

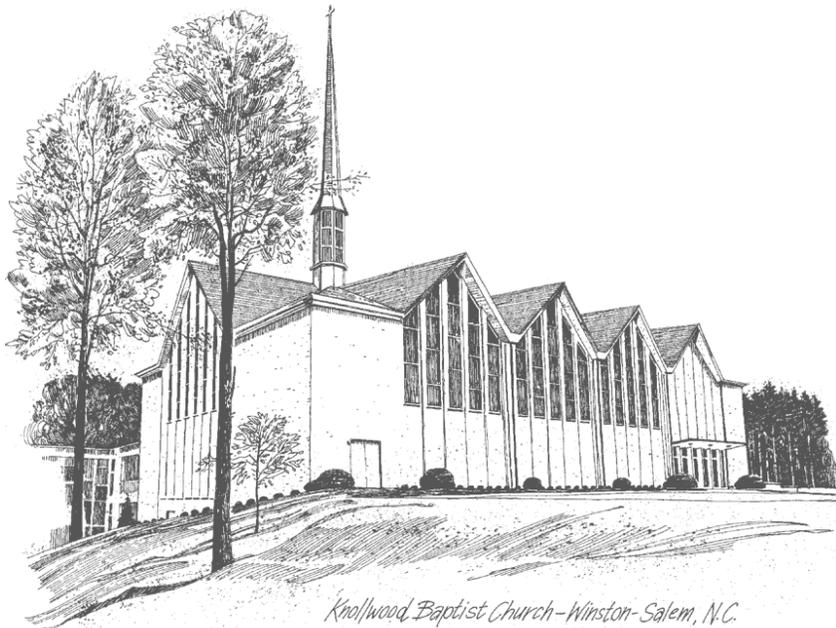
KNOLLWOOD AT WORSHIP

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sunday, May 8, 2016

10:55 a.m.

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Knollwood Baptist Church—Winston-Salem, N.C.

*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 Diane Lipsett

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

†THE PRELUDE

“Morning Has Broken” arr. Larry Shackley

Lauren Winkelman, piano

THE CHORAL INTROIT

“Come, Let Us Sing” Jody W. Lindh

The Carol Choir, The Chapel Choir

Come, let us sing to the Lord, make a joyful noise to the God of our salvation.

Come, let us sing to the Lord, make a joyful noise with songs of praise!

Sing to the Lord a new song! Sing to the Lord, ev’ryone!

Sing to the Lord, bless the name, tell what God has done!

Sing to the Lord, lift up your voice! Praises all around!

Sing to the Lord with all your heart! Make a joyful sound!

THE CALL TO WORSHIP Diane Lipsett

One: We come to this place from different paths and in different roles.

Women: Some of us are women. We are single, married, divorced, Widowed, mothers, motherless, daughters, sisters, aunts. We know the joys and sorrows of being women, And we are all children of a Mothering God who loves us deeply.

One: The Spirit bids you, “Come!”

Men: Some of us are men. We are single, married, divorced, Widowers, fathers, fatherless, sons, brothers, uncles. We know the joys and sorrows of being men, And we are all children of a Mothering God who loves us deeply.

One: The Spirit bids you, “Come!”

All: Now may the One who is the Alpha and the Omega,

One: The Beginning and the End

All: Knit our hearts and minds together in unity and love

One: So a thirsty world may drink the water of life

All: And hear the Mothering God bid them, “Come!” ~Mary Hix

THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER Diane Lipsett

*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 95

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” CORONATION

* Those who are able will stand.

† Ushers will seat those waiting.

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

CONFESSING OUR NEED FOR FORGIVENESS

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison) Jesse Sorrell
O Holy Christ, we confess that we sometimes focus on divisions and differences. We confess that we take pride that we are not like “them” – other children that You died for and also love deeply. Forgive us that we so often fail to fulfill Your urgent desire for unity. Teach us to love You and each other in a way that creates unity, for we are all God’s beloved children.
~Mary Hix

THE SILENT CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LISTENING FOR GOD’S WORD

THE FIRST LESSON: Acts 16:25-34 Jesse Sorrell
One: This is the word of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND LESSON: Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21 Judith Kuhn
One: This is the word of God. Deacon of the Week
All: Thanks be to God.

THE CHILDREN’S TIME Bob Setzer, Jr.

*THE GOSPEL LESSON: John 17:20-26 Lucrecia Norman
One: This is the Gospel of Christ.
All: Thanks be to God.

*THE HYMN OF DEVOTION, NO. 389
“Happy the Home When God Is There” ST. AGNES
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 preschool and kindergarten is offered weekly.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Lucrecia Norman

THE ANTHEM

“Arise, My Soul, Arise” Dale Wood
The Chancel Choir; David Winkelman, conducting
Arise, my soul, arise! Stretch forth to things eternal, And haste thee to the feet of thy Redeemer God. Though hid from mortal eyes, He dwells in light supernal, yet worship him in humbleness and own him Lord. His banquet of love awaits thee above; Behold, the marriage festal of the Lamb is come! Rejoice, my soul, rejoice, to heaven lift up thy voice: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! List to the harps of heaven! Hark to the song victorious, the never-ending anthem sounding through the sky. To mortals is not given to chant its strains all glorious; Yet sing, my soul, the praise of Him who reigns on high. Who bought with his blood the ransomed of God; to him be everlasting power and victory. And let the great Amen resound through heaven again. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

THE SERMON Bob Setzer, Jr.
EAVESDROPPING ON JESUS: A MOTHER’S PRAYER

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. 392**

"When Love Is Found" O WALY WALY

THE PASTORAL GREETING Bob Setzer, Jr.

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION Judith Kuhn

THE SERVICE OF GIVING

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory

"Gigue" Douglas E. Wagner

Lauren Winkelman, organ

*The Presentation and Doxology

DEPARTING TO SERVE

*THE BENEDICTION Bob Setzer, Jr.

***THE CHORAL BENEDICTION**

"Threefold Amen" Traditional

The Chancel Choir

***THE POSTLUDE**

"Jesus Shall Reign" arr. Jonathan Reuss

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 a.m.

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

Appreciation is expressed to David Winkelman for leading the Chancel Choir while Ken Wilson is on vacation.

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FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary are given with special love in memory of Frances Barrier, Gene's mother, and with special love in memory of Marjorie Wilson Gardner, Ellen's mother, by Gene, Ellen, Thomas, Tiffany, Ava, Tommy, Gardner, Heather, Livy, and Maya.

The white rose on the altar is given by Knollwood Baptist Church in memory of Lou Tatum. It is a symbol of the love and esteem in which this community of faith held her.

I would like to express appreciation to the Knollwood family for enriching the last two years of the life of my mom Lou Tatum. She felt such love from the staff, the Mary Martha Sunday School class, her visitor Laura Hemphill, and the children of the church. ~Susan Edge

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.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Worship Care is provided for children, infant - kindergarten aged on the first floor of Building B. Children's Worship for 1st through 3rd graders 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. Volunteers are needed to help chaperone the children during that time. If you are interested in volunteering one Sunday, please contact Judith Kuhn, judithkuhn44@gmail.com.

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.

THANKS BE TO GOD: A CELEBRATION OF KNOLLWOOD GENEROSITY

We give thanks for the \$996,528 in financial commitments already received to support the life and work of our church. That is a strong start, in keeping with initial commitments made in previous stewardship campaigns.

As we continue to pledge as much as possible of our \$1,408,250, 2016 ministry plan, we invite those who have not yet made a commitment to do so. Commitment cards are available from the church office and online here <http://knollwood.org/resources/giving-online>, or one can simply email one's 2016 commitment to our financial administrator, Peggy Koonts, Peggy@knollwood.org.

Thank you for this expression of your faith and discipleship and for this investment in keeping Knollwood's ministry and mission vital and strong.

HABITAT UNITY BUILD

The \$2 offering during Children's Sunday on May 1 resulted in a total of \$495 being raised for the 2016 Habitat Unity Build. Congregation-wide activities will continue with the distribution of Nickels for Nails boxes available in the narthex after worship or through the church office. Please gather your spare change (or tuck in some bills) to fill the boxes this month and next. The boxes will be collected on Sunday, June 26. All ages are encouraged to participate; families may want to use the interactive Calendar of Blessings (also available in the narthex) to guide discussion on housing disparities.

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS AT KNOLLWOOD

May 11 - Celebrate Ministry

Tap your toes and sing along as Knollwood's Annual Business Meeting is accompanied by the new Grassy Knoll Bluegrass Band (featuring Heather Morgan, John Roach, Sharon Underwood, Richard Vinson, Steve Hebert and Joe Wages)

May 18 - Celebrate Music

The Knollwood children's choirs will present an end-of-year program. Hymns and anthems will be sung by the Concord Choir (4s-5s), the Carol Choir (1st-2nd grades), and the Chapel Choir (3rd-5th grades). Those Chapel Choir boys and girls who have memorized 20 hymns will receive their Hymns-for-a-Lifetime Award.

May 25 - Celebrate Community

A celebratory meal (no charge), musical games, and dancing for all ages with DJ Jay Mikush.

GRADUATE'S NAMES REQUESTED

If a member of your family is graduating from high school, college, graduate school, etc., please e-mail colleen@knollwood.org with graduate's name, school, and degree by May 20. A listing of this spring's graduates will be printed in the June newsletter.

ORDINATION UPDATE: RACHEL REVELLE

Rachel Revelle, a Knollwood member, former ministry intern, and soon-to-be Wake Divinity School graduate is pursuing ordination to the ministry through Knollwood. A mentoring committee comprised of the following persons has met with Rachel in recent weeks: Bob Setzer, Jr., Diane Lipsett, Ted Dougherty, Janet Ray, Dean Clifford, and Roger Underwood. Tonight Rachel will meet with an ordination council including those persons and some leaders from outside Knollwood to make a final recommendation about her ordination. It is expected a service of ordination will be held at Knollwood soon.

MAY MISSIONS OFFERING

This week you received a letter describing the recipients of our annual May Missions Offering: Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of NC, Baptist Children's Homes of NC, The Baptist Hospital Benevolence Fund and Baptist Retirement Homes of NC. If you have not received this information, there are extra cover letters and envelopes on the credenza in the narthex. This offering will be collected through June 30.

WELCOMING A FAMILY FROM SYRIA--THEY ARRIVE AS REFUGEES TO BECOME OUR NEIGHBORS

In partnership with non-profit World Relief, a Knollwood Good Neighbor Team is working to welcome and support a first Syrian refugee family, arriving on May 12. The family includes a mother and father and five children, three boys (ages 2, 6, and 8) and two girls (ages 4 and 9). We have received generous donations to set up their home, though more may be needed after they arrive. Please contact Dean Clifford at cliffordconsult@mindspring.com or Diane Lipsett at diane@knollwood.org with questions or possible donations.

MOTHER/DAUGHTER TEA PARTY, SATURDAY, MAY 14, 9:30-11:00 AM.

We'll get dressed up and have some tea. Oh what fun this party will be!

The final event in the Children's Ministry spring parent/child series is the Mother Daughter Tea Party on Saturday, May 14 from 9:30-11:00 a.m. This fun morning is open to all KBC children preschool through fifth grade and their moms or other special adult friend. There will be crafts, games, snacks and more fun! Wear your fancy tea party attire and prepare for a fun morning together!

Registration is online: <http://www.knollwood.org/ministries/childrens-ministry/childrens-event-registration/mother-daughter-tea-party>

SUNDAY, MAY 22, FESTIVAL FOR TRINITY SUNDAY

On Sunday evening, May 22, at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary, the Knollwood Chancel Choir will be joined by the Chancel Choir, First Baptist Greensboro, plus singers from the North Carolina A&T choir for an evening of choral and congregational music celebrating Trinity Sunday.

The festival will be led by the exciting, dynamic, and energizing young conductor Maestro Travis Alexander, the choral director at N.C. A&T University. In addition to the anthems of the season (including music from Messiah, Dan Forrest, Paul Tschesnokoff, Mark Miller), Maestro Alexander will lead the choirs in music from the black gospel tradition. He will also play solo piano selections.

The festival will be presented that morning at FBC Greensboro at 10:30. Also that morning, the FBC Greensboro Youth Choir will travel to KBC to join our youth choir for worship leadership at Knollwood.

WRITING AS A SPIRITUAL PRACTICE RETREAT - JULY 29-31, 2016

Interest grows and sign-ups are increasing for this Knollwood summer retreat for aspiring or experienced writers. Maureen Ryan Griffin will lead the retreat. She is a published author and experienced teacher of the craft of writing. The retreat will be held at Summit Retreat Center at Haw River State Park north of Greensboro. By mid-May, you may request a brochure with the schedule and more information.

Friends are welcome, costs will be reasonable, and need-based scholarships are available. Email diane@knollwood.org to request a brochure. Space will be limited, so please contact the church office to express your interest and reserve a spot, 336-725-1343 or frontdesk@knollwood.org.

NICARAGUA MISSION TRIP

Our friends at Pullen Memorial Baptist Church in Raleigh are taking a group to work with our mission partner AMOS Health and Hope in Nicaragua August 6-16. This project will be focused on providing eyeglasses in two remote communities. The group will be around 10 in number, and they have room for several people to join them. If you're interested contact Mark Jensen, jensenme@wfu.edu, for more information.

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP

7:00 p.m. held at the home of Rachel Stinehelfer, 2813 Regency Dr.

May 19 *A Tender Struggle* by Krista Bremer

For more information, or to let the leaders know you plan to come, contact Jamie Southern, jamie.rogers@gmail.com or Rachel Stinehelfer, ledalucy21@yahoo.com.

WEDNESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Philippians is the focus of a new spring study for this thriving group, gathering early Wednesday mornings, 7:30-9:00 a.m. Diane Lipsett and others lead discussion. Richard Vinson has written a Philippians study guide just for this group (though other groups may want to use it also). For information, please contact Rachel Wiggins (rdwiggins@triad.rr.com) or Diana Long (dlong1221@aol.com).

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Young Adults on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

Meeting at Foothills, 638 West Fourth Street. For information, contact Jesse Sorrell, sorrelljesse@gmail.com.

MONDAY MEN MEETINGS

Monday Morning Men meet at 7 a.m., at the Allman Spry offices, top floor, 380 Knollwood St. For information, contact Chip Mims (cpmims3@gmail.com).

Monday Evening Men meet at 8:00 p.m. at Foothills at 638 West Fourth St.

SUNDAY JUNE 5, CALLED CHURCH IN CONFERENCE

12:00 after worship in the Sanctuary to vote on calling a Minister of Youth and Recreation

COOPERATIVE BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP NATIONAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY JUNE 20-24 - GREENSBORO

This year the General Assembly gathering of the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship (national) will be held at the Sheraton Hotel/Koury Convention Center in Greensboro. The worship, business sessions, workshops, auxiliary events and The Gathering Place hours of operation are on Thursday and Friday of Assembly, but there are meaningful events all week long (June 20 - 24, including a Wednesday evening kick-off celebration for CBF's 25th anniversary.

The theme for this year's meeting is ***"Twenty & Five: Because Christ's Love Compels Us."***

CBF is one of the primary Baptist communities through which Knollwood serves. Several Knollwood members will be attending and participating in this year's General Assembly. The website <http://www.cbf.net/general-assembly/schedule/> will provide additional information and updates.

You can register online at www.cbf.net/general-assembly/ or at the Sheraton when you arrive. Please contact the church office if you are planning to attend or if you would like more information.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - JUNE 27-30, KICKOFF ON JUNE 26.

Knollwood's Vacation Bible School Committee is working hard to plan an exciting week of ***Surf Shack*** fun for our children this summer. Register online at www.knollwood.org.

VBS NEEDS GLASS JARS AND 2 LITER BOTTLES

The VBS Committee is collecting plastic 2 liter soda bottles (clear or colored) and wide-mouthed glass jars (jelly, pickles, etc.). Please place your clean containers (with labels removed, and with lids in the donation boxes provided in the Narthex or Foyer B.

KNOLLWOOD CARES

Knollwood Cares, the congregational care ministry of our church, would like to know of specific needs in our congregation. You may complete a request card found in the narthex and in other areas of the church, or e-mail your need to Linda Massler, Knollwood Cares Director, at linda.massler@gmail.com.

SUNDAYS AT KNOLLWOOD

9:45 a.m. Sunday School	5:30 p.m. Middle School SNYG
10:55 a.m. Worship Service	5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Bonus Rehearsal
4:00 p.m. Children's Bells rehearsals	6:15 p.m. Combined MS/HS SNYG
4:30 p.m. Youth Choir rehearsal	7:00 p.m. High School SNYG
5:30 p.m. High School Bells	6:15 p.m. Chancel Bells

CALENDAR

The full church calendar is online at www.knollwood.org. Click on the lower left calendar icon.

There is a recycle bin in the narthex. We hope, however, that you will take this information home for future reference, and then recycle.

KNOLLWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

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Interim Youth Minister

Children's Ministry Associate

Music Ministry Associate and Organist

Minister of Faith Formation and Education

Minister to Senior Adults and Weekday School

Interim Minister of Welcome and Engagement

Interim Pastoral Associate For Congregational Care

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Mrs. Lauren Winkelman

Dr. Diane Lipsett

Rev. Lucrecia Norman

Dr. Ben Wagener

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