and Chase Hinson. Thanks be to God and love to this church! Renée Colclough-Hinson and Chuck Hinson

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS

January 18 – *On Being Baptist: Reflecting with Four Baptist Ministers* Knollwood members and ordained ministers Peggy Haymes, Don Harvey, Linda Browne, and Keith Burkhead share what being Baptist means to them.

January 25 – *Religious Liberty or Christian Nationalism?: An American Dilemma* Dr. Bill Leonard joins us for a second evening to parse differences between the valued Baptist essential of religious liberty and the dangerous ideology of Christian nationalism.

February 1, 2023 – In Conversation with Phoebe Zerwick, author of *Beyond Innocence: The Life Sentence of Darryl Hunt*

On this first Wednesday night of Black History Month, we welcome Winston Salem journalist, professor, and author Phoebe Zerwick for conversation on her latest book.

<https://www.phoebezerwick.com/beyond-innocence>

Hard copies of *Beyond Innocence* are available for purchase (\$15) at the Knollwood office in the WCC during business hours. Cash, checks, and credit cards are accepted.

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN ENDS TODAY

This year's stewardship campaign, *To Love and Live like Jesus*, ends today, Sunday, January 15.

At present, 186 giving commitments totaling \$1,189,290 have been received, which is 68% of our proposed 2023 Ministry Plan of \$1,748,164. If you wish to make a giving commitment but have not yet done so, your completed commitment card can be placed in the offering plate. Thank you for your support of Knollwood's mission: Learning to Love and Live like Jesus.

2023 BUDGET VOTE AT CHURCH CONFERENCE ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25

In keeping with our practice in recent years, the Church's Ministry Plan (budget) for 2023 will be voted on in January.

The congregation will vote on the final ministry plan budget for 2023 at a Church Conference on Wednesday night, January 25. This meeting will be held in the Fellowship Hall after the church supper. The vote will come at approximately 6:15 pm.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, FAITH IN THE CITY, A MONTHLY DISCUSSION SERIES, 12-1 PM

"We had a need for this before the pandemic, and we have even more of a need here in the last couple of years. We want to recruit and better prepare great teachers to work where they can have the greatest impact." Alan Brown, Wake Forest University

Winston-Salem TEACH: An Equity-Centered Teacher Preparation Model, A Discussion with Cynthia Williams Brown, Winston-Salem State University; Sheryl Long, Salem College; Alan Brown, Wake Forest University; and Kate Allman, Wake Forest University

Winston-Salem TEACH is a collaboration between Winston-Salem State University, Wake Forest University, Salem College, and Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools to prepare teachers to work in high-needs schools. Funded by a \$4.7 million grant from the U.S. Department of Education, the program will recruit and train 120 teachers over the next five years, who will commit to working in these schools.

An in-person meeting with Zoom option, in the Fellowship Hall, Knollwood Baptist Church. For further information, or the Zoom link, contact faithinthecitykbc@gmail.com.

GIVING AT KBC

In addition to making a gift during worship, giving online allows one to make a one-time donation or to schedule recurring contributions. Visit this webpage to get started: www.knollwood.org/giving. Contributions can also be made by sending a check to the church office.

REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

Monday Through Thursday, 9 AM–5 PM; and Friday, 9 AM–1 PM.

SAVE THE DATE: WOMEN'S RETREAT 2023

Sacred Connections: Faith and Friendship – The dates for the retreat are March 10-12, 2023 at the Catholic Conference Center, Hickory, NC.

Pastor

Minister of Music and Worship

Director of Children and Family Ministry

Minister of Youth, Recreation, and Digital Media

Music Ministry Associate and Organist

Minister of Adult Faith Formation and Education

Minister to Weekday School and Retirees

Dr. Bob Setzer, Jr.

Rozanna Goocey

Chrissy Hardy

Rev. Josh Godwin

Lauren Winkelman

Rev. Katharine Martin

Rev. Lucrecia Norman



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BAPTIST CHURCH

Grace Unbounded