



SteepleTalk

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This Sunday's Worship

Living Risen

Doing Grace

ACTS 2:42-47

SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2018
10:50 AM

*Congregational
Meeting*

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING OUR
OFFICER NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Nominees: Jean Baiden, Stevie Greene, Suzi Kroske, Charles Robertson, Mark Britt, Diane Falasco, and Matthew Littrell.



GRADUATE RECOGNITION

Sunday, May 20, 2018

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the 11:00 service for a reception honoring all of our graduates. Congratulations to you all!



Join Foothills Presbytery in packing over 30,000 meals for children around the world through **Rise Against Hunger** on **Saturday, May 19, 2018** at Eastminster Presbyterian Church.

9:00 am Rise Against Hunger Packing Party
Worship, Lunch and Meeting will follow
(Casual Attire)

[Click here to register!](#)



Youth Ministry News

Confirmation Sunday Reflections

Last Sunday was a beautiful day of worship as we heard the testimonies of our 8th grade Confirmation Class! We are so proud of their courage and vulnerability in sharing with the congregation and look forward to walking with them as the Lord continues to work in and through them in this new chapter of life at John Knox.

Confirmation 2018



Lock-In Time!

All youth are invited to join us THIS FRIDAY for our annual Lock-In! Meet in the Youth Center at 7pm for a time of games, fellowship, and competition with both Jr. and Sr. High friends. Dinner will not be provided but we will have plenty of snacks and fun in store!

Jr. Highs should be picked up at 10pm and Sr. Highs should plan to leave by 8:30 on Saturday morning.

**** Sr. Highs! Don't forget to bring a sleeping bag, pillow, and whatever you need to stay overnight at the church!****

Graduation Sunday

Seniors! Your days as high schoolers are dwindling and we are so excited to celebrate the new chapter that lies ahead! Don't forget to join us THIS SUNDAY for Graduation Recognition at the 11:00 service. Check your email for a message from Jessica with more details about the service!



Senior Dinner

As the school year winds to a close we would love to take some time to celebrate and reflect on your years in John Knox Youth. All of our high school seniors are invited to a special dinner honoring their accomplishments and growth as middle and high school students!

Sunday, May 20th

6:30 pm onwards

Jessica's House // 47 Swanson Ct.



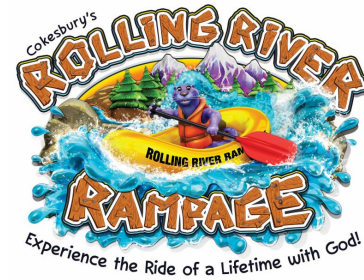
Children's Ministry News

Family Day at the Park

Our Family Park Day is this Sunday, May 20 at Legacy Park! (336 Rocky Slope Road Greenville 29601 – located in the Verdae neighborhood between Woodruff Road and Verdae Boulevard) All of our children and their families are invited to gather from 4:00 – 5:30 while we watch the children play with their church friends and have fellowship time for the parents! We will meet near the enclosed playground

(near the traffic circle). Just look for the John Knox people! The Kona Ice truck will make a visit around 4:30, so come prepared to purchase and enjoy some ice-cold treats. Kona Ice prices range from \$2 - \$5. Please feel free to bring any outdoor games and toys, sports equipment and snacks that your children may want. Check your Children's Newsletter for more details!

Vacation Bible School – Rolling River Rampage!
June 24 - June 27, 2018
“When you pass through the waters, I will be with you.”
Isaiah 43: 2



Registration for Vacation Bible School is underway! Join us as we experience the ride of a lifetime with God through storytelling, crafts, recreation, science, and music. The dates are Sunday, June 24 through Wednesday, June 27. Children who have completed K4 through 5th grade are welcome, and there is no registration fee!

We will kick off our week on Sunday, June 24 with activities for the children from 3:30 – 6:00, followed by a family dinner at 6:00. Dinner reservations are required, and can be made on your registration form. Monday through Wednesday, VBS activities for the children will take place between 5:00 – 7:30, with dinner served to the children during this time each night.

We need lots of help to make this a great week for the children, so check out the volunteer opportunities on your registration forms, and let us know how you would like to help! Look for VBS forms on bulletin boards near the Chapel, on the Sunday School hallways, and in the Narthex. We also have registration available online: [Click here](#) for a registration form to print out and turn in to the church office; [click here](#) for our online Google form registration. Choose any of these registration options, and get your children signed up now! Registration is due June 3!

Ladies, What's in your Closet?

Many of us have stashes of sewing and needlework items that ... YES... we used to use. But, alas, we are now too busy or too... well...too something. We haven't picked them up in years! Embroidery thread, sewing thread, needles, pearl cotton, scissors, a ROTARY CUTTER! YEAH!!! EVEN A CUTTING MATT. The Scholarship Girls in Guatemala are doing gorgeous hand embroidery such as seen in this photo. On the next Guatemala Mission trip, we will be helping them put together the embroidered squares of birds and of orchids into wall hangings that they can sell and/or use illustrating their skills in decorating the new building.



If your shelves or sewing basket is overloaded, please consider donating items like those listed above to send for their use. Items can be left in the small conference room by David's office. If you have questions, please feel free to call or message LaRue Wait at 864-915-0607.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

May

- 17 - Kemper Kenan
 - 18 - Freddie Witherspoon, Dallas Schaaf, Matthew Krumins
 - 19 - Laura Adams
 - 20 - Evelyn Pollard, Jim Herd
 - 22 - Perrin Kreidler, Evan Miller
 - 23 - Marianne Bolton, Alex McCutcheon
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By the Numbers

Attendance on Sunday, May 13

8:30- 88

11:00- 234

Weekly Offering Received: \$17,823.74

Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$17,211.31

YTD Offering Received: \$335,553.32

YTD Budgeted Offering: \$327,014.89



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