



# Knollwood

## *at Worship*

**THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER  
YOUTH SUNDAY**

**Sunday, April 23, 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."*

### INTROIT

*Bonse Aba..... Traditional Zambian, arr. Andrew Fischer  
Combined Youth Choirs of Knollwood Baptist and Second Baptist Church of Richmond*

Taylor Vancil, djembe

Libby Alden, Rebecca Maner, Annabel Martin, Kendall McPherson, and Reyna Park, soloists

*Translation: All that sing have the right to be called the children of God.*

CALL TO WORSHIP ..... Clara Hardy, Emma Gibson Heinsohn

We come together to worship and learn more about you, O God.

**In your presence we are able to listen and learn.**

We worship to follow in your footsteps

**Our faith grows as we better understand your ways.**

Help us recognize your presence near us,

**So we can recognize your presence in times of trouble and doubt.**

We celebrate your gift of salvation with the presence of God within us.

**Your presence guides us to be our best selves.**

*~written by KBC Youth*

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 248

*Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!.....HYMN TO JOY*

PRAYER OF THE DAY ..... Greta Gage

It's possible for us to see Jesus in everyone and everywhere, even when and where we least expect it. Empower us and guide us to search for you in the least-likely places. In holy moments together, allow us to share the light of Jesus to our neighbors. **Amen.**

*~written by KBC Youth*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION..... Iris Sanders

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

*~Book of Common Prayer*

### SILENT CONFESSION

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\* Those who are able will stand.

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*As a sign of our reconciliation with God and each other, all may greet those nearest to them with the words, "The peace of Christ be with you."*

ANTHEM

*I Sing Because I'm Happy.....arr. Rollo Dilworth*

Youth Choir

*I sing because I'm happy. I sing because I'm free.  
His eye is on the sparrow, and I know he watches me.*

**LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD**

FIRST LESSON: Acts 2: 14, 36-41 ..... Elena Madan, Henry Jamison, Ella Allman

This is the word of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 116 LITANY.....Adric Ebert, Ephraim Causby, Frank O'Neill, Rebecca Maner

The Lord is of great importance to me. God finds me when I am in need.

**God gives me attention and listens to me. I will seek God's guidance for my whole life.**

My illness trapped me. I feared my fate; I suffered strongly in this time of distress.

**Then I called on the Lord: O God, please save my life!**

The Lord is good and righteous;

**God forgives us and does not punish us.**

The Lord helps the helpless; when I was going through tough times, God rescued me.

How shall we repay God for all the gifts we have received?

**We will perform acts of worship to call on the Lord.**

**We will fulfill all our promises to God before the congregation of God's people.**

*~written by 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders*

SECOND LESSON: 1 Peter 1: 17-23..... Will Nichols, Shepherd Causby

This is the word of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

\*HYMN OF THE DAY, No. 353

*My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less.....SOLID ROCK*

Stanza one: High Voices

Stanza two: Low Voices

Stanza three: All a cappella

Stanza four: All

\*GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 24: 13-35.....Adair Sutton, Claudia Stinehelfer, Libby Alden,

Annabel Martin, Rebecca Maner, Anthony Anderson

*We rise in body or in spirit for the reading of the Gospel lesson.*

This is the Gospel of Christ.

**Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S TIME.....Henry Gage

We invite the children, kindergarten through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, to remain in worship with their parents.  
Children's Worship is on the first, third, and fifth Sundays of the month.  
Worship Care for infants through 4-year-olds is offered weekly.

ANTHEM

*Praise the Lord*..... George Frideric Handel

Combined Youth Choirs

*Praise the Lord. Let songs of joy break forth. Sing alleluia. Praise God's name forever more.  
Shout, sing, and dance; come dance and celebrate. Rejoice; let all within us praise God's name.*

SENIOR REFLECTIONS.....Ella Larmore, Jackson Poole

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE, NO. 450

*Be Thou My Vision*.....SLANE

SENIOR REFLECTIONS..... Mason Maguire, Greer Poole, Owen Bounds

**RESPONDING IN FAITH**

INTRODUCTION TO PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE..... Colette Causby

Take a moment to reflect on a prayer petition resonating with you. Write it on the blue card attached to your Worship Order and place it in the offering plate later. These will be redistributed throughout the congregation as we exit the sanctuary so that we may pray for one another.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Come by Here*..... arr. Kyle Pederson

Combined Youth Choirs; Iris Sanders and Claudia Stinehelfer, liturgical dancers

*Come by here, my Lord. O Lord, come by here.*

*Someone's praying, Lord, come by here.*

*Someone's crying, Lord, come by here.*

*In the morning, in the evening, in my waking, in my sleeping, Lord, you are here.*

*In my pleading, waiting, caring, loving, blessing, grieving, hoping, Lord, you are here.*

*In my longing, falling, hiding, rising, in my healing, aching, laughing, praising,*

*In my seeking, finding, breathing, dying, Lord, you are here.*

PASTORAL GREETING.....Bob Setzer, Jr.

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.

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.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*God Is Our Refuge*..... Allen Pote

Combined Youth Choirs; David Winkelman, organ

*God is our refuge and strength; a present help in time of trouble.*

*Though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea,*

*though the waters roar and foam, we will not fear.  
 Come and behold the work of the Lord, the awesome acts of God.  
 He is in the midst of his people, in all the earth.  
 He is the word, we are his hands, he will lead us.  
 He is the air, we are his song, we will celebrate his presence all the day long.  
 He is the rain, we are the stones, he will cleanse us.  
 He is the air, we are his song, we will celebrate his presence all the day long.*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING ..... Miles Van Huis

**\*DOXOLOGY**

*Praise the Eternal God ..... DIADEMATA*

Praise the e-ter-nal God, all crea-tures great and small, Sing glo-ry to the  
 ris-en Christ who has re-deemed us all. The Ho-ly Spi-rit bless, the Tri-une God a-  
 dore, Give thanks for life and love and grace both now and ev-er-more.

**DEPARTING TO SERVE**

**\*BENEDICTION** ..... KBC Youth

**\*POSTLUDE**

*Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna! ..... arr. Kristina Langlois  
 Lauren Winkelman, organ*



**TO OUR GUESTS**

To learn more about Knollwood Baptist Church, find us online at [www.knollwood.org](http://www.knollwood.org). Sign up to receive our newsletter and email announcements through <https://tinyurl.com/KBCstuff>, or by emailing Connie at [frontdesk@knollwood.org](mailto:frontdesk@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.

**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 *kbcquest* in your settings.

## **FOR OUR CHILDREN**

Children's worship pages and worship bags with activities are available in the narthex for children. In the bags are also suggestions and guidance for adults to engage with their children in worship. There is space in the parlor off the narthex for families who may need to step away at any point during the service.

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 3<sup>rd</sup> graders on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> 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 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays children are invited to enjoy the worship service with their families.

## **ABOUT OUR WORSHIP**

We are led in worship this morning by the young people of our congregation. Over the past month and a half, our middle school and high school aged folks worked together to discern direction, listen to scripture, write liturgical elements, rehearse musical offerings, and prayerfully construct this worship service to share with our congregation. We are grateful for all the volunteers, our Youth Mentor team, Sunday School leaders, Choir mentors, youth volunteers, and the supportive faith community surrounding them have helped prepare and equip our youth for leading this morning.

This morning we are joined in worship by the Youth Choir of Second Baptist Church, Richmond, Virginia. This summer, our two choirs are partnering with Second Baptist's Youth Choir for our Youth Choir Mission Tour to Washington, DC June 19-25. We've enjoyed this weekend's opportunity to rehearse and fellowship with Second Baptist's Youth Choir and their Minister of Music and Worship, Taylor Vancil, ahead of our tour.

Thank you for your prayers for this group of 35 young people and their 9 chaperones as we travel to Washington, DC in June. We'll be singing in several churches, retirement homes, and the Roman Catholic Basilica. We are also auditioning to sing the National Anthem at the Nationals baseball game!

The acolyte is Owen White and the crucifer is Henry Jamison. Today's ushers are Scott Johnson, Sydney Swenson, Walter Stinehelfer, and Kira Madan.

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## **PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST DURING THE EASTER SEASON**

As Christians, we are called to love God and neighbor, and this Easter season we're invited to practice loving reconciliation with both by sharing the words, "The Peace of Christ be with you." If you prefer you may also offer a handshake or embrace with your nearest neighbors in the pew. It's important to note that the power of this moment lies in sharing so much more than a friendly greeting, such as "Good morning!" Its power lies in the sharing of *Christ's peace* given to his people as the Risen One.

## **INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

If you desire membership in this congregation, please 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.

## **FLOWERS**

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in honor and in memory of family and friends by Edna Austin.

## **ABOUT OUR BANNERS**

The Easter banner views Jesus' resurrection from the inside of the tomb looking out. The grave clothes reflect the note in John 20:7 that the burial linens were left in the tomb with the head wrapping separate from the rest. The contrasting darkness within the tomb and the brightness outside point to the light of God's new day breaking upon a "new creation" (2 Corinthians 5:17). As Jesus exits the tomb, clothed in a loin cloth, he is about to surprise Mary with the realization, "The Lord is risen! The Lord is risen indeed!" (John 20:18). The artist who painted the banner is our own Bambi Setzer.

## **WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS**

### **April 26 – Stories of Hope: The Wells Center and Flourish**

Join us to hear stories of hope and healing from two local ministries serving the needs of women in our community.

The Wells Center provides comprehensive services to help incarcerated women regain hope, heal from trauma, and re-establish their lives after release. Flourish is an 18-month program developed to help women head-of-households transition out of poverty. An initiative of The Shalom Project, Flourish provides wellness-based pathways for women to achieve financial self-sufficiency.

## **INTERFAITH TOUR SUNDAY APRIL 30, 1:45 - 5:30PM**

Interfaith Winston Salem's annual Interfaith Tour is an opportunity to experience the diversity of religious traditions present in our community. At each site, faith community leaders will share tenets of their faith tradition within their sanctuaries.

### **Tour Schedule:**

- 1:45PM meet at Mata Hindu Temple, 8535 Lasater Road, Clemmons 27012
- 2:45PM travel to Annunciation Greek Orthodox, 435 Keating Drive, WS, NC 27104
- 3:45PM travel to Temple Emanuel, 201 Oakwood Drive, WS, NC 27103
- 5:00PM Reception at Temple Emanuel

At Temple Emanuel, we will engage in relationship building across our faith traditions and enjoy a reception provided by *Delicious By Shereen* catering. This event is free. Registration is requested, contact Katharine Martin at [katharine@knollwood.org](mailto:katharine@knollwood.org) to RSVP.

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR BOLTON BOOK FAIR**

Do you have an hour or two you can share with students at Bolton? Their book fair is May 1-5 from 8:30 am- 3:00 pm each day. The media coordinator who runs the book fair is in desperate need of volunteers who can help the children select books based on the amount of money they bring to spend. If you can help, please fill out the volunteer form by clicking on the link below and selecting the day and time that work best for you. Contact Janet Ray with your questions.  
<https://forms.gle/VAFMYQHP5X4vzdbH9>

## **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](http://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.

## **MINISTER ON CALL**

The Knollwood Minister On Call can be reached 24/7 at 336-283-5067.

**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**

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**BAPTIST CHURCH**

*Grace Unbounded*