



Knox
Presbyterian
Church

FIND YOUR PLACE AT KNOX

Discover ways to connect and grow

Whether you're new to Knox or have been here for years, there's a place for you to belong, serve, and grow. Explore the ministry areas in this brochure, and if something sparks your interest, we'd love to help you take the next step.

MISSION & OUTREACH

Being the hands and feet of Christ in Cincinnati and beyond.
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At Knox, faith isn't just something we practice inside these walls — it's something we live out in the world. Our mission and outreach ministries connect us with neighbors near and far, partnering with organizations doing vital work in our community.

Local Mission Partners

- **Third Presbyterian Church** – Knox and Third Church share a close and special relationship. Third Church serves as a safe and nurturing haven for children and youth in a neighborhood challenged with poverty and insecurity. On Wednesdays, Knox volunteers provide companionship, tutoring, and homework help. A one-to-one mentoring program supports young people as community leaders. A monthly Men's Breakfast and the Third Hope Pantry Kitchen are also part of this rich partnership.
- **Transforming Jail Ministries** – Join a small group of Knox members who minister to people serving jail or prison time, through prayer and communal worship. Knox participates in a network of Cincinnati-area churches in this work. (Note: allow approximately six months lead time for the application approval process.)
- **Mentoring Ministry** – walk alongside young people in our Cincinnati community, particularly the Third Church neighborhood of East Westwood, as a mentor and encourager.

Special Projects

- **Hands on Mission** – Hands-on mission projects that allow Knox members of all ages to serve together in tangible, practical ways are offered regularly, often at 10am between the services.
- **Mission Possible** – Once a year on a Saturday, the entire congregation comes together to serve and make an impact in our community. There are projects on-site at Knox and many out around town.
- **Mission Trips** – Periodically, Knox forms small groups to serve those in need locally, in other states, and abroad. Past trips have included humanitarian relief at the US/Mexico border and youth trips focused on homelessness. Adult, youth, and intergenerational trips are all possibilities!
- **Angel Tree & Backpack Drive** – seasonal projects that provide gifts and school supplies to children in need.

CARE & CONNECTION

Providing comfort and support to our church family.
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Church is more than a Sunday morning — it's a community that shows up for one another. Our Care & Connection ministries make sure no one walks through life's joys or hardships alone.

Fellowship

- **Feast & Other Fellowship Gatherings** – From our beloved Feast dinners to seasonal celebrations, Knox finds every reason to eat, laugh, and be together. These gatherings are a wonderful way to deepen friendships.
- **Special Events** – Advent gatherings, Easter Egg Hunt, and other seasonal celebrations throughout the church year.

Hospitality

- **Visitor & New Member Ministry** – Help welcome visitors and new members, making Knox feel like home from the very first Sunday.
- **Coffee Hour** – Volunteers help host the weekly coffee hour after worship — a simple and joyful way to foster community.
- **Welcome Desk (Weekday Volunteers)** – Serve as a receptionist one weekday morning per month, 10am–2pm, in the Michigan Ave. lobby. Responsibilities include answering the phone, greeting visitors, and fielding questions. It's a relaxed way to get to know the Knox community. Bring a book or laptop for quiet moments!
- **Welcome Desk (Sunday Mornings)** – Sit at the Welcome Desk during worship services, offering a welcoming presence and wayfinding for newer worshippers. Overseen and scheduled by the Deacons.
- **Community Outreach** – represent Knox in the wider Cincinnati community through events like the Flying Pig Marathon and the Art Show.

Congregational Care

- **Prayer Ministry** – Pray for members and friends of Knox, and support those going through illness, transition, or loss.
- **Knox Helps Out / Meal Trains** – Offer one-time, short-term acts of kindness.
- **"Visiting Friends"** – A ministry of presence: volunteers visit homebound or hospitalized members to offer companionship, prayer, and care.

LEARN & GROW

For those seeking to nurture faith and build community.
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Faith grows best in community. Whether you're asking big questions, exploring Scripture, or simply looking for meaningful friendships, our Learn & Grow ministries create space for all of it.

Groups

- **Journey Small Groups** – Connect with a small group of Knox members for regular faith conversation, mutual support, and community. A great way to get to know others more deeply.
- **Men's & Women's Groups** – All are welcome to gatherings for fellowship, fun, food, and service.
- **Knox Moms** – A welcoming group that meets regularly for fellowship, fun, food, and service. A wonderful community for moms of all ages and stages.
- **Knox Dinner Groups** – Looking for a casual way to get to know others at Knox? Participants are randomly grouped, then each group decides together when and how to meet.
- **Sunday Morning Bible Study** – Explore the word together with friends from your Knox Family.
- **Tuesday Morning Prayer** – Join Pastor Adam every Tuesday morning from 8:15 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. to start your day in prayer.

Classes & Lectures

- **Adult Faith Formation** – Knox offers a wide variety of learning opportunities throughout the year in areas of faith, scripture, and current issues. Join us for exploration and inquiry at any level.
- **Lunch & Learns** – Midday Sunday gatherings that pair a meal with thoughtful discussion on topics of faith and culture. A great option for those who want to learn without a big time commitment.
- **Tom York Lecture Series** – A beloved Knox tradition that brings inspiring speakers to explore the intersection of faith, learning, and contemporary life. Open to the wider community.
- **Knox Book Group** – Meets the second Monday evening of each month at the home of a Knox member to discuss the monthly read. Drop in at any time!
- **Film Series** – Meets the first Wednesday of the month at 7pm. Participants watch a film ahead of time, then gather to discuss themes of faith, culture, and life.

CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

Nurturing the next generation of faith.

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We believe that faith formed in childhood and adolescence lasts a lifetime. Our ministries for children and youth are designed to be fun, meaningful, and rooted in the love of God – with plenty of room for questions along the way.

Children

- **Sunday School** – Available to children and youth during both worship services on Sunday morning. Classes are designed to respond to the great commission to teach, and to live out our baptismal vows to care for and nurture the young people of our church.
- **Sunday Child Care** – Childcare is available for children ages birth – age 4 from 8:45am–12:15pm.
- **Special Events & Christmas Pageant** – Throughout the year, children participate in milestone celebrations, seasonal events, and the much-loved Knox Christmas Pageant.

Tweens & Teens

- **Epic567 (5th–7th Grade)** – A dynamic faith community for tweens in grades 5–7, offering events, service opportunities, and space to explore faith and friendship together.
- **Knox Youth Group – KYG (8th–12th Grade)** – Knox Church has a very dynamic youth program! Groups for youth in grades 8–12 gather for activities (generally Sunday early evenings) and a variety of events and trips throughout the school year and over the summer.
- **Montreat Youth Camp** – A transformative summer camp experience for Knox youth, held at the Montreat Conference Center in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina.

Milestones

- **Lord's Table Retreat** – for 2nd graders and above, preparing children to participate in Communion.
- **Fourth Grade Bible Class** – each child receives a Bible and are invited to participate in a class that shows them to go explore the Bible on their own.
- **Confirmation (8th Grade)** – a meaningful journey for young people affirming their faith.

Volunteer with Us

Sunday School teachers, youth group leaders, and other Faith Formation volunteers are always needed – and no experience is necessary.

WORSHIP & MUSIC

For those who find God through music, liturgy, and creativity.

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Music and worship are at the heart of who we are at Knox. If you feel called to participate – whether through singing, playing, reading Scripture, or welcoming others at the door – there's a meaningful role for you here.

Music

- **Knox Choir (Traditional Service)** – The Knox Choir accepts new members twice a year (September and January), rehearses weekly and sings at 11am worship most Sundays, September–May. Under the direction of our Music Director, the choir presents the twice-yearly Knox Music Series featuring sacred choral and orchestral masterworks.
- **Fresh Spirit Choir / Band** – Open to youth and adult singers and musicians. Rehearses Sunday mornings before the 9:00am Fresh Spirit Service, and leads worship most Sundays September–May.
- **Handbell Choir** – Practices weekly on Thursday evenings time? and leads worship at 11am on various Sundays, October–May. New ringers are always welcome!
- **Children's Choir** – Opportunities for young friends to sing in worship services, at Christmastime, and sometimes at other special occasions. Rehearsals on Sunday mornings. No experience necessary – we'd love to tell you more!

Worship

- **Liturgist (Scripture Reader)** – A meaningful and accessible way to participate in Sunday worship by serving as a reader of scripture or parts of the liturgy at the 9:00am, 11am, or Summer 10am service. No experience necessary – the pastors will guide you to ensure you feel comfortable!

Service Support

- **Ushers & Greeters** – Serve Sunday morning and special services to welcome worshipers, help them find seats, pass out bulletins, and help visitors find their way around the church.
- **A/V Team** – Help support Sunday worship and special events through audio/visual technology. A great fit for those with a tech background or interest.
- **Bereavement Ministry** – Help Knox's funeral coordinators prepare for funeral and memorial services and receptions by ensuring the worship and gathering spaces are ready, and by providing a warm and welcoming presence for families and guests.
- **Weddings & Funerals** – additional volunteer support for special services throughout the year.

LEADERSHIP & OPERATIONS

Using your professional skills to steward the church.

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Knox is guided by the gifts and wisdom of its members. If you have experience in finance, law, facilities, human resources, or organizational leadership, your skills are needed and valued here. Serving on a committee is a tangible way to give back and help Knox thrive for generations to come.

Committees

- **Board of Elders**
- **Board of Deacons**
- **Nominating Committee**
- **Buildings & Grounds**
- **Budget & Finance**
- **Memorials & Endowments**
- **Personnel**
- **Stewardship**
- **Mission & Social Concerns**
- **Racial Justice Ministry**
- **Faith Formation**

NEXT STEPS

If you feel drawn to something or your interest is piqued, we are eager to help you take the next step – whether that's learning more, checking it out, or signing up.

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