



SteepleTalk

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in the life and ministry at John Knox Presbyterian Church.*

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This Sunday's Worship

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

EMPTY NETS, DEEP WATER

**ISAIAH 6:1-8
LUKE 5:1-11**

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IT'S TIME FOR THE *last game of the season*

Come cheer on our John Knox 2nd and 3rd grade boys
in their final game!

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9 // 11:30 AM
@ FIRST BAPTIST GREENVILLE



Faithfully Creative
A WOMAN'S RETREAT

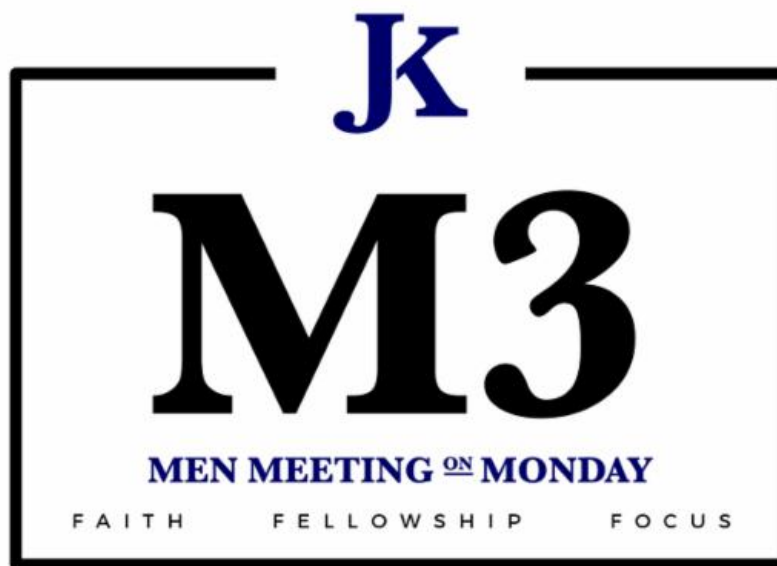
Women's Retreat

Ladies, make self-care and your spiritual growth a priority in the New Year. At our "Faithfully Creative" women's retreat on Saturday, February 23, we'll connect with our inner artisan as we learn the importance of creativity and self-care as a spiritual discipline.

Register now to choose a morning and afternoon breakout session and learn new techniques to worship our creator through various expressions of art. Retreat brochures for registration are available outside the church offices and in the Narthex or you can [register online here](#).

*"I praise you
because I am
fearfully and
wonderfully
made; your works
are wonderful, I
know that full
well."*

Psalm 139:4



The men of JK are invited to gather at 13 Stripes Brewery on Monday, February 11, at 6:30 PM for a time for fellowship. Bring something to eat.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 @ 5:45PM

A SPECIAL DINNER

Chicken Bryan, roasted potatoes, fresh green beans, wheat rolls, cheesecake with strawberries



BRING YOUR VALENTINE
RESERVATIONS REQUESTED

Our program will begin at 6:15 and our speaker will be Richard Burnett: "Bonhoeffer and the German Reformed Church"

Young at Hearts to Present Two Outstanding Musicals

February 19:

We are pleased to have the 17 member Senior Upstate Jazz Band perform for us on Tuesday, February 19. This smaller band is a spin-off from the original larger one. They will play the faster tempo music, swing, and jazz numbers we all remember from the 40's and 50's. Lunch will begin at 11:30 a.m. and the program will follow at 12:15 p.m. Please bring extra food to share since we will have the band members as our guests for lunch. Call Bessie/Bill Lee at 233-5518 or LaRue Wait at 675-6172 to make reservations so that we know how many people to expect.



March 1:

The Crescent Music Club will once again share its program and elegantly catered luncheon with us. "Bellows and Buttons," a collection of Irish, American, and Alpine folk songs will be presented by Douglas Hurlbert. Additional selections will be performed by the Crescent Singers. The program begins at 11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Cost of the luncheon is \$15 and reservations must be made by February 8. This combined event is always a highlight of our program year! Make checks payable to "Crescent Music Club" and give or send to Bessie/Bill Lee by the February 8 deadline.



Children's Ministry News

Parents' Night Out

Our next Parents' Night Out will be on Friday,

PARENTS' NIGHT OUT



February 15 from 6:00 – 8:30. We will have dinner and activities for children ages K3 – 5th grade as well as a nursery available for children younger than K3. We will end the evening with a movie for everyone in the Youth Center. We also welcome any of our youth (6th – 12th grades) who would like to come help entertain the younger ones. Put the date on your calendar and check your Children's Ministry Newsletters for more details! Please RSVP to Susan Felton by Monday, February 11 so that we can plan for your children to be with us. Contact Susan (sfelton@johnknoxpres.org) with any questions.

Children's Handbells

We will be offering a special three-week "musical burst" of handbells for the children starting this month. We invite any of our children who are interested in playing the handbells during worship to join us! Elizabeth Martin will hold practices on Sunday afternoons from 4:30- 5:15 on the following dates: February 17, February 24, and March 3. We will meet in the children's choir room each of those days. The children will play the handbells in both worship services on Sunday, March 10. We hope lots of children will participate! Please contact Susan Felton if you have any questions!



NEWS

Summer Trip Registration

Unseasonably warm temps this week have us dreaming of summer and all the fun we're going to have together! Be sure to get your summer trip registration forms and payments in this month so you can join us! Check out your Monday Memo for all of the details, links to forms, and trip costs or reach out to Jessica for more info. We hope you'll join us as we serve, learn, worship, and grow together this summer!



Confirmation

Just a reminder that Confirmation will meet this Sunday during the Sunday School hour! Come ready to learn as we continue our discussion on the trinity this week. Can't wait to see you!

Sunday Night Youth Group

We're back on a regular schedule this week and can't wait to spend Sunday night with you! Join us in the Youth Center as we continue our current series on forgiveness, Sorry not Sorry. It'll be a great night of fun, fellowship over dinner, and meaningful discussion. Can't wait to see you!

Mailbox

THANK YOU for supporting Souper Bowl Sunday! With your generous partnership, we raised \$1015.34 for Triune Mercy Center and Greer Relief! Thank you for joining our youth in

leveraging a day typically focused on food and fellowship over the big game to raise awareness of the needs in our own community. With your help, our students are building hearts for service and making an impact on the needs they see in our backyard. Thank you for being committed to the spiritual growth of our youth and to meeting the needs of our Greenville neighbors.



John Knox Family,
Thank you for the kind cards, contacts, and prayers during my grandfather's recent passing. I am truly grateful for the love of John Knox.

Sincerely,
Stevie Greene

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

February

- 8 - William Bertrand
- 9 - Bob Simonet, Graham Shepherd, Christopher Tew
- 11 - Hunter Flanagan, Adam Smallridge
- 12 - Linda Doherty, Beth Rhodes
- 13 - Lisa Krumins, Emma Bertrand

By the Numbers

Attendance on Sunday, February 3
8:30- 80
11:00- 213

Weekly Offering Received: \$9,581.40
Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$16,899.17
YTD Offering Received: \$107,138.00
YTD Budgeted Offering: \$84,495.85



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