

**WE'D LIKE TO PROVIDE MORE PARKING
SPACES IN FRONT FOR THOSE IN NEED.**

**IF YOU ARE ABLE,
PLEASE PARK IN THE
BACK PARKING LOT!**



We're hoping to provide more parking spaces in the front lot for those in need. If you're able to use the stairs, please park in the back parking lot.

Thank you!

Do you have a special occasion to celebrate?



SIGN UP ON THE
2024
*Flower
Calendar*
In the Narthex
(It's on the
bulletin board.)

Sign up to provide flowers for our altar during worship services. There's a poster in the narthex (entryway), on the bulletin board near the office door.

You can choose to honor or remember someone, or celebrate a special occasion. Or just bring flowers because you enjoy them!

We need *(nut-free)* BAKED GOODS
for Coffee Hour!



- **BRING ITEMS IN
LABELED *(and dated)* FREEZER BAGS**
- **NOTE IF THEY ARE
GLUTEN and/or EGG FREE**

We'd love to have
more SERVERS, also!



QUESTIONS? See Carol Colborne or Kathy Porter

We need nut-free baked goods to enjoy at the fellowship time after worship services.

Bring items in labeled and dated freezer bags. Please note if they are gluten-free or egg-free.

We can also use more servers!

Contact Carol C. or Kathy P.



Today, we have our final practice for singing next week,
for Palm Sunday worship, March 24.
We start in the choir room, then move to the sanctuary.
Youth choir practices are held on Sundays,
11:15 – 11:50 a.m. in the choir room.

The youth choir will have their final practice this Sunday, the 17th, from 11:15 – 11:50 a.m. to prepare for singing at the Palm Sunday worship service on March 24th. We will start practicing in the choir room, then move to the sanctuary to do a sound check. We hope to see all of our singers this Sunday.

Youth in 5th grade through high school are invited to sing in our YOUTH choir. Meet in the choir room for practices on Sundays at 11:15am until about 11:50am.

Come bring your friends and make a joyful noise! For more information or questions contact Bill or Lori McEwen at bill.mcewen@comcast.net.

RAINIER CHORALE CONCERT

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2024 @ 7:00 PM
SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2024 @ 3:00 PM

KENT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
11010 SOUTH 248TH STREET
KENT, WASHINGTON

ADVANCE TICKETS
\$20 GENERAL ADMISSION
\$14 STUDENTS, SENIORS (65+)

Come enjoy the Rainier Chorale "Eternal Light" Masterworks concert this coming weekend at Kent United Methodist Church. The Rainier Chorale is pleased to collaborate with Rainier Youth Choirs' Consonare chorus, under the direction of Brian Hoskins, for these performances.

You can get advance tickets from our choir director, Rae C., the Turnbolls or Rob G.

Saturday, March 16 at 7:00pm or Sunday, March 17 at 3:00pm.

For more information, visit <https://rainierchorale.org/>



DONATIONS NEEDED!
Please consider donating a bag or two of small, peanut-free candy. Collection bins are in the Narthex and Benedict Hall. Thank you!

We do not need plastic eggs this year!

Let's get ready for
Easter
SUNDAY | MARCH 31, 2024

Volunteers Needed!
Scan the QR code to learn how YOU can help make a difference this Easter!



Donations and volunteers needed for Easter Sunday!

Please consider donating a bag or two of small, peanut-free candy. Collection bins are in the narthex and Benedict Hall. We do not need plastic eggs this year.

Also, we need volunteers to help for a joyous Easter time for our young ones. Scan the QR code on the slide to learn how you can help make a difference this Easter.

Questions? Contact Kartha or LJ.

If you are considering church membership,
the next date for Membership Sunday is
Palm Sunday, March 24.



Please look for the brochure in the narthex,
"So You're Thinking About Joining the Church"
and contact Pastor Ferdie:
pastorferdie@fairwoodumc.org

*We are so grateful to welcome new members
into our faith community!*

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If you are curious or if you have questions about membership, please contact Pastor Ferdie: pastorferdie@fairwoodumc.org and look for the brochure in the narthex, "So You're Thinking About Joining the Church."



*Your opportunity to order
nursery quality flower
baskets and support
Joyful Hearts Preschool is
here!*

Fuchsia baskets are limited. First 20 orders will be filled.

Order Deadline is April 1, 2024. Order forms can be found in the narthex, in the March Epistle newsletter, and online.

Delivery date is May 8th, just in time for Mother's Day.
Thank you for your continued support of our preschool ministry.
Questions? Contact Cathy R.

It's time to order nursery-quality flower baskets and support our Joyful Hearts Preschool!

New Guinea Impatiens \$41

Ivy Geraniums \$41

Fuchsia Baskets \$41

Sun Basket Combo \$46

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Order deadline is Monday, April 1, 2024.

Order forms can be found in the narthex, in the March Epistle newsletter, and online here:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1I9NLI9lhZTw8ijDX1vmBu0NZbWMOtyWA/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=110797358342244170847&rtpof=true&sd=true>

Questions: Contact Cathy R. at 425-681-4479 or cathyrussell@comcast.net.

Thank you for your continued support of our preschool ministry!

Mission Opportunity

During the month of March
we will be collecting bags of white rice,
(2-pound to 5-pound bags) to deliver to
Riverton Park United Methodist Church in Tukwila.
Drop off your donation in the box in the narthex.

*Thanks in advance for your participation in
our support of our sister congregation
and people they serve!*



During the month of March, we will be collecting 2 – 5 pound bags of white rice to deliver to Riverton Park United Methodist Church. Each month we will add to our monetary donation with an item that they are regularly in need of, as they work to support those staying at their church. Drop off your donation in the box in the narthex.

Thanks in advance for your participation in our support of our sister congregation and the people they serve or are living at their church.

Thank you, also, Dianne and Mike, for volunteering to deliver our donation each month!

Holy Week



Palm Sunday

March 24 10:00 am Worship



Maundy Thursday

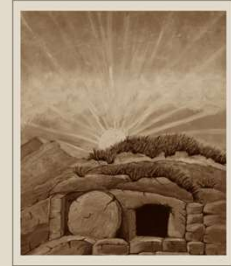
March 28 6:30 pm Simple soup supper

7:15 pm Worship



Good Friday

March 29 7:00 pm Worship



Easter Sunday

March 31

**6:30 am Sunrise service
outside by rain gardens**

**9:00 am & 11:00 am
Worship in sanctuary
(livestreamed at 9:00)**

Join us for worship during Holy Week!

Palm Sunday, March 24: 10:00 am worship (livestreamed)

Maundy Thursday, March 28: 6:30 pm Simple soup supper
7:15 pm Worship

(NOTE: If you can help set up at 10:00 for soup supper OR provide a pot of soup,
please contact Donna S.)

Good Friday, March 29: 7:00 pm Worship

Easter Sunday, March 31:

6:30 am Sunrise service (outside by rain gardens)

9:00 and 11:00 am worship in Sanctuary

(Identical services, Holy Communion at both, Livestreamed at 9:00)