

JOHN KNOX

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We believe God is leading us to extend radical hospitality, build authentic community, and join in God's transforming work in the world.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

VISITORS!

We welcome you to our church today. We hope you receive a blessing and will come be a part of our church family again!

Please fill out a pew card and ask for a welcome bag.

Today is Communion Sunday. Wherever you are worshipping, we invite you to gather your elements so that we may all share the Lord's Supper.

Today's service is intergenerational. We welcome all children who are worshipping with us.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

10:00 am | March 3, 2024

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTRO TO ESTHER

SONG *My Lighthouse*

SKIT

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE

SONG *Be Thou My Vision*

SCRIPTURE Mitchell Belas

SERMONS Serena Matthei & Jonah Bendoraitis

YOUTH NOTICING GOD

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

OFFERING

CLOSING PRAYER John Knox Youth

CHARGE

POSTLUDE

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Rev. Dr. Tom MacMillan, Pastor

Rev. Susanne Bendoraitis, Executive Associate Pastor

Rev. Dr. Kristian Bendoraitis, Director of Alternative Worship and Digital Ministry

Craig Galinski, Director of Music

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Sunday, March 3:

Communion Sunday

Youth/Intergenerational Service

- 10 am - Worship (In-Person & Online)
- 11 am - Healing Prayer Learning Session/ Lounge
- 11 am - Coffee Hour/ Trinity Hall
- 4 pm - Performance Series Concert/ Trinity Hall
- 7 pm - REMIX Practice/ Sanctuary
- 7:30 pm - AA/ 108-109

Monday, March 4:

- 11 am - AA Meeting/ 108-109
- 7 pm - Congregational Life/ Lounge
- 7 pm - Al-Anon/ Library
- 7 pm - Mission Committee/ 108-109
- 7 pm - Worship Committee Meeting/ Zoom
- 7:30 pm - Christian Education Meeting/ Zoom

Tuesday, March 5:

- 7 am - Men's Bible Study/ Lounge
- 10 am - Staff/ Lounge
- 10:30 am - AA/ 108-109
- 1 pm - Women's AA/ 108-109
- 7 pm - "Liturgy of the Ordinary" Book Study/ 108-109
- 7 pm - Finance Committee/ Library
- 7 pm - FAW (MacMillan)/ Lounge

Wednesday, March 6:

- 9:30 am - Wednesday Morning Bible Study/ Trinity Hall
- 9:30 am - Women's AA/ Youth Room
- 10 am - OA/ 108-109
- 11 am - Bridge/ Gallery
- 6 pm - Membership Committee/ Library
- 6 pm - Spirit Moves Yoga/Fellowship Hall
- 6:30 pm - Bell Choir Rehearsal/ 108-109
- 7 pm - Choir Rehearsal/ Sanctuary

Thursday, March 7:

- 9:30 am - Quilters/ 108-109
- 10 am - Toddler Time/ Fellowship Hall
- 11 am - Bridge/ Gallery
- 6 pm - Drop-In Grief Support Group/ Lounge
- 7 pm - Disciple Group/ Library

Friday, March 8:

- 9 am - TOPS/ 108-109
- 8:30 pm - AA/ Fellowship Hall/Gallery

Saturday, March 9:

- 1 pm - Women's AA/ 108-109

Sunday, March 10:

- 10 am - Worship (In-Person & Online)
- 10 am - Sunday School with Lynn/ 135
- 11 am - Healing Prayer/ Lounge
- 11 am - Coffee Hour/ Fellowship Hall
- 11:15 am - Lynn and the Eclipse/ Trinity Hall
- 7:30 pm - AA/ 108-109

John Knox Announcements – March 3, 2024

NEW TO THE PRAYER LIST

Archer Belas; Karis and family; Jerry Michael; Ron Sathre

HEALING PRAYER

You might be wondering...what is healing prayer? Well, wonder no longer, because Tom will be offering three sessions about Healing Prayer, and you are invited to attend. The first session will be held immediately after worship service today, in the Lounge. The next two sessions will be Wednesdays, March 13 and 20, at 11:00 AM in the Lounge. The study material is from the book *Stretch Out Your Hand—Exploring Healing Prayer*. To register, please call the church office or send an email to Mary Cordray, cordram22@gmail.com.

JOHN KNOX PERFORMANCE SERIES

Today at 4:00 PM in Trinity Hall, we will welcome Dennis and Dee Rundle, the creators of Rundle Singing Hands. This is a high-energy and unique program. The Rundles perform uplifting, positive, fun songs to pre-recorded music, using props, elaborate costumes, choreography, and sign language. The audience will be able to hear the words and music of favorite songs while enjoying the beauty and creativity of sign language. Audience sing-along adds to the fun. A reception will follow the concert.

GOD IN REAL LIFE

LYNN AND THE ECLIPSE

Sunday, March 10, join us after church in Trinity Hall for Lynn and The Eclipse. Come learn with NASA Scientist, Lynn Bondurant, about how you can see the coming total eclipse and think about your place in God's Universe.

2024 LENT SERVICES SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, March 24
Worship, 10:00 AM

Maundy Thursday, March 28
Worship, 7:00 PM

Good Friday Service, March 29
Huntington Beach, Time TBD

Easter Sunday, March 31
9:00 AM & 11:00 AM Intergenerational
Worship
Pancake Breakfast between Services

EASTER FLOWERS

You can order Easter flowers anytime through Palm Sunday. These will be used to decorate the church on Easter Sunday and are available for you to take home after the Easter service. You may also donate a plant for the John Knox Deacons to deliver to a homebound church member as an Easter gift. Click [here](#) to sign up or telephone the church office during regular hours at (440) 777-3744. Sponsorships are \$7.00 per plant, payable to John Knox Church, indicating "Easter Flowers" on the memo. For more information, contact Tom Haag at (440) 250-0854.

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

One Great Hour of Sharing is the single, largest way that Presbyterians come together every year to work for a better world. The three programs supported by this Special Offering - Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People - all work in diverse ways to serve individuals and communities in need. From initial disaster response to ongoing community development, their work fits together to provide people with safety, sustainability, and hope. We ask if you are able support this special ministry at this time send your donations to the church with "One Great Hour of Sharing" in the memo line, bring your donation to the Palm Sunday service, or donate online at <http://www.johnknoxpc.org/give>

NEW MEMBER CLASS

There will be a New Member Class on Tuesday, March 19, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM in the Lounge. Dinner will be served, and childcare will be available. If you are interested in becoming a member of John Knox Presbyterian Church, please contact Bruce Knowlton at brucek2080@gmail.com.

SPIRIT LAKE MISSION TRIP

We're going back! A mission team from John Knox will be traveling to Spirit Lake, North Dakota from July 20-28 to work with the Dakota nation doing light construction work, painting, etc. This is a wonderful opportunity to work with the Dakota people and learn more about Native American culture. If interested, please contact Kim Tunney at 440-454-3194, or kwtunney@yahoo.com.

SUNDAY SOUND & TECH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

No prior experience necessary, only an interest and a willingness to learn. It is less complicated than it looks. Training will be after services on Sundays. Contact Kristian Bendoraitis at kbendoraitis@johnknoxpc.org.

BELL RINGER NEEDED

The Chancel Bell Choir has an opening for a ringer due to a couple of retirements. This would be for lower bells, which is a good entry point for anyone without ringing experience. Please contact Cheryl Onesky if you have any interest at cheryl.onesky@att.net.

MID-WEEK BLAST

John Knox sends a weekly email full of information and upcoming event schedules. If you are not receiving this Wednesday email and would like to be added to the distribution list, please email the office at info@johnknoxpc.org.

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