

Knollwood

at Worship

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

THANKSGIVING SUNDAY

Sunday, November 24, 2019 • 10:55 AM

*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!

THE 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.”

THE OPENING SENTENCE Rozanna Goocey

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

†THE PRELUDE

Let All Things Now Living..... *arr. Frank Stoldt*

Lauren Winkelman, organ

THE CALL TO WORSHIP Rozanna Goocey

One: Worship the Lord, all you people!

All: For Christ is King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

One: His name is above every name

All: For Christ is King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

One: Let every tongue here now confess:

All: Christ is King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

One: The King of the Jews, who wore a crown of thorns for us,

All: Is now and forever will be King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

One: Sing for joy, all you people, and worship Christ the King.

All: Alleluia! Alleluia! Christ is King! ~Mary Hix

THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER Rozanna Goocey

*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 381

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come *ST. GEORGE’S, WINDSOR*

Knollwood Brass, Congregation

CONFESSING OUR NEED FOR FORGIVENESS

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison) Katharine Martin

Holy and Sovereign Christ, we confess that we often forget or ignore Your status as king.

Forgive us that we often want You only as a friend or companion. We resist the idea of bowing to or obeying anyone, even You. Forgive us for the ways we cheapen Your throne, for the ways we want the benefits of knowing You without the sacrifices of serving You.

Have mercy on us, Eternal King, and show us how to be servants who work for Your kingdom and Your reign. ~Mary Hix

* Those who are able will stand.

† Ushers will seat those waiting.

Hearing aids and large print hymns are available from the ushers.

THE SILENT CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LISTENING FOR GOD’S WORD

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Jeremiah 23:1-6.....Katharine Martin

One: This is the word of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON: Hebrews 13:7-9..... Joy Vermillion Heinsohn

One: This is the word of God.

Deacon of the Week

All: Thanks be to God.

THE ANTHEM

How Great Thou Art.....*arr. Eric Nelson*

The Chancel Choir, Brass Quintet

Text may be followed at No. 21 in the hymnal.

THE CHILDREN’S TIME Josh Godwin

*THE GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 23:33-38.....Ted Philpott

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

One: This is the Gospel of Christ.

All: Thanks be to God.

*THE HYMN OF DEVOTION, NO. 379

For the Fruit of All Creation..... *AR HYD Y NOS*

Knollwood Brass, Congregation

We invite the children, grades 1st through 3rd to remain in worship with their parents.

Children’s Worship is on the first and third, fifth Sundays of the month.

Worship Care for infants through kindergarten is offered weekly.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLELucrecia Norman

THE SERMON Bob Setzer, Jr.

JESUS CHRIST: THE SAME YESTERDAY, TODAY, AND FOREVER!

(WELL, YES AND NO)

RESPONDING IN FAITH

THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

If you desire membership in this congregation, you are invited to come forward and the pastor will greet you. If you prefer not to come forward, 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 and receive Christian baptism. Church members are invited to commit themselves anew to God and to God’s service in the world.

*THE HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP, NO. 374

Now Thank We All Our God.....*NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT*

Knollwood Brass, Congregation

THE PASTORAL GREETING Bob Setzer, Jr.

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION Joy Vermillion Heinsohn

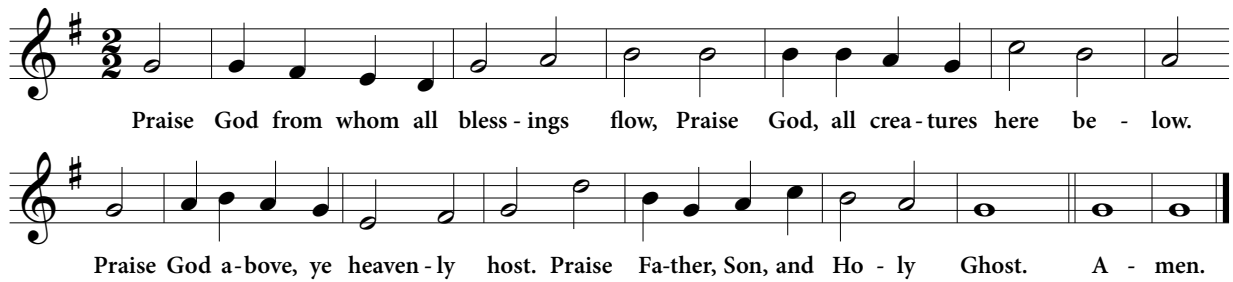
THE SERVICE OF GIVING

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory

The Heavens Declare the Glory of God..... Benedetto Marcello, arr. Douglas Smith
Knollwood Brass; Patricia Hughes Ball, Director

*The Presentation and Doxology



Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow, Praise God, all crea - tures here be - low.

Praise God a - bove, ye heaven - ly host. Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

*The Litany of Thanksgiving and Dedication..... Bob Setzer, Jr.

One: Today we present our gifts of food, as a child offered his loaves and fishes.

All: Jesus taught us not to worry about what we would wear and what we would eat.

One: Yet many of our neighbors worry about what to eat because they are hungry. We bring these gifts to ease their worry and reduce their hunger.

All: May Jesus bless our neighbors and these offerings.

One: We pray for our neighbors that this bounty will help nourish. We bring these donations with thankful hearts, for we have enough — even more than enough.

All: We pray for our city, for mercy and justice to all.

One: May we grow in love for our neighbors and be thankful.

All: May the spirit of Jesus be in us, and move through us always. Amen.

~Bonnie McCarson

DEPARTING TO SERVE

*THE BENEDICTION Bob Setzer, Jr.

*THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

O Lord, Now Let Your Servants Depart in Peace..... LONDONDERRY AIR
The Chancel Choir

*O Lord, now let your servants depart in peace, according to your gracious word.
Our eyes have seen the glory of salvation prepared for all the people of the world.
Now may the Lord bless you and keep you and make his face to shine upon you;
and may God lift his countenance upon you
and give you blessed peace for now and evermore.*

*THE POSTLUDE

Now Thank We All Our God arr. Siegfried Karg-Elert
Lauren Winkelman, organ



TO OUR GUESTS

We extend to you a sincere welcome and the hope that you will find your worship experience meaningful. You are invited to the narthex for a brief time of fellowship following worship where you can meet church members and clergy, and learn more about this congregation. We would ask that you record your visit by filling out the friendship pad in the pew; email addresses are especially helpful. To learn more about Knollwood Baptist Church, find us online at www.knollwood.org. You can also receive our newsletter and email announcements by emailing colleen@knollwood.org, or just call the church office, 725-1343. Sunday School at Knollwood begins at 9:45 AM.

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.

ABOUT OUR WORSHIP

We welcome guest musicians Mary Kathryn Bowman Choat, Jan Strohl, and Steve Ware.

Today's Call to Worship and Prayer of Confession were written by Knollwood member Mary Hix and the Litany of Thanksgiving and Dedication was written by Knollwood member Bonnie McCarson.

The acolytes are Jack Bain and Lincoln Heinsohn and the crucifer is Annie Winkelman.

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ABOUT OUR BANNERS

"The way" is a familiar biblical theme encompassing such truths as "the way of the Lord" (Isaiah 40:3), Jesus as "the way" (John 14:6), and "the way" as a description of Christian discipleship (Acts 9:2). The words on the banner point to the movements of faith: Longing for God that impels us forward in the spiritual journey; Learning the way of the Scriptures and the way of Jesus; Loving as our love for God and our neighbors deepens; and Living as we live out of Christian faith and witness in the world.

The colors of the banner emphasize green for "ordinary time," the period in the church year between Pentecost and Advent. The artist who designed and painted the banners is our own Bambi Setzer.

WALKING WITH JESUS ON A JOURNEY OF GENEROSITY

The stewardship committee is encouraged by the steps our congregation is taking as we walk with Jesus on a journey of generosity. As of Nov. 21, 182 pledges have been made committing \$ 1,070,916 toward the work of God's kingdom.

If you have not yet made your commitment for 2020, please prayerfully consider doing so now. Commitment cards are available in the pew racks and in the narthex. You may place your pledge card in the offering plate, bring or mail your card to the church office, or email your pledge to finance@knollwood.org. This is a confidential communication. Thank you!

FOR THE CHILDREN

Worship Care is provided for children, infant - kindergarten aged on the first floor of Bldg. B. Children's Worship is offered for 1st through 3rd graders. It meets on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of the month. During the Hymn of Devotion, children meet their leaders in the narthex 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 activity bulletins and crayons are available in the narthex.

WEDNESDAYS AT KNOLLWOOD

5:30-6:10 PM - Dinner is served • 6-6:15 PM - Sharing celebrations & concerns • 6:15-7:00 PM - Program

Nov. 27 - No Wednesday Night Activities (Thanksgiving)

Wednesday, Dec. 4 - A Mason Jar Advent- This is a family-friendly night for all ages to create a special Advent calendar to enjoy at home. We hope this resource will enrich your Advent journey as week by week, prayer by prayer, and action by action, we count down to that holy night when God slips into the world. All materials supplied.

HUNGER EMPHASIS AND INGATHERING FOR CRISIS CONTROL

Please consider making a special offering beyond your normally budgeted gifts by simply noting “World Hunger Offering” on a donation check and dropping it into the offering plate or at the church office. Gifts can also be made at <https://www.knollwood.org/giving>. These funds are divided and distributed through Samaritan Ministries and Baptist World Aid.

COMMUNITY INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE

5:30 PM at Knollwood – Join us as we host this beautiful service of gratitude with its 50+ year history. We will gather with our neighbors for a reception after the service. Please bring canned corn for Crisis Control Ministry. Monetary donations benefit Samaritan Ministries. Everyone is invited to a reception in Fellowship Hall immediately after the service where we can share food, refreshments, and fellowship.

OVERFLOW SHELTER OPENS DECEMBER 1

Knollwood has been a key partner in this work since the women’s shelter opened 7 years ago. St. Timothy’s Episcopal Church hosts the shelter in partnership with City with Dwellings. This is Winston-Salem’s only women’s Overflow Homeless Shelter for the four coldest months of winter.

We are looking for new and veteran Knollwood volunteers to join the effort to make this shelter a safe, warm, community building place. Volunteer sign-ups can be found at <http://signup.com/go/sttimoverflow2019>.

On Sunday, Dec. 3, there will be an opportunity after the service to sign up in the narthex For more information contact Corinne Causby at corinny@gmail.com

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, MARY MARTHA AND RODDICK-DISCOVERY CLASS

12 :00 PM in the Dining Room, Bldg. B

The Mary Martha and Roddick-Discovery Sunday school classes will gather for a holiday meal.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, FAITH IN THE CITY

12 – 1 PM, doors open at 11:30 AM - Wellness and Community Center, Bldg. D

Please join us for an interactive “Data Walk,” exploring and analyzing key information depicting disparities within our local school system compiled by Forsyth Futures. This lunch series is free and open to the public. Bring a bagged lunch. We will provide beverages and desserts.

MONDAY, DECEMBER DEC. 9, SING-A-LONG CHRISTMAS CAROLING

We will be going Christmas Caroling individual homes of our homebound. We will leave KBC at 2:00 PM and return approximately 3:30. Everyone, regardless of age is welcome to join us for fun and fellowship for the holidays.

CALENDAR

The church calendar is online at www.knollwood.org/events.

MINISTER ON CALL WEEKEND NUMBER – 336-283-5067

Please call this number if you have a pastoral emergency on a weekend. Thank you.

Knollwood Celebrates Advent & Christmas

WORSHIP

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

10:55 AM

The First Sunday of Advent: HOPE

Chancel Choir and Flute

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8

10:55 AM

The Second Sunday of Advent: PEACE

Children's Bells, Chancel Choir and Violin

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15

The Third Sunday of Advent: JOY

Festival of Lessons and Carols

10:45 AM and 5:15 PM

Chancel Choir, Youth Choir, Children's Choirs, Handbell Choirs, Knollwood Brass, and Guest Instrumentalists

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

10:55 AM

The Fourth Sunday of Advent: LOVE

Agape Communion, Chancel Choir and Oboe

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

5 PM

Christmas Eve Family Service

Come as you are – child-friendly service with an

original Christmas story for the children by Dr. Bob.

Music by Children's Choirs, Youth and Adult

Ensemble, and Guitar Ensemble

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

10:55 AM

The First Sunday after Christmas

Sunday School will not meet.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5

10:55 AM

The Second Sunday after Christmas

Sunday School 2020 begins

FAMILY AND FELLOWSHIP

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

5:30 PM

A Mason Jar Advent- This is a family-friendly night for all ages to create a special Advent calendar to enjoy at home. We hope this resource will enrich your Advent journey as week by week, prayer by prayer, and action by action, we count down to that holy night when God slips into the world. All materials supplied.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

5:30 PM

A Barely-Rehearsed Christmas Pageant - On this joyful night, come see our children don their costumes to tell the story of Jesus' birth.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

5:30 PM Christmas Jazz - An evening of festive Jazz to accompany our fellowship meal.

7 PM Service of Remembrance A special tradition at Knollwood—a time when members of our community of faith gather with families and friends to remember loved ones who have passed away this year.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8

5:30 PM

Epiphany - An intergenerational time of learning and celebrating

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 22, AND 29

5:30 PM

Let Justice Roll DownA series featuring local judges and attorneys will help us explore current criminal justice issues in Forsyth County, and how communities of faith might respond.

These evenings are being planned by Kevin Mauney and Joe Long for the Faith Formation and Education Committee.

Pastor
Minister of Music
Children's Ministry Associate
Minister of Youth and Recreation
Minister of Welcome and Engagement
Music Ministry Associate and Organist
Interim Minister of Faith Formation and Education
Minister to Senior Adults and Weekday School
Pastoral Associate for Congregational Care

Dr. Bob Setzer, Jr.
Mrs. Rozanna Goocey
Mrs. Chrissy Hardy
Rev. Josh Godwin
Dr. Ben Wagener
Mrs. Lauren Winkelman
Rev. Katharine Martin
Rev. Lucrecia Norman
Mr. Ted Philpott



KNOLLWOOD

BAPTIST CHURCH

Grace Unbounded