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## Kirkwood Presbyterian Church

Sunday, July 24, 2022

7th Sunday after Pentecost

### Gathering

Welcome and Ministry Announcements

Dr. Yvan Kelly

\*Sharing the Peace of Christ

\*Opening Hymn

Glory to God Hymnal #12

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

\*Call to Worship

Worship Leader

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

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Human as we are, let us approach God

**People: for ourselves and for the world.**

Gathering Prayer

Lisa Christian

Call to Confession

Dr. Yvan Kelly

Prayer of Confession

Dr. Yvan Kelly

**People: Lord, too often our prayers are casual, without expectation of your response. In doing so, we prevent the change that may occur in us to care for others in the world and not just ourselves. Hear our prayer for forgiveness. Give us a spirit of forgiving others. Lord, teach us to pray.**

Leader: Please continue in silent confession....Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Dr. Yvan Kelly

Leader: Friends, hear the good news! God has forgiven us all our sins,

**People: freeing us with the power of the cross.**

Leader: Friends, believe the good news!

**People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen.**

### Word

A Time for Children

Dr. Yvan Kelly

(Children will go to Sunday School)

\*please stand

**Old Testament Reading**

Psalm 85:1-13

Lisa Christian

Lord, you were favorable to your land;  
you restored the fortunes of Jacob.  
You forgave the iniquity of your people;  
you pardoned all their sin. *Se'lah*  
You withdrew all your wrath;  
you turned from your hot anger.  
Restore us again,  
O God of our salvation,  
and put away your indignation  
toward us.  
Will you be angry with us forever?  
Will you prolong your anger  
to all generations?  
Will you not revive us again,  
so that your people may  
rejoice in you?  
Show us your steadfast love, O Lord,  
and grant us your salvation.  
Let me hear what God the Lord  
will speak,  
for he will speak peace to his people,

to his faithful, to those who turn  
to him in their hearts.  
Surely his salvation is at hand  
for those who fear him,  
that his glory may dwell  
in our land.  
Steadfast love and faithfulness  
will meet;  
righteousness and peace will kiss  
each other.  
Faithfulness will spring up  
from the ground,  
and righteousness will look down  
from the sky.  
The Lord will give what is good,  
and our land will yield its increase.  
Righteousness will go before him,  
and will make a path for his steps.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.****New Testament Reading**

Luke 11:1-13

Dr. Yvan Kelly

He was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial." And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. "So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

Reader: The word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Message**

“Our Father”

Dr. Yvan Kelly

**\*Second Hymn**

Glory to God Hymnal #321 v. 1, 2, 4, & 5

“The Church’s One Foundation”

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

Apostles’ Creed

**I BELIEVE**

**in God the Father, Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth;  
and in Jesus Christ,  
his only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by  
the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried;  
he descended into hell;  
the third day he rose again**

**from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God  
the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge  
the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost;  
the holy catholic Church;  
the communion of saints;  
the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body;  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### **Prayers and Offering**

**Prayers of the People/The Lord’s Prayer**

**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.**

### **Giving Thanks to God with Our Gifts and Offerings**

**Offertory Song**

**\*Doxology**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**People: Lord in heaven, as high as you are, you care for the lowly. Receive our offerings and enable us to participate in your unfinished work in the world, through Jesus Christ our redeemer. Amen.**

### **Sending**

**\*Closing Hymn**

Glory to God Hymnal #353

“My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”

**Charge and Blessing**

Dr. Yvan Kelly

## Announcements

**Adult Sunday School** - Adult Sunday School is being held every Sunday morning from 9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. in the church kitchen.

**Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) Childcare Worker Needed** - Mothers of Preschoolers are in need of someone to watch their children during their gatherings, which take place the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month at the church. This is a paid position. The pay is \$11.00 an hour and the hours are 9:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. You would be required to undergo and pass a background check and you would be required to clean up after the children once the gathering has ended. If you are interested and want more information, please contact Suzi in the church office at 904.777.0006 or at [home@kirkwoodchurch.org](mailto:home@kirkwoodchurch.org).

**Last Sunday of the Month Potluck July 31** - The last Sunday of the month potluck for July will be held on Sunday, July 31, following worship.

**Session Meeting July 31** - The Session will meet following worship on Sunday, July 31.

**Blood Drive August 7** - The big Red Bus will be in the church parking lot on Sunday, August 7, from 8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. for a blood drive. Donors will receive a \$20 eGift card, a OneBlood towel, and a wellness checkup. You must bring a photo ID. Appointments are encouraged and can be made by visiting [oneblood.org/donate-now](http://oneblood.org/donate-now) and using sponsor code #31712.

**Bunko August 13** - Mark your calendars for Bunko on Saturday, August 13, from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Proceeds from this event will be used for the building fund. More information will be coming soon!

**Mark your calendars for our annual Fall Festival October 22!** - Our annual Fall Festival will be held on Saturday, October 22, from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Last year we had over 42 vendors and expect more vendors this year. We will also have a D.J., a local band, solo artist, Charlie Chiusa, a bouncy house, and upscale food items for sale.

**Fall Festival applications for vendors are available in the narthex!** If you know crafters, artists, or talented friends who own their own business, and who would like to participate in the Fall Festival, please feel free to take as many applications as you need from the narthex and pass them along. If you would like an electronic file, please text Kathy Stanley at 904.803.3736.

**Donation Needed** - The church is asking for donations of kitchen paper goods such as cups, napkins, bowls, plates, plastic ware, and to go containers. We will gladly accept left over supplies from home parties (any party such as birthday, anniversary, holiday, graduation, etc.). These goods will be used for Sunday coffee and Sunday potlucks.

**Financial Giving** - You may place your offering in the offering plate, drop off a check at the office, put it in the mail, or use our online giving portal that can be accessed [here](#).

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