

# KNOLLWOOD AT WORSHIP

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, July 30, 2017

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.*

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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 .....Sarah Parker

One: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

### †THE PRELUDE

“Here I Am, Lord” ..... Janet Linker  
Henry Tysinger, organ

### THE CHORAL INTROIT

“I Need Thee Every Hour” ..... arr. Rachel Wiggins  
Lisa Sykes, Rachel Wiggins, Cathy Wilson; Dorothy Wagener, piano  
[The text may be followed at No. 538.]

THE CALL TO WORSHIP.....Sarah Parker

One: Come, let us worship the Holy God, three-in-one,

**All: Who is this day, and all our days, for us,**

One: For God sent Christ Jesus the Son to save us!

**All: Yes! God works this day, and all our days, for our good!**

One: We know that neither death, nor life,

**All: Neither things present, nor things to come**

One: Can separate us from the love of God,

**All: For God works this day, and all our days, for our good!**

-Mary Hix

THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER .....Sarah Parker

### \*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 34

“Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart” .....MARION

## CONFESSING OUR NEED FOR FORGIVENESS

### THE CHORAL CALL TO CONFESSION

“Lord, for Thy Tender Mercies’ Sake” ..... Richard Farrant  
*Lord, for thy tender mercies’ sake, lay not our sins to our charge, but forgive that is past, and give us grace to amend our sinful lives, to decline from sin and incline to virtue, that we may walk with a perfect heart before thee now and evermore.*

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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.

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison) ..... Josh Godwin  
**Mighty and loving God, we confess that in the midst of evil and suffering, we sometimes lose track of You. We confess that in those times, our suffering feels more real to us than Your love.**

**We confess that we question Your will to transform evil into good,  
We doubt Your power to redeem suffering and pain,  
We distrust Your love to intercede and work for us.**

**Forgive us when our groanings keep us from hearing Your groanings of love for us. Remind us again how Jesus proves that You are working this day, and all our days, for good.**

~Mary Hix

THE SILENT CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

### LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

THE FIRST LESSON: Romans 8:26-30 ..... Evan Sieges  
One: This is the word of God.  
**All: Thanks be to God.**

THE SECOND LESSON: Romans 8:31-35; 37-39 ..... Ed Southern  
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: Matthew 13:31-35 ..... Josh Godwin  
One: This is the Gospel of Christ.  
**All: Thanks be to God.**

\*THE HYMN OF DEVOTION, NO. 486  
"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" ..... WELLESLEY  
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 break for the summer.  
Worship Care for preschool and kindergarten is offered weekly.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE ..... Ted Philpott

THE ANTHEM

"Jordan's Angels" ..... Rollo Dilworth

*Lookin' out over Jordan, all I could see:  
A band of angels, comin' after me.  
Gabriel was playin' the trumpet,  
David was playin' the harp.  
Someday my soul shall be free.  
I shall be free.  
All night, all day, angels keep a-watchin' over me.  
Someday my soul shall be free; I shall be free.*

THE SERMON ..... Bob Setzer, Jr.  
THE GROANINGS OF GOD

**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. 618  
“Give to the Winds Your Fears” ..... DIADEMATA

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

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION ..... Ed Southern

THE SERVICE OF GIVING

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory

“Kum Ba Yah (Come by Here)” ..... *Adolphus Hailstork*  
Henry Tysinger, organ

\*The Presentation and Doxology

**DEPARTING TO SERVE**

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

\*THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

“Blessing” ..... *Katie Moran Bart*

*May the road rise up to meet you;  
May the wind be always at your back,  
May the sun shine warm upon your face,  
And the rains fall soft upon your fields.  
Until we meet again, may God hold you  
in the palm of Her hand.*

\*THE POSTLUDE

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” ..... *Friedrich Wilhelm Marpurg*  
Henry Tysinger, 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**

We welcome guest organist Henry Tysinger to worship this morning. Mr. Tysinger retired in 2012 after 25 years as Director of Music and Organist at Highland Presbyterian Church, Winston-Salem. Previously, he served churches in Michigan where he was president of the Detroit chapter of Choristers Guild. He is currently serving as communications administrator of the Piedmont NC chapter of the American Guild of Organists and as substitute organist in several local churches.

We also express appreciation to Lisa Sykes, Dorothy Wagener, Rachel Wiggins, and Cathy Wilson for sharing their musical gifts this morning.

Today’s Call to Worship and Prayer of Confession were written by Mary Hix.

The acolyte is Iris Sanders and the crucifer is Anna Ball.

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 memory of Mr. & Mrs. H. J. Weiler, Jr. by their grandchildren: Shannon Ware and Christopher Weiler; and by Elizabeth and Harry Weiler.

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

**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 is on break for the summer. Children’s worship bags, activity bulletins and sermon notes are available in the narthex.

**WELLNESS AND COMMUNITY CENTER IS OPEN**

Knollwood’s new Wellness and Community Center is open and features a walking track, gym, dedicated arts room, community spaces, and the church offices. You may sign up for Arts and Hearts classes by contacting Pam Stallings at 336-413-7708, or pamelacstallings@gmail.com.

Schedules of gymnasium hours and activities, and a calendar for Arts & Hearts activities, and a fact sheet about the new WCC are available in the narthex, Foyer B, and the WCC Atrium in Bldg. D.

**RECREATION MINISTRY**

<b>WALKING TRACK</b> Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.	<b>ADULT OPEN BASKETBALL</b> Mondays 11:30 - 1:00 p.m.	<b>OPEN PICKLEBALL</b> Tues/Thurs 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.	<b>KIDS FUN &amp; GAMES</b> Tuesdays 2 to 3:30 p.m.	<b>YOUTH/KIDS FREE PLAY</b> Thursdays 2 to 3:30 p.m.
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**IN BLDG. C (UPSTAIRS)**

<b>ZUMBA</b> Mondays at 5:45 p.m. Call 725-1343 to register.	<b>YOGA</b> Tuesday/Thursday 6-7:00 p.m. Sign up at <a href="http://www.forthewellnessofit.com">www.forthewellnessofit.com</a>
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Questions? [josh@knollwood.org](mailto:josh@knollwood.org)

## **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTIVES THIS SUMMER: 9:45 A.M.**

*This summer, some adult elective offerings will provide varied and high interest opportunities to connect and converse outside our regular SS classes. Come if you can. Everyone is welcome.*

**August 6 and 13 - Table and Body: Exploring Communion's Meanings** - Mark Jensen will invite us to deepen our understanding of the Christian practice of communion, or Lord's Supper, or Eucharist. In the Chapel, Bldg. A.

## **SUMMER WEDNESDAYS**

*Change is good. During the summer, we take a lovely summer break from weekly Wednesday night meals and gatherings. But we do have lively once-a-month gatherings. Mark your calendars and join us if you can.*

### **Wednesday, August 9 – Intergenerational Games Night**

For all ages, in the Wellness and Community Center, active play in the gym plus board games and other fun in the community room, with snacks and treats.

### **Wednesday, August 30 - Welcome Back Wednesday**

Dinner is served – 5:30-6:10 p.m.

Sharing celebrations and concerns – 6:00-6:15

Evening program – 6:15 – 7:00

### **A Knollwood Missions Fair – For all ages**

Come see, hear, and touch some of the great ways Knollwood folks are involved in our community and our world. Maybe you'll find a new way you want to be involved.

Hands-on activities, engaging displays, and a look at Knollwood's missional principles and values will give a glimpse of how we're seeking to be the hands and feet of Jesus in our world: improving food access, investing in literacy and education, welcoming newcomers, protecting waterways, building homes, using needlecrafts to convey care, and much more...

## **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY FAITH BUILD**

Habitat Forsyth's Faith Build, of which Knollwood is a member, will hold wall builds on July 22 and 29 at the Habitat warehouse, 1023 W. 14th St. for the two houses it will build this fall. The wall builds will begin at 8 a.m. and last about three hours. Volunteers (14-over) will be provided with hammers, nail aprons and, of course, nails. The interior and exterior walls are built on tables using templates that have been developed by Habitat Forsyth, and there will be several Habitat staff members and veteran volunteers to oversee the build. Those walls will be raised Aug. 19 at the two houses on adjacent lots on Richard Allen Lane in the Glen Oaks neighborhood. Volunteers are also needed for the wall-raising, which is a full work day beginning at 8 a.m. For more information on the wall builds and raising, contact Sylvia or Terry Oberle at 336-414-4159 or 336-558-7737.

## **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: PICNIC PLAY DATE AT THE PARK**

**Thursday, Aug. 17 at 5 p.m.** Bring your family's picnic supper and meet at Hathaway Park for fun on the playground and new splashpad. Don't forget appropriate shoes and a towel! (Weather permitting)

## **SUNDAY, AUGUST 27, CUB SCOUT KICKOFF NIGHT**

Cub Scout Kickoff Night and Parent Orientation in the Fellowship Hall  
4:30-6:00 p.m. All current Cubs and any boys (1st-5th grade) are welcome. Boys and parents should attend this meeting!

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR ESL CHILDCARE**

Like children? Want to support refugee parents' efforts to learn English? Join the happy helpers who care for the young children on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 10 am to noon during the school year in the children's room at The Ledges apartments just off Academy Street. Volunteer for one or two mornings a month or once a week. Grateful parents work in the adjacent room on their English skills while children play with volunteers. To volunteer or for more information contact Janet Ray, [janetjray@gmail.com](mailto:janetjray@gmail.com).

## **KNOLLWOOD CARES MINISTRY**

Knollwood Cares, the congregational care ministry of our church, would like to know of specific needs in our congregation. You may email your need to Crystal Leathers, Knollwood Cares Director, at [crystal3leathers@gmail.com](mailto:crystal3leathers@gmail.com).

**MONDAY MEN MEETINGS**

**Monday Morning Men** will not meet again until the Monday after Labor Day.

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

**SUNDAY AT KNOLLWOOD**

**9:45 a.m.** Sunday School

**10:55 a.m.** Worship Service

**WEEKEND-ON-CALL-MINISTER**

If you have a pastoral emergency after church business hours, please call, 336-283-5067.

**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.*

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