

# *Kenilworth at Work!*

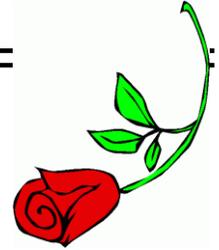
## *June 2017*

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### **From the Pastor's Study**

**"God Invites. How Will We Respond?"**



On Mother's Day, my sermon spoke of God's changeless love. Just as a mother's love shapes and changes us, God's changeless, steadfast love, changes us. When God invites us in love, what is our response?

Here are a few ways we might respond, arranged around the letters "RSVP," from the French "Répondez s'il vous plait," meaning "Please respond."

**R: Recycle, Reuse, Repurpose.**

- These all relate to environmental stewardship as individuals and as a certified Earth Care Congregation.

**S: Share, Study, Spend.**

- Share Groceries 4 Grout, share our building, and share offerings for local, regional, national, and international missions.
- Study in worship, in Lenten and Advent programs, in gatherings with mission co-workers, and among Presbyterian Women.
- Spend our resources in ways that promote shalom, the wholeness of all God's children.

**V: Vote, Volunteer, Vocalize.**

- Vote. When we vote, remember to care for the orphan, widow, and alien; the kingdom that comes from Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace.
- Volunteer. Expend our time and energy as a holy offering.
- Vocalize: Speak out. Sing praises. Give voice to those the world would silence.

**P: Pray, Persist, Prod.**

- Pray regularly in private and groups for the people and causes dear to us, and for those that oppose us, hurt us, and with whom we disagree.
- Persist when answers to prayers seem too long in coming, and in the struggle to discern God's intentions for us as individuals and as a community of faith.
- Prod ourselves to move beyond our comfort zones, that we might grasp new implications of changeless truth from God. Prod ourselves, our loved ones, our church, our community, our nation, and our world to hear God's call, God's loving invitation to reconciliation.

*Peace, Pastor David*

**We are an Earth Care Congregation!!!**



## Music and Art Camp: July 10-14 and July 16

Our sixth annual Music and Art Camp will be held beginning Monday, July 10 through Friday, July 14. Campers and families will be invited to share music and arts and crafts from the camp during worship on July 16, with a reception and open house to follow. The camp is open to children entering Kindergarten through completion of the third grade. The cost to students is \$75, which can be reduced based on need.



This year's camp is based on the theme of Peace, from the perspectives of Christianity, Judaism, Islam, Buddhism, and Native American religious and spiritual traditions. One hoped for product of the camp is a "Peace Pole." Peace poles often include the word for peace in many languages, and include objects which inspire the viewer toward thoughts of peace. When finished, it will be erected on church grounds in a place and manner that promotes prayer and meditation on peace.

Faculty includes returning members Myriam Gendron and Kari Kjome of the Community Music Center, and Carol Garner of our congregation. They will be joined by Andrea Lawhead, a parent from our Preschool, who brings skills in art and dance.

We will be seeking leadership and volunteers from our congregation for meal planning and preparation and planning and hosting the reception following worship on the 16<sup>th</sup>.

**WANTED: old CD's for Music and Art Camp. Give to Carol Garner. Thank you.**



### Gardeners Wanted:

It is time to sign up for plots in the KPC Community Garden. The garden plot cost will be same as last year: \$32.50 for 1/2 plot and \$65 for full size plot. Contact Nancy Youngs or the church office at 503-235-3977.

### Sign Up Now

- Fellowship Time Hosts
- Mowing the church grass
- Bring picnic dish to PUN picnic



### Mark your calendars: August 11-13

Church Camping at Jones Creek Campground in Tillamook State Forest and Worship in the Woods at nearby Smith Homestead on Sunday morning.

Details and sign up will be available in July newsletter.

**Presbyterian Women  
Monday, June 12 pm, 7 pm  
Salad Supper**

We have completed the 2016-17 Horizon Bible Study. Thank you to all who participated, especially those who led the various lessons.

The June PW meeting will be a salad supper. Please bring a large salad to share and invite other women to share supper with us. The 2017-18 Bible Study will be introduced: Cloud of Witnesses: the community of Christ in Hebrews, and there will be an election of officers.

**RAHAB'S SISTERS:** The next volunteer night for Rahab's Sisters is Friday, June 9. If you'd like to volunteer, please sign up in the Fireplace Room. We're also collecting new socks and underwear and small-sized hygiene products for the women at Rahab's Sisters. Please place your donations in the box in the narthex marked for Rahab's Sisters. Thank you.

Notes from Rahab's Sisters: "We would like to extend a sincere thank you for the show of support we received during our 9th Annual Mother's Tea and Silent Auction fundraising event. The event was great fun, with fabulous music from violist Toby Loftus, delicious food by White Pepper Catering, a wonderful collection of silent auction items, and plenty of delicious tea from Jasmine Pearl Tea Merchants. Together, with your support, we raised more than \$5,500, which will go to supporting our mission and programs for vulnerable women."

"Here's another upcoming opportunity to support Rahab's Sisters while enjoying great music. Sunday, June 11 from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm. Benefit show featuring folk groups "Calamity" and "Uke Box" at Mississippi Pizza, 3552 N Mississippi. For all ages. Suggested donation of \$8 at the door but not a soul will be turned away."

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN  
1<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL LOW TEA**

**Sunday, June 11  
2-4 pm  
\$10**

Enjoy a pleasant Sunday afternoon in the company of friends and family sipping fine tea and nibbling on tasty pastries and sweets.

Donations can be made to support this fundraiser. Make checks payable to Kenilworth PC.

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN  
1ST ANNUAL 'LOW TEA'  
FUNDRAISER**

Sunday June 11, 2017  
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM  
4028 SE 34th STREET, PORTLAND, OREGON

**TICKETS \$10**

**INCLUDES BEVERAGES AND TASTY DELIGHTS  
AND DOOR PRIZES**

**ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TO  
HELP WOMEN ATTEND  
GATHERING IN LOUISVILLE  
KENTUCKY 2018**

RSVP BY CALLING Barb at 503-505-4102 or E-MAIL TO  
cgarner406@centurylink.net



## BARB'S NOTE-ABLE NEWS



On May 28 we are celebrating music in worship. You have all had the chance to vote on your favorite hymns, and we will sing the final four. I will play three of the final eight that didn't make the cut as prelude, offertory, and postlude. The choir will sum up the meaning of the service at the end with "When In Our Music God is Glorified."

As you've read in my column in previous newsletters, many of our beloved composers had great faith in God and glorified him through their music. Glorifying God is not the only benefit of making music in worship. It also lets us express our feelings.

My prayer is that the music we experience every Sunday has a positive effect on you whether you sing, play, or listen. God gave us music and as the title of our hymnal states – Glory to God!!

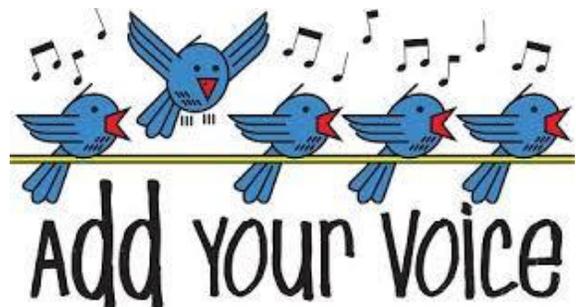
I look forward to the various solos and small ensembles we will have the pleasure of hearing throughout the summer months.

Musically yours, Barb Votrobeck – KPC Director of Music

## MAY MUSIC MADNESS

Music is a vital part of our worship experience. Each Sunday we share hymns, responses, anthems and the doxology. We celebrated the role music plays in our worship on Sunday, May 28.

As a lead-up to this festival of music, we searched for the four most popular hymns of KPC to include in the service using the same system used by sporting groups to determine the best teams in a league.



People were asked to nominate at not more than sixteen songs. There were 167 hymns/songs nominated. 59 songs had more than one vote. All these were included in the first round of voting. Five additional songs were selected to fill out the brackets. During the past five weeks, we have been voting for our favorite hymns. Many people noted how hard it was to decide which song to choose.

The winners are:

Gathering Songs / Songs of Praise:

Scriptural Songs / Songs of Forgiveness:

Sacramental Songs / Songs of Prayer:

Songs of Discipleship / Sending Forth Songs:

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Amazing Grace

Be Thou My Vision

Here I Am Lord

## Important Dates in June 2017

### Kenilworth Community Preschool

On summer break. See you next fall.

Birthdays: June 4  
Burgerville: begins again in September  
Choir Practice: begins again in August  
Communion: June 4, 10:30a  
Daisy Scouts: June 3, 4p  
Deadline for June Newsletter, June 30  
Deliver Groceries to Grout: begins again in September  
Finnish Society: June 10, 11a-3p  
Girl Scouts: June 19, 3:30p  
Girl Scouts: June 21, 3p  
Parish Nurse: June 1 & 15, 9-11am  
Pentecost: June 4 (wear red, orange or yellow to KPC)  
Presbyterian Women: June 12, 7p  
Presbytery Meeting: June 23-24  
PUN Picnic @ KPC: June 28, 6:30 pm  
PW Low Tea Party, June 11 @ 2 pm  
Rahab's Sisters: June 9, 6:30-10p  
Session: TBA  
Tai Chi: June 6, 13, 20 & 27 @ 5:45p  
Welsh Society: June 3, 11a-3p  
Worship: June 4, 11, 18 & 25 @ 10:30a  
Yoga: June 3, 10, 17 & 24 @ 11a



Don't forget to wear red, orange or yellow on Pentecost: June 4

### Worship Leaders

Shirlee Ebert is now scheduling Sunday worship leaders.

Please consider saying "Yes" when asked to serve. Thank you.

### Looking ahead to Summer:

- Music & Art Camp, July 10-14
- PUN Pickles Game, July 19
- Camping at Tillamook State Forest, August 12-13

### June Birthdays

June 5: Allison Zimmerman  
June 10: Willa Ramsey  
June 11: Bud Frimoth  
June 16: Karl Berger  
June 30: Sylvie Levasseur

### Kenilworth Prayer Circle Tuesdays at 5:45 pm



The KPC Kenilworth Prayer Circle meets weekly on Tuesday evenings at 6:15 pm for intercessory prayer. The Prayer Circle is open to anyone who would like to pray for others.

You can request special prayers by calling the church office at 503.235.3977.



**Personal hygiene is difficult when you are homeless**

Please bring new personal hygiene products for SnowCap this month.

Place donations in box labeled SnowCap in narthex.

Contact Kenilworth at Work!  
503-575-8356 or rojewel@gmail.com  
Deadline for the July 2017 K@W! is Friday June 30  
Newsletter Editor: Rebecca Jewel  
Check out the KPC website:  
<http://kenilworthpc.com/>  
Like us on Facebook

## News from Session Meeting: May 14, 2017

Session concurred with the recommendation of the Preschool Parent Board to offer a teacher's contract to Allisen Hein for the 2017 - 2018 school year. Allisen has signed a 1 year extension to her current interim contract. Final negotiations for the terms of her new full-time contract will be completed in June.

# PARISH NURSE HEALTH BEAT

Parish Nurse Contact: Judy Hubbard 503-310-9534

## Exercise Options at KPC

### TAI CHI @ KPC

Tuesdays: 5:45 pm  
Now in the upstairs  
classroom

### **Yoga Class at KPC**

Saturdays at 11 am  
All ability levels are welcome, yoga in chair option available  
Taught by Susan Lily, a certified yoga teacher since 1989  
Donations accepted  
For more information contact Susan: 503-236-3816



## Grocery Bags for Grout – On Summer Vacation

### However.....

Don't stop bringing food for hungry people to church. During the summer months, we will take all donated food items to SnowCap. The box for your donations is located in the narthex.

Don't miss the PW Tea Party  
Sunday, June 11  
2-4 pm  
\$10

RSVP: CALL Barb at 503-505-4102  
or E-MAIL [cgarner406@centurylink.net](mailto:cgarner406@centurylink.net)



## Teriyaki Meatballs (40)

Enjoyed at fellowship time

Plan ahead. The meatballs need to chill for at least 1 hour before baking.

Toast sesame seeds in a dry skillet over medium heat until fragrant (about 1 minute) and remove the pan from the heat to prevent scorching.

### Meatballs:

6 ounces shitake mushrooms, stemmed and chopped coarse  
1½ cups chopped green cabbage  
2 tablespoons vegetable oil  
Salt and pepper  
3 garlic cloves, minced  
1 tablespoon grated fresh ginger  
1 pound ground chicken  
½ cup panko bread crumbs  
4 scallions, minced  
3 tablespoons minced fresh cilantro  
1 large egg, lightly beaten  
1 tablespoon toasted sesame oil

### Sauce:

1 tablespoon cornstarch  
1 tablespoon dry white wine  
1/3 cup water  
¼ cup soy sauce  
¼ cup sugar  
2 scallions, green parts only, sliced thin on bias  
1 tablespoon sesame seeds, toasted

1. Adjust oven rack to upper-middle position and heat oven to 400 degrees. Line rimmed baking sheet with aluminum foil and spray evenly with pan spray.
2. Combine mushrooms and cabbage in food processor and pulse until chopped into ¼-inch pieces (about 5 times.)
3. Heat oil in 12-inch skillet over medium-high heat until shimmering. Add mushroom mixture and ½ teaspoon salt and cook, stirring occasionally, until vegetables are lightly browned, 6-8 minutes. Add garlic and ginger and cook another 30 seconds. Transfer to a large bowl.
4. Wipe skillet clean with paper towels. Whisk cornstarch and vinegar in small bowl until combined. Set aside.
5. Bring wine, sugar, water and soy sauce to a boil over high heat. Whisk in cornstarch slurry, reduce heat to medium-low and simmer until thickened, about 1 minute. Remove pan from heat; transfer 3 tablespoons teriyaki sauce to mushroom mixture. Let mushroom mixture cool completely, about 15 minutes. Cover skillet and set remaining sauce aside.
6. Add ground chicken, panko, scallions, cilantro, egg, sesame oil and ½ teaspoon pepper to cooled mushroom mixture and mix with your hands until thoroughly combined. Divide chicken mixture into 40 portions, about 1 tablespoon each. Roll between your wet hands to form 1¼-inch balls and space evenly on prepared baking sheet. Cover lightly and refrigerate until firm, about 1 hour.
7. Uncover meatballs and bake until meatballs are firm and bottoms are lightly browned, 15-20 minutes, rotating pan halfway through cooking.
8. Rewarm sauce. Add meatballs to skillet and toss to coat with sauce.
9. Transfer meatballs and sauce to serving dish and sprinkle with scallions and sesame seeds.

To make ahead: Meatballs and sauce can be prepared through step 4. Cover and refrigerate for up to 24 hours. Add 2 tablespoons water to sauce when reheating.

## PUN PICNIC AT KPC



We will be hosting the PUN churches at Kenilworth.  
Food and beverages are provided by the host church.  
Please come early to help move tables and chairs to the parking lot.

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