

# KNOLLWOOD AT WORSHIP

TRINITY SUNDAY

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY

Sunday, May 22, 2016

10:55 a.m.

[www.knollwood.org](http://www.knollwood.org)



*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.*

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## 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

“Spanish Rhapsody on ‘All Creatures of Our God and King’” ..... Joel Rainey  
Sam Messick, piano

THE CALL TO WORSHIP..... Diane Lipsett

One: Wisdom calls, she cries to all that live.

**All: Come, make wisdom your friend.**

One: Little ones, wisdom cradles you, delighting in your promise.

**All: Come, make wisdom your sister.**

One: Young people, wisdom runs with you, opening wide the future.

**All: Come, make wisdom your guide.**

One: People of God, seek wisdom and her life.

**All: Let us follow wisdom’s ways.** ~Diane Lipsett

THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER ..... Diane Lipsett

### \*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 2

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty” ..... NICA EA

## PARENT-CHILD DEDICATION

**Eleanor James Southern**

Presented by Ed and Jamie Southern, parents

### THE LITANY OF DEDICATION

One: We are here to present Eleanor to the church and to dedicate her to God. As a community of faith, we pledge to join with Ed and Jamie in their commitment to guide Eleanor in her spiritual life. As Eleanor grows in our congregation, how will we show her that she is a child of God?

**All: We will love her and include her fully in the life of this congregation.**

One: As Eleanor grows into adulthood, how will we pass on our heritage of faith to her?

**All: We will tell her the stories of our faith. We will tell her about Abraham and Sarah, about Moses, Ruth, and the prophets. We will tell her about Jesus, the woman at the well, and the apostles. We will seek to reflect the love of God through Christ Jesus in our own lives and through the mission of our church.**

One: Members of Knollwood, what do we hope for Eleanor?

**All: We will look to the day when she will sit with us at the Lord’s table, declare faith in Jesus Christ, and follow him in love and longing.**

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\* Those who are able will stand.

† Ushers will seat those waiting.

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

One: Ed and Jamie, do you, as parents, assume your primary responsibility in guiding Eleanor towards a life of faith and the identity of a Christian disciple?

Parents: *Yes, we joyfully accept this sacred duty.*

One: Do you, the members of Knollwood, pledge to love, nurture and support Eleanor and all the children God entrusts to our care?

**All: Yes, we do, for these beloved children belong to us as well.**

One: Then may God be with us and help us.

**All: And may God bless Eleanor, this day and forevermore. Amen.**

The Blessing and Prayer of Dedication

## THE CHORAL SONG OF PRAISE

*“Song of Joy, Song of Praise”*..... arr. James Brighton

The Combined Youth Choirs of First Baptist Greensboro and Knollwood

*Sing to the Lord, O sing a song of praise. People now rejoice, come let your voice be raised.*

*Sing to the Lord, O sing a song of joy. People now rejoice, sing praises evermore.*

*Come, sing alleluia. Come, sing, let your voice be raised.*

*Come, sing alleluia. Come, sing praises evermore.*

*Sing to the Lord, the King above all kings. People now rejoice, let alleluias ring.*

*Sing to the Lord, the mighty one who reigns. People now rejoice, come praise God’s holy name.*

## CONFESSING OUR NEED FOR FORGIVENESS

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)..... Lucrecia Norman

**Good and great God, You call each of us to clear purpose and work, but worldly pressures fray our minds and we fall short. Lord have mercy on us. You guide us toward truth and wisdom, but we grow forgetful and selfish and unwise. Christ have mercy on us. You bestow love upon us and urge us to love, but we tangle ourselves in cares and worries. Lord, have mercy on us. Hear this our confession. Refresh, restore, and repair us.**

*~Diane Lipsett*

THE SILENT CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## LISTENING FOR GOD’S WORD

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-26, 30-31..... Lucrecia Norman

One: This is the word of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON: Romans 5:1-5.....Phil Hendrix

One: This is the word of God.

Deacon of the Week

**All: Thanks be to God.**

THE ANTHEM

*“Festival Sanctus”*..... John Leavitt

The Combined Youth Choirs of First Baptist Greensboro and Knollwood

Sam Messick, piano

Translation of Latin text:

*Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts!*

*Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the highest!*

*Blessed is the one that comes in the name of the Lord.*

*Heaven and earth are full of your glory!*

\*THE GOSPEL LESSON: John 16:12-15 ..... Bob Setzer, Jr.

One: This is the Gospel of Christ.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

\*THE HYMN OF DEVOTION, NO. 395

“How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord”..... REPTON

We invite the children, grades 1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 SERMON..... Bob Setzer, Jr.

FINDING YOUR WAY

**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, as printed on p. 6

“I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry”..... WATERLIFE

THE SENIOR BLESSING ..... Daniel Potter

One: As the people of God, I invite you to join me in offering our blessing for these seniors: Andrea Strauss, Chase Hinson, Elizabeth Mitchell, JJ Hoots, Mary Ann Hylton, and Rob Mitchell.

**All: Today, we celebrate your great achievements and the journey that has brought you to this place. We thank God for the opportunity to witness your story unfolding and to support you along the way.**

*Seniors: We thank God for this loving community of fellow travelers that has helped to shape our stories and has shown us ways we might follow Jesus.*

One: As your youth minister, I pray that you will continue to feel the embrace of God and of this community as you take your next steps. This new stage of your journey will have many new twists and turns. Remember the lessons you learned here, and this church family that continues to support you.

**All: Today, we, your church community who nurtured you in the faith, pray that you may always know God as God goes before you and alongside you to show and share what love can do. Take faith with you as you begin this new journey. May faith lead you into the parts of your life not yet traveled by love and into the parts of the world unexplored by grace. Let compassion and hope be the roads that you follow knowing God, and we, are forever with you cheering you on. Amen.**

The Prayer of Blessing

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

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION ..... Phil Hendrix

THE SERVICE OF GIVING

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory

“Didn’t My Lord Deliver Daniel?” ..... arr. Derek K. Hakes

High School Bells

\*The Presentation and Doxology

## DEPARTING TO SERVE

\*THE BENEDICTION ..... Bob Setzer, Jr.

\*THE POSTLUDE

“Voluntary in A Major” ..... William Selby

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](http://www.knollwood.org). You can also receive our newsletter and email announcements by emailing [colleen@knollwood.org](mailto: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

This morning we welcome members of the Youth Choir from First Baptist Church, Greensboro. Special appreciation is expressed to guest pianist and high school senior Sam Messick. The Chancel Choir is singing hymns and anthems for Trinity Sunday at First Baptist Church, Greensboro, under the direction of guest conductor Travis Alexander. The program will be presented at Knollwood this evening at 7:00 p.m.

Please silence all electronic devices. Thank you!

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## FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in honor of Chip and Peggy Mims by the Pilgrimage Sunday School Class

The flowers in the narthex are given to the glory of God, and in honor of Knollwood Baptist Church by Bonnie and Chuck Revelle in appreciation for the nurturing and fellowship given to Rachel Revelle during these past three formative years.

## ABOUT OUR BANNERS

In the Bible and in church tradition, the dove and fire symbolize the Holy Spirit. According to the four Gospels, the Spirit descended on Jesus like a dove at his baptism (Mark 1:10 and parallels). John the Baptist promised the Messiah would baptize with the Holy Spirit “and with fire” (Matthew 3:11; Luke 3:16). From Moses’ encounter with God by the burning bush (Exodus 3:1-6) to the tongues of fire at Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4), fire is a sign of God’s riveting, transforming presence. The Pentecost banner depicts the fire of God’s challenge and the dove of God’s gentle loving care. The artist who designed and painted the Pentecost 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 resumes this month 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. Volunteers are needed to help chaperone the children during that time. If you are interested in volunteering one Sunday, please contact Chrissy Hardy, [chrissy@knollwood.org](mailto:chrissy@knollwood.org).

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 activity bulletins and crayons are available in the narthex.

# 488 I Was There to Hear Your Boring Cry



1 "I was there to hear your born - ing cry; I'll be there when  
 2 "When you heard the won - der of the Word, I was there to  
 3 "In the mid - dle a - ges of your life, not too old, no



you are old. I re - joiced the day you were bap - tized to  
 cheer you on. You were raised to praise the liv - ing Lord to  
 lon - ger young, I'll be there to guide you through the night, com -



see your life un - fold. I was there when you were but a  
 whom you now be - long. If you find some - one to share your  
 plete what I've be - gun. When the eve - ning gent - ly clos - es



child with a faith to suit you well; in a blaze of  
 time and you join your hearts as one, I'll be there to  
 in and you shut your wea - ry eyes, I'll be there as



light you wan - dered off to find where de - mons dwell."  
 make your vers - es rhyme from dusk till ris - ing sun."  
 I have al - ways been with just one more sur - prise."



4 "I was there to hear your born-ing cry; I'll be there when you are old.



I re-joiced the day you were bap-tized to see your life un - fold."

Originally created to accompany a video series on baptism, this hymn speaks in the imagined conversational voice of God, assuring the person being baptized of God's presence throughout the changing stages of life. It offers a reminder that baptism is a once-in-a-lifetime event.

## **THANKS BE TO GOD, INDEED!**

We give thanks for the \$1,064,428.49 in financial commitments received to support the life and work of our church. In addition to those commitments, another \$99,314.00 in continued auto drafts raises our total level of support to \$1,163,742.40.

Our Lenten/Easter generosity campaign, "Thanks Be to God: A Celebration of Knollwood Generosity," has now concluded. However, we continue to welcome and receive financial commitments in support of 2016 ministry plan, the projected cost of which is \$1,408,250. While some of this funding typically comes from non-pledged donations, it is helpful to pledge as much of the budget as possible.

If you have not yet made a financial commitment for 2016 to the work of Christ in and through Knollwood, commitment cards are available from the church office and online here <http://knollwood.org/resources/giving-online>, or you can simply email your 2016 commitment to our financial administrator, Peggy Koonts, [Peggy@knollwood.org](mailto:Peggy@knollwood.org).

Thank you for all the gifts of faith and discipleship that keep Knollwood's ministry and mission vital and strong.

## **ORDINATION OF RACHEL REVELLE 2 PM TODAY**

Rachel Revelle will be ordained to the ministry at a service of ordination today at two o'clock in the sanctuary. Any and all are welcome to attend. A reception will follow in the Dining Room.

## **WEDNESDAY EVENINGS AT KNOLLWOOD**

### **May 25 – Celebrate Community**

A celebratory meal (no charge) with BBQ by local award-winning smoke chef Johnny Young, vegetarian and other dishes by our special events team, plus desserts galore. We'll have musical games and dancing for all ages with DJ Jay Mikush. Come celebrate the end of a good year of Wednesday night learning, doing, and connecting.

Wednesday night Children's art projects may be picked up in the Foyer of Bldg. B today or Wednesday.

## **WELCOMING A FAMILY FROM SYRIA--THEY HAVE ARRIVED!**

In partnership with non-profit World Relief, a Knollwood Good Neighbor Team has now welcomed a family from Syria (coming by way of Jordan). The lively, warm family of seven arrived on May 12 and settled into a home furnished and supplied by Knollwood members and friends. Thanks to all who have helped so far. Pray for this family in their next transitions. Pray that Winston-Salem will welcome them with kindness and respect. Pray for the Good Neighbor Team as we move into a next phase of appropriate support. Questions may be directed to Dean Clifford, who leads the team ([cliffordconsult@mindspring.com](mailto:cliffordconsult@mindspring.com)), or Diane Lipsett as ministerial liaison ([diane@knollwood.org](mailto:diane@knollwood.org)).

## **WEDNESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

The group will take a break for a couple of weeks, then meet again June 8, 15, 22 and 29, gathering early Wednesday mornings, 7:30-9:00 a.m. Mary Hix and others will lead discussion, starting with Anne Lammott's book, *Help, Thanks, Wow: The Three Essential Prayers*. For information and location, please contact Rachel Wiggins ([rdwiggins@triad.rr.com](mailto:rdwiggins@triad.rr.com)) or Diana Long ([dlong1221@aol.com](mailto:dlong1221@aol.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](mailto: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 and voting on the new Deacons.

## **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](http://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](mailto: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](http://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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**Pastor**

**Minister of Music**

**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**

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