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# Knollwood

## *at Worship*

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sunday, April 15, 2018 • 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 ..... Evan Sieges

One: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

### †THE PRELUDE

“When Morning Gilds the Skies” ..... *arr. Anna Laura Page*  
Lauren Winkelman, organ

### THE CHORAL INTROIT

“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation” ..... Dale Wood

The Chancel Choir

*Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the Head and Cornerstone.  
Chosen of the Lord, and precious, binding all the Church in one;  
Holy Zion’s help forever, and her confidence alone.  
To this temple where we call thee, come, O Lord of hosts, today;  
With thy wonted loving kindness hear thy servants as they pray,  
And thy fullest benediction shed within its walls always.*

THE CALL TO WORSHIP..... Evan Sieges

One: We enter this sanctuary longing to experience again God’s grace and resurrection power.

All: **We come rejoicing that spring has finally arrived, vividly illustrating God’s promise of new life.**

One: We also bring to you, O God, our cries for help, healing and hope.

All: **We celebrate this fellowship, which offers time and space to recover from the burdens of the week.**

One: Now, open our minds to your truth, renew our strength and courage, and fill our spirits with your presence.

All: **Refresh us and equip us to be your people in the world, ready to proclaim the good news that you never leave us bereft and alone. Alleluia!** ~Dean Clifford

THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER..... Evan Sieges

### \*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 669

“God of Grace and God of Glory” ..... CWM RHONDDA

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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.

## CONFESSING OUR NEED FOR FORGIVENESS

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison) ..... Bob Setzer, Jr.

**Lord, we confess that our inner light is sometimes dim. Like the early disciples, we frequently betray or disobey you, denying the power and comfort of your presence. Too often, we fail to demonstrate the relevance of your truth to the realities of modern life.**

**Forgive our inadequate witness to your resurrection as the Author of all life, and Source of lasting joy. Forgive us when we walk in fear, failing to embody your power. Expand our trust and fill our hearts with the comfort of your forgiveness.** ~Dean Clifford

THE SILENT CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Psalm 4 ..... Diane Lipsett

One: This is the word of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON: Acts 3:12-21 ..... David Ramsay

One: This is the word of God.

Deacon of the Week

**All: Thanks be to God.**

THE CHILDREN'S TIME ..... Josh Godwin

\*THE GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 24:40-48 ..... Annabel Martin

One: This is the Gospel of Christ.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

\*THE HYMN OF DEVOTION, No. 243

*"Christ Is Alive!"* ..... *TRURO*

During the last stanza, children who are in first grade through third grade are invited to meet the Children's Worship leaders in the narthex. Worship Care for preschool and kindergarten is offered weekly.

THE CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

*"Spirit of the Living God"* ..... *SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD*

The Chancel Choir

[Text may be followed at No. 297 in the hymnal.]

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE ..... Diane Lipsett

THE ANTHEM

*"Jesus, I Adore Thee"* ..... *Stephen Caracciolo*

The Chancel Choir

*Jesus I adore thee, Word of truth and grace, who in glory shineth light upon our race.*

*Christ, to thee surrendered, my whole heart is bowed. Alpha and Omega, thou true Son of God.*

*Taste and touch and vision to discern thee fail; Faith that comes by hearing, pierces through the veil.  
I believe whate'er the Son of God hath told. What the truth hath spoken that for truth I hold.*

*Word of God incarnate, Lord of life and light, teach me how to love and worship thee aright.  
Holy Spirit, ever bide within my heart, speaking thy commandments, telling all thou art.*

*Wondrous revelation, verity and grace. Lo, in glory's heav'n I see thee face to face.  
Light of endless light whom heav'n and earth adore, fill me with thy radiance, now and evermore.*

*~Thomas Aquinas (1227-1274)*

THE SERMON ..... Bob Setzer, Jr.

### WHY THE CHURCH? WHO NEEDS IT?

## 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. 700

*"We Are God's People" ..... SYMPHONY*

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

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION ..... David Ramsay

### THE SERVICE OF GIVING

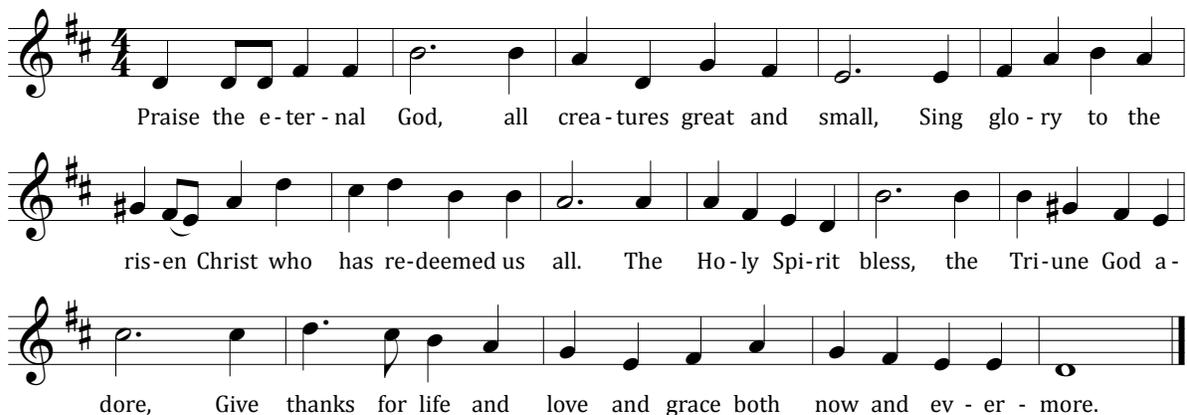
The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory

*"How Great Thou Art" .....arr. Robert Hobby*

Lauren Winkelman, organ

### \*The Presentation and Doxology



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.

WORDS: Lauren Winkelman, 2018  
MUSIC: George J. Elvey, 1868

DIADEMATA

## DEPARTING TO SERVE

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

\*THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

*“Spirit of the Living God”* ..... *SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD*

The Chancel Choir

[Text may be followed at No. 297 in the hymnal.]

\*THE POSTLUDE

*“Festive Trumpet Tune”* ..... *David German*

Beth Martin, 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

Today’s Call to Worship and Prayer of Confession were written by Knollwood member Dean Clifford.

The acolytes are Anderson Beliveau and Davis Churn and the crucifer is Virginia Starling.

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### FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Smith, Sr. (Gene’s parents) by Gene and Glenna.

The white rose on the altar is given by Knollwood Baptist Church in memory of Ginny Hobbs. It is a symbol of the love and esteem in which she was held by this community of faith.

### 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 Bldg. B. Children's Worship for 1st through 3rd graders meet on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays. During the Hymn of Devotion, children meet their leaders in the narthex to walk together to Children's Worship (B244). After worship, 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. Children's worship bags, activity bulletins and sermon notes are available in the narthex.

## WEDNESDAY EVENINGS IN APRIL AND MAY

**April 18, 25, & May 2**

### **Option One: "Thy Kingdom Come"**

**Gender Equity and the Church** - Come join Diane Lipsett and Joy Vermillion Heinsohn in an exploration of how God's reign of love and justice involves a search for gender fairness, openness, and mutual understanding. What do we mean when we speak of "gender?" What is our church's good story to this point? How might we better understand the experience of other members of our church community? Come join the first of three vital conversations connecting issues of our time and place with Jesus' ancient prayer, "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done..."

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### **Option Two: Zentangles**

Back by popular demand, Sylvia Marvelli will lead another three-week series on Zentangles. This first week will introduce the method of using drawing to induce a meditative state. Come join us to discover your inner creativity and experience a renewed sense of well-being. All materials provided.

**Mark your calendar for our last three Wednesday gatherings of the church year:**

**MAY 9** – Annual meeting

**MAY 16** – Children's music program

**MAY 23** – End of Year Celebration

## SATURDAY, APRIL 21, SPRING HIKE ON PILOT MOUNTAIN FOR ALL AGES

Meet at Knollwood at 9:15 AM to ride the church bus; the bus will return to KBC by 2:30 PM.

Or choose to meet at the summit at 10:00 AM. Bring snacks or a picnic lunch for your family, and enjoy a day of hiking or soaking up nature for all ability levels Please email [Chrissy@knollwood.org](mailto:Chrissy@knollwood.org) to reserve a seat on the bus. First come first serve.

## KBC ANNUAL REPORTS

It is time to gather reports from the DEC, Committees, Ministry Teams, Interest Groups, and ministers for the 2018 annual report. The report will be presented to the congregation on Wednesday May 9 at the Annual Meeting. The report is an important way to tell the congregation how your group is fulfilling the KBC mission of "Learning to love and live like Jesus with head, heart and hands."

- Guidelines for Submission:
- 1000 words or less
- Submitted to [Marlin@Knollwood.org](mailto:Marlin@Knollwood.org) or delivered to the KBC office by Friday April 27.
- Please coordinate with the minister that relates to your group before submitting your report.

Thank you in advance for your exciting submissions.

## **SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY SINK SPRING LUNCHEON**

Seniors are invited to the Sink Spring Luncheon  
Tuesday, May 8  
Gather at 11:30 AM in the Dining Room  
Lunch at noon in the Fellowship Hall  
Entertainment by Martha Bassett  
Reserve by May 2, 725-1343.

## **VBS REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR ROLLING RIVER RAMPAGE, JUNE 25-28, 9AM-NOON**

Grab your life-jackets, pack your tent and join us on a ride down the “rolling river rampage.” **Registration is open now** for KBC families. We will open registration to the public in a week, so don't delay and secure your spot now: [www.knollwood.org/ministries/childrens-ministry/vacation-bible-school-2018](http://www.knollwood.org/ministries/childrens-ministry/vacation-bible-school-2018)

VBS is open to all children 4 years old through 5th grade. There will be a Summer Fun camp through our TTWS for preschool children who wish to attend.

## **VBS 2018 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

It takes a tremendous number of volunteers from our congregation to staff this memorable week for the children of our church and community. Many of you have already signed up to participate in this once a year opportunity, but we still need more. If you have ever looked at our children's ministry from afar and thought to yourself “I'd like to be a part of that,” this is your chance. VBS is only Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon. In those 12 hours you will develop relationships that will change you and the kids we serve. No matter your skill, talent, passion or ability, we have a place for you to serve. We are registering children now and want to have all of our volunteers in place.

Please email Chrissy at [chrissy@knollwood.org](mailto:chrissy@knollwood.org), or go to the KBC VBS page (link below) to add your name to our list of outstanding adult leaders. The volunteer link is active. Thanks for all you do to make Knollwood's VBS one of the best in our city: [www.knollwood.org/ministries/childrens-ministry/vacation-bible-school-2018](http://www.knollwood.org/ministries/childrens-ministry/vacation-bible-school-2018).

## **SUNDAY WCC GYM ACCESS – 336-496-0403**

Members seeking access to the gym on Sundays 1-4 pm may call 336-496-0403 to be connected with Knollwood staff. This number will be activated for Sunday afternoons only.

## **WCC WALKING TRACK SCHEDULE**

MON - THURS - 8 AM-8 PM  
WED - 8 am-5 PM; 7 - 8 PM  
FRI - 8 AM - 5 PM  
SUN - 5 - 6:30 PM

## **GYMNASIUM SCHEDULE**

[www.knollwood.org/exercising-faith](http://www.knollwood.org/exercising-faith), or [www.knollwood.org/filerequest/6794](http://www.knollwood.org/filerequest/6794)

## **CALENDAR**

The full church calendar is online at [www.knollwood.org](http://www.knollwood.org). Click on the lower left calendar icon.

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

Dr. Bob Setzer, Jr.  
Mrs. Chrissy Hardy  
Rev. Josh Godwin  
Dr. Ben Wagener  
Mrs. Lauren Winkelman  
Dr. Diane Lipsett  
Rev. Lucrecia Norman  
Mr. Ted Philpott  
Mr. Evan Sieges



**KNOLLWOOD**

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

*Grace Unbounded*