



# KIRKWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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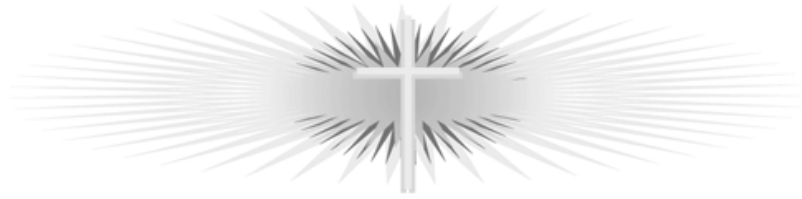
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*“Kirkwood Presbyterian Church is a joyful community of faith—  
seeking, serving, and sharing Jesus Christ.”*

*Kirkwood’s Mission Statement*

## THIS WEEK AT KIRKWOOD



### **Easter Sunday, April 20, 2014**

6:30 am—Ecumenical Sunrise Service  
(Springfield Country Club)  
7:30 am—Easter Morning Breakfast  
(FH) Served until 10:45 am.  
9:00 am—Easter Service  
11:00 am—Traditional Easter Service  
Easter Egg Hunt immediately  
following the 11 am service on the  
back lawn.  
7:00 pm—Jazz band rehearsal (S)

### **Monday, April 21, 2014**

**Office Closed**  
3:30 pm—GS Troop 1203 (CR)  
5:30 pm—Brownie Troop 144 (FH)  
7:00 pm—CS Pack 1140  
Pack Mtg (FH)  
7:30 pm—WOK Monday  
Evening Circle (P)

### **Tuesday, April 22, 2014**

7:30 pm—ACA Mtg (CR)

### **Wednesday, April 23, 2014**

**Pastor Lees on vacation**

9:30 am—MOPS (FH/K)  
6:30 pm—BS Troop 1140  
Pancake Breakfast  
ticket sales (FH)  
8:30 pm—AA (CR)

### **Thursday, April 24, 2014**

**Pastor Lees on vacation**

6:15 pm—MOMS Next (C)  
7:00 pm—Ladies AA

### **Friday, April 25, 2014**

**Pastor Lees on vacation**

### **Saturday, April 26, 2014**

**Pastor Lees on vacation**

8:00 am—Springfield Women's  
Club Spring Fair

### **Sunday, April 27, 2014**

**Christopher Smith, guest Worship  
Leader**

9:30 am -Adult & Teen Sunday  
School/Kids Rock 'n Stuff  
11:00 am - Worship Service (S) &  
Children's Sunday School (CR)  
12:15 - S.O.M.E./  
Kids Helping Kids (FH)  
5:00 pm - Lynchburg College Choir  
Concert (S)  
7:00 pm - Jazz Band Rehearsal (S)

## JOYS & CONCERNS

*"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 4:6-7).*

### ***This Week's Birthdays:***

21 Pam Johnson  
Anna Lees  
23 Brian Costello  
25 Ginny Furth  
26 Kyle Scott

### ***This Week's Anniversaries:***

22 Tom & Clydette Lobred

### ***Health & Personal Concerns:***

Bob Flory  
Steve Coffman's sister-in-law, Jan Coffman  
Hal Sellers  
Dick Pape  
Heather Telfer's father, Bob Snow  
Morgan Death, friend of Jon Larson  
Bill Olin  
Deanna Johnson  
Kathy Lewis' friend Mary Torczon  
Keith Scott  
Becky Crockett  
Family of Darrell Gay  
Janice Gorrie, friend of Steve & Debbie Wingfield  
Connie Kurre, Krista Cook's mother  
Bobbie Myers - Phil Myer's mother  
Bill and Monica French, friends of Jon Larson  
Mary Kay Berger, friend of Dani Schwalb  
Michael Hock  
Betty Fabian  
Dani Schwalb  
Alfredo and Arleene Luciano, brother and sister-in-law of Aida Cardona  
Gizella Szabo, aunt of Bob Futato



APRIL 20, 2014

9:00 & 11:00 AM

## **THE DAY OF RESURRECTION**

### **SILENT REFLECTION**

*"Little 'God with us' grew up, got crucified, made the earth shake,  
and is on the move to take back the world."*

*~ Will Willimon*

## **WE GATHER TOGETHER**

*As you enter the sanctuary, please prepare for worship with quiet reverence.*

**PRELUDE** *Majesty* Jack Hayford/  
Handbell Choir setting by Patricia Sanders Cota

### **TOLLING OF THE BELLS**

**LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES** Pastor/Acolytes

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN** *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today* 123 BH  
(verse 1 sung by the choir—Please join for verses 2, 3 & 4)

**CALL TO WORSHIP** Jon Larson

**Leader:** Beloved church, behold the victory of our God:  
Jesus, our Lord, has conquered the grave.

**People:** **Alleluia! Christ is risen!**  
**The Lord is risen, indeed!**

**Leader:** Sin and death shall reign no more.

**People:** **For the tomb is empty and  
death is robbed of its power.**

**Leader:** Christ the Lord is risen today.  
Let all God's joyful people say:

**All:** **Let this place resound with joy.**  
**Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**CHORAL RESPONSE** *Celtic Alleluia!*

Fintan O'Carroll & Christopher Walker/  
Brass arr. Alden Terry

Chancel Choir and Brass

### **GATHERING PRAYER (Unison)**

God of power and might, we stand before the empty tomb in awe,  
pondering a love that is stronger even than death. Can that love  
save us?

Can it forgive our sins, subdue our fears, and heal our hearts?  
Can it really be so? Speak to us your words of everlasting life.  
Shake the tombs that bind us; and, set us free. For death has been  
swallowed up in victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

**GREETINGS, NEWS OF THE CHURCH**

Pastor Larry Lees

(During the greeting please sign the Friendship Folder and pass it along the pew.  
You may complete a prayer request card and give it to an usher.)

**WE PREPARE FOR THE WORD**

**LITANY FOR EASTER** (A Responsive Reading)

**Pastor:** O Christ, in your resurrection, the heavens and the  
earth rejoice. Alleluia! By your resurrection You  
broke open the gates of hell and destroyed sin and  
death.

**People: Keep us victorious over sin.**

**Pastor:** By your resurrection You raise the dead, and bring  
us from death to life.

**People: Guide us in the way of eternal life.**

**Pastor:** By your resurrection You confounded your guards  
and executioners, and filled your disciples with joy.

**People: Give us great joy in your service.**

**Pastor:** By your resurrection You proclaimed good news to  
women and Apostles, and brought salvation to the  
world.

**People: Let us too proclaim the good news.**

**Pastor:** God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the  
dead, for He is alive and has become the Lord of life.  
From the waters of death You raise us with Him  
and renew your gift of life within us. Increase in our  
minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ,  
and help us to grow as Your people toward the full-  
ness of eternal life with You.

**People: So be it, Lord Jesus! Amen!**

(PLEASE STAND)

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** *Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks*  
(Refrain: 106 BH)

*Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord. (Sing Twice)*  
*Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to His Name.*

**Special thanks for our music this morning go to:**

Christopher Smith, Director of Music

Mrs. Hong Joo Lee, Organist

Adult Bells

Chancel Choir

Brass Players:

Woody Wingfield, Trumpet

Adam Watson, French Horn

This morning's brass arrangements for the hymns, choral response were made by  
New York composer, Alden Terry. Mr. Terry received an MFA in Musical Theatre  
Writing from NYU. His music has been featured in theatres, concert halls,  
churches, and with dance and film. New York performances of his work have  
been heard at the Prospect Theater Company, the NYC Fringe Festival, Shake-  
speare In The Pagoda, and the NYU Tisch dance department, among others. He  
has several projects with collaborator John Herin, including their opera, *Ethan  
Frome*, and *AVAC Memories*, featured in Roosevelt Island's *Fast Trash* exhibit in  
2010. Most recently, he composed *DECO*, a chamber work, for the Park City  
Chamber Music Festival.

*Dedicated to the Glory of God, Lilies are Given By:*

Dick Pape in memory of Pam Pape

Anne & Ron Cook in memory of their parents and Anne's twin sister

Donna & Joe Ross to the Glory of God

Cecilia Wu in memory of her parents and her husband Joseph

Sandy & John Webster for God's grace and countless blessings

Lars & Jean Larson to the Glory of God

Jim & Martha Schoonmaker in memory of their parents,

Dr. & Mrs. Herbert L. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Schoonmaker

**Rev. Lees will be on vacation starting Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>—Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup>.** He will be back in the office on Monday, April 28<sup>th</sup>. Rev. Saul Cardona will be on call while Pastor Lees is away. In case of a pastoral emergency please contact Rev. Cardona at 703-232-3041.

**The office will be closed on Monday, April 21<sup>st</sup>.**

**Prayer Quilt** - Please join in prayer as we tie a prayer quilt for Alfredo and Arlene Luciano. Alfredo and Arlene are the brother and sister-in-law of Aida Cardona. Both of the Lucianos are suffering with health challenges. As you tie a knot please say a silent prayer for healing and peace. The prayer quilt will be in the commons area before and after service. Thank you Kirkwood for making this a symbol of our love and prayers

**“Brunch With a Bunch”** Small Group is open to all on Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, at the Asian Grill, 6228 Rolling Rd., Springfield (in the same shopping center as Milano’s). Please consider joining us for some food, fun and fellowship! Please contact Jim Schoonmaker at (703) 451-0808 or via e-mail at [jim@schoonmaker.email](mailto:jim@schoonmaker.email) if you’re interested in coming along. We hope to see you there!

**Heather Telfer** is expecting her second daughter in May! To celebrate the newest arrival to their family, **WOK has placed a baby basket in the church office for the little one.** Gifts can be dropped off for the next several weeks.

**Kids Helping Kids** - Next week is Kids Helping Kids. Items needed for our weekend food packs for children in need at Newington Forest Elementary are; mac and cheese, and canned tuna, or chicken. Please bring your food items to the Kids Helping Kids table in the Fellowship Hall next week.

This month, **ECHO** especially needs canned meats, jelly, powdered milk, 2 lb. bags of flour or sugar, shaving cream, razors, and children's toothbrushes. All donations can also be brought to 7205 Old Keene Mill Road, Springfield on weekdays between 9:30 am and 12:30 pm, or Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday evenings between 7:00 and 9:00. Please check Kirkwood’s website [www.kirkwoodpres.com](http://www.kirkwoodpres.com) for other volunteer opportunities with ECHO.

**The Lynchburg College Concert Choir**, a 33-voice auditioned ensemble, will present its spring concert at the Kirkwood Presbyterian Church in Springfield, Virginia on Sunday, April 27 5:00 p.m. This event is free to the public. For more information please contact the office.

**Lamplighter articles are due** Tuesday, April 22nd. Please email Jennifer at [office.manager@kirkwoopres.com](mailto:office.manager@kirkwoopres.com) to submit your articles.

## WE PASS THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Leader: The Peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

(PLEASE SIT)

### OFFERING

OFFERTORY *My Lord, What a Morning*

Roger C. Wilson

(PLEASE STAND)

DOXOLOGY *Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*

*Praise God from whom all blessing flow; Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heavenly hosts: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen*

### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(PLEASE SIT)

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Pastor: We offer our prayers through Christ, who lives and reigns forever, and prays for us in heaven. Through Christ, we pray for the church...Let us be people of joy, living witnesses to the power of the resurrection and the good news of your grace and peace.

People: **Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.**

Pastor: Through Christ, we pray for the earth...From the dust of the damaged earth, raise up your new creation, full of beauty, wonder, and glory.

People: **Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.**

Pastor: Through Christ, we pray for all nations...Let the message of your saving power spread throughout the world: that the dominion of death is no more.

People: **Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.**

Pastor: Through Christ, we pray for this community...Let the doors of this church be open wide as we go forth in love and service and others come in to find a home.

People: **Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.**

Pastor: Through Christ, we pray for loved ones...Give hope to those who wait for good news. Turn their mourning into dancing, and their sorrow into joy.

People: **Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.**

**All: God of all power and glory, receive these prayers, and continue your mighty work among us through Jesus Christ, our living Lord. Amen.**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

### WE HEAR THE WORD

**FROM THE PROPHETS** Jeremiah 31:1-6 p.679

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** Alleluia!  
(choir sings first two times, congregation sings with third)

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**THE GOSPEL** Matthew 28:1-10 p. 865

(PLEASE STAND)

**HYMN** Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain 115 BH

**SERMON** "Easter Earthquake!"

**ANTHEM** The Day of Resurrection Richard Shephard  
Chancel Choir and Trumpet

### WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Unison)**

We believe in God – Who works in the hidden stillness of every dawn; who beckons us to visit the tomb of our fears so that we might discover the birth of hope; who sends reoccurring dreams, and fragrant flowers, good friends and bright angels with messages of joy. We believe in Jesus, the risen Christ – who meets us with peace, names and calms fears, and bids us walk and talk as children of light; who is always going before us. We believe in the Holy Spirit – who gathers us into a kindred community; who nudges our prayers, kindles our longings and who prompts our praise. We believe we are called to be Easter people – who challenge despair with glowing hope; who act peacefully in the midst of painful Good Fridays; who live joyfully even in the midst of harsh realities. We believe in the Church – who are one people united in the Risen Christ; who embrace each other in love; who welcome each other with peace. This we believe.

(PLEASE STAND)

**HYMN** Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna! 104 BH

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** Fanfare and Prelude On "Puer Nobis"  
arr. Charles Yocum

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BH—Blue Hymnal GH—Green Hymnal  
(BCW) Book of Common Worship L—Leader P—People

### Announcements

Rev. Lees and a Deacon will be in the Narthex to greet you. We welcome you to join us for a time of refreshments and fellowship.

Rev. Lees' regular day off is Friday. In the event of a need to contact the pastor, you may contact Rev. Lees at (c) 703-589-7167. **Spring office hours are 9:30-2:30 M-F.**

Nursery care for children under 3 is available during the worship service.

**Today's Revised Common Lectionary Readings:**

Jeremiah 31:1-6 Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 Colossian 3:1-4 (or) Acts 10:34-43  
Matthew 28:1-10 (or) John 20:1-18

**Next Sunday's Revised Common Lectionary Readings:**

Acts 2:14a, 22-32 Psalm 16 I Peter 1:3-9 John 20:19-31

**One Great Hour of Sharing** - Since 1949 Presbyterians have joined millions of other Christians through "One Great Hour of Sharing" to share God's love with other neighbors-in-need around the world. Your generous gifts to this special offering help provide relief for those affected by natural disasters, provide food to the hungry and assist in helping to empower the poor and oppressed. The last collection for this offering will be TODAY. Please look for donation envelopes in your church pew.

**Annual Men's Easter Breakfast**—Please join us anytime between 7:45—10:45 am to start the joy of Easter Day off right! A variety of tasty breakfast dishes will be served.

**Children's Easter Egg Hunt**—Please join us on Easter Sunday after the 11 am service, for our annual Easter Egg Hunt on the back lawn of the church. Children under the age of 12 welcome to participate. Make sure you bring your Easter baskets to hold all the yummy treats! For more information, please contact Merissa Larson at MerissaKLarson@yahoo.com.