



SteepleTalk

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

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This Sunday's Worship



"God's Good Message"

[Isaiah 9:2-7](#)

[Luke 2:8-20](#)

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Last Call for Officer Nominations

If you would like to suggest a John Knox member to serve on our Session or as a Trustee, please click on the link below to access our Google Form.

[Suggestion Form](#)

Paper copies will be available in the Narthex and office

Collections for Vacation Bible School Mission Work

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This year during Vacation Bible School, we are collecting personal care items for Daily Bread Ministries, a non-profit, charitable organization in Greer that works to feed the hungry and end homelessness in our communities. Our 4th and 5th graders will sort, package and deliver these "care packages" that will be given to those people in need of basic items for their everyday life. We are asking our congregation to donate the items listed below:

Hotel-size shampoo
Combs
Razors
Toothpaste/toothbrushes
Soaps
Towels
Washcloths
Deodorant
Lip balm
Hand sanitizer
Mouth wash
Small snack items and packages of crackers that can be handed to clients

They also accept donations for cold weather: scarves, gloves, and coats.

There are collection bins in the Narthex and in the hallway near the Chapel to place your items. We will be collecting items from now until Monday, June 26. Thank you for your donations!



Children's Ministry News

Sunday School

Our *Jesus Storybook Bible* lesson this week is titled "The Light of the Whole World", which continues the story of the Nativity. You and your family will enjoy reading about the shepherds' experience on the night Jesus was born.

Vacation Bible School

Calling all Superheroes! The time has arrived for Hero Central! Our VBS week kicks off this Sunday, June 25 at 5:30. The kids will spend

the evening traveling between classes for art, story time, recreation, and science. Then we will celebrate our first day of VBS with a family pizza dinner at 7:30. All registered families will be receiving email throughout the week with details about what's happening at Hero Central. Remember to bring in your donations for our 4th and 5th grade Mini Mission project for Daily Bread Ministries on or before Monday, June 26. (See related article in this Steeple talk) Also, remember that we want everyone to wear something really SUPER when you come to VBS on Sunday – any kind of super hero shirt or costume will do! VBS continues through Wednesday, June 28, 5:30 – 8:00 each day. We can't wait to see everyone on Sunday



Youth Ministry News

Our Senior High group is having a blast and working hard in Mobile! We've worshipped, served breakfast to those without a place to eat, spent time in fellowship with new friends in the community, learned about homelessness in the city and walked the path that many of those experiencing homelessness walk each day, and painted the walls of a school, and that's just the beginning! Thank you for your prayers as we finish out our week, we can't wait to share more about our experiences when we get home!





THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday, June 26

7:00 AM Men's Prayer Breakfast
5:30-8:00 PM Vacation Bible School

Tuesday, June 27

Thursday, June 29

10:00 AM Ladies' Bible Study

Saturday, July 1

1:30 PM Chin Church Gathering

10:00 AM Quilters
11:45 Men's 3x5 Monthly Mtg
5:30-8:00 PM Vacation Bible School
7:00 Volleyball
Boy Scouts

Sunday, July 2

8:45 AM Worship in Chapel
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Worship in Sanctuary
1:00 Chin Church Worship

Wednesday, June 28

10:00 AM Ladies' Prayer Group
10:30 Staff Meeting
5:30-8:00 PM Vacation Bible School

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June

22 - Diane Falasco, Keith Littrell
24 - Kristi Carlson
25 - Kim Kinnard, Amy Osborne, Brooke Vickery, Grady O'Sullivan, Colten Ward
26 - Adair Powell, Ashley Wettin
27 - Patrick Kress, Ellie Sims
28 - Allison Anderson

By the Numbers

Attendance on 6/18/2017

8:45 - 69
11:00 - 129

Weekly Offering Received: \$8,113.70
Weekly Budgeted Offering: \$16,336.85
YTD Offering Received: \$445,650.12
YTD Budgeted Offering: \$408,421.25



Please email all submissions for Steepetalk to m.scott@johnknoxpres.org. For Thursday publication, information must be received by Tuesday at 12 PM.

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