Sunday, June 9

9:45am Childcare (Infants/Toddlers), Nursery/Muscle Room (9:45am-11:15am)

10:00am Sunday School, age 3-Grade 3

10:00am Summer Worship Service, Sanctuary

11:00am Lemonade on the Lawn, Church Lawn (Knox Commons if rain)

6:00pm Different Drum, Session Room

No KYG, Older—Youth at Montreat all week

Monday, June 10

6:00pm Budget & Finance Meeting, Room 201—Knox Room

7:00pm Book Group, at Becky Gibbs'/Anne Mulder home, 8 Belsaw Place, Clifton

Tuesday, June 11

4:30pm Personnel Committee Meeting, Room 203—Library
7:00pm Hyde Park Community Council Meeting, Knox Commons
7:00pm Nominating Committee, Room 201—Knox Room

Wednesday, June 12

7:30am Prayer Breakfast, Room 201—Knox Room 10:00am Knox Staff Meeting, Room 203—Library

7:30pm Women's Bible Study Group, Beechwood Home, 2140 Poque Ave., 45208

Thursday, June 13

6:00pm NAMI Support Meetings (3), Room 201, 203, and 301

Saturday, June 15

5:00pm Knox Youth return from Montreat

Sunday, June 16

9:45am Childcare (Infants/Toddlers), Nursery/Muscle Room (9:45am-11:15am)

10:00am Sunday School, age 3-Grade 310:00am Summer Worship Service, Sanctuary

10:00am Sandwich-making Ministry, Knox Commons

11:00am Lemonade on the Lawn, Church Lawn (Knox Commons if rain)

No KYG, Older—Youth return from Montreat, 6/15

- Remember in Your Prayers...those Serving our Country: Matt Anderson, Matt Buchert, Joseph Elkin, Scott Johnson, Jordan Lorenzen, Blake Lyon, Paul Moody, Christopher Palmer, Alison Park, Peter Quinn, Thomas Rhame, Timothy Sowder, Michael Spada, Katy Turner
- ...Concerns: Mary Annett; Lynn Bishop, Lisa Hinger's sister; Debbie Chapman, The Harris' friend; Lisa Heath, Gary Schmitt's sister; Laura Hattendorf-Johnson; Michele Judge, Laura Johnson's cousin; Katy Murray; Kila Tripp; Thom and Cindy Nelson.
- ...A few words from our Interim pastor, Thom Nelson: "I will return to work, slowly, tomorrow and will preach next Sunday. I am doing well and looking forward to getting back into your midst. Thanks for all the kindness and the prayers during and following my surgery. Keep them coming, or is it going,

as there is still healing and strengthening to be done.



Announcements and Opportunities Sunday, June 9, 2013

3400 Michigan Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45208-2102 Phone: 513.321.2573 Fax: 513.321.2750 www.knox.org

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

The Single Summer Worship Service will continue through Sunday, Sept. 1. During this time, we will be celebrating **one** service at **10:00am**.

- → 9:45am Childcare for Infants and Toddlers (9:45-11:15am)
- → 10:00am Summer Worship, in the Sanctuary
- → *10:00am Sunday School, Preschool—3rd Grade

 *(On the <u>first</u> Sunday of each month, children who have completed grades Kindergarten and above will remain in worship with their families. See inside for details!)
- → 11:00am Lemonade on the Lawn...please join us each week on the church lawn (Knox Commons if rain) in June, July, and August!

▶ <u>Lemonade on the Lawn!</u> Please join us at 11:00am on the church lawn for refreshments and fellowship. All are welcome! We thank the members of the Stewardship committee for hosting <u>Lemonade on the Lawn</u> this morning. *See below for details on how you can become a part of this very important ministry.



► Hosting Opportunity: Summertime at Knox would not be complete without everyone's favorite social hour, Lemonade on the Lawn! This is an easy and fun way to get involved at Knox. Please consider hosting or co-hosting with friends or committee members. Thanks for your continued support of this important ministry. Questions? Please contact Christine Carli, 513-382-8328 or christinecarli@me.com. Thank you!



▶ Book Group: Please join us Monday, June 10, 7pm, at Becky Gibbs/Anne Mulder's home, 8 Belsaw Place, Clifton, 513-221-0265. Email Becky to be added to the book group email list: rebeccamgibbs@hotmail.com. June Book for discussion: The End of Your Life Book Club by Will Schwalbe; July: Evidence of Things Unseen, by Marianne Wiggins; August: Blame by Michelle Huneven. All are welcome!



Early Deadline for July/August *Knox News!*: Please note the *earlier deadline* for the combined issue of the **July/August** newsletter only. It is Wednesday, **June 12**, **3:00pm**. Submit all articles and or photos to Linda Meineke, Imeineke@knox.org. Submissions prior to June 12 are always welcome. Thank you!

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES



► Celebrating Children in Worship! On the first Sunday of each month, children who have completed grades Kindergarten and above will remain in worship with their families. Worship bags (crayons, bookmarks, paper, etc.) and children's bulletins will be available at each entrance to the Sanctuary and Commons. (On these first Sundays each month, childcare for infants and toddlers and Sunday School for Preschool ages only, will be available.



- ▶ Let God's Love Overflow It's not too late to sign-up to help with Summer Sunday School! Many volunteer opportunities remain available to best support the children we serve with Christian Ed this summer! Visit www.knox.org or contact Lisa Kaufer, 513-321-2573x111or Ikaufer@knox.org to sign-up. Pick an age group and a few dates that work for you. Lessons, materials, and teaching partners are provided. ... You change the world, by simply sharing God's love - one child at a time.
- **Seekers Group:** This group is for women interested in study, prayer, and fellowship. They now meet the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month (excluding June 17), 10-11:30am, in the Knox Room. Study topic: Currently finishing chapters 8 and 9 of the Presbyterian Horizon Bible Study guide. Beginning in August, they will study the book Evolution of Faith, by Phillip Gulley. For information please contact Mary Rhame, rhame@cinci.rr.com.
- ▶ Women's Bible Study: All women are invited for study, discussion and prayer. For study information or to be added to the email list, please contact Jana Reister at <u>ireister@knox.org</u>, 513-321-2573 x106. We hope you can join us! Dates: 2nd & 4th Weds. of each month. Next gathering: June 12, 7:30-8:45pm. Place: Beechwood Home in O'Bryonville, Private Dining Room. Address: 2140 Poque Ave. 45208. Park in back lot. At back entrance, push

button, someone will buzz you in. Take elevator up one floor, exit and veer left. Private Dining Room will be on your left. Current topic: Women in Scripture; please bring bible.

- ▶ **Job Opening** for 2013-14 <u>Covenant Choir Director</u> (Grades 4-6). For full job description, please go to:
- ▶ Save the Date! ...for the Inaugural Tom York Lecture Series, featuring well-known author and speaker: Philip Gulley, November 15-17, 2013!
- ▶ The Knox Nominating Committee is hard at work to find persons who are willing to be an elder or deacon at Knox in 2014. If you are willing to serve or would like to suggest someone for consideration, please see enclosed insert.



**Exertion Process Section ** Exertion ** and members at the door before services? Our current greeters say it's a great way to get to know our churchgoers. Different than an usher, a greeter volunteers 1-2 times a month for about 30

minutes before and a few minutes into the service. We need more help now and into the new program year. Interested in this important program? Please contact Jim Naramore at jim.naramore@gmail.com, 513-793-2407.



▶ "Pop" and Jazz on Michigan! June 27 and July 18. Come enjoy an evening of "Pop" and Jazz on the church LET OUR SOUL JAZZ YOURS lawn! Grab a blanket or lawn chair and bring a friend! (In case of rain, we move to the Knox Commons).



→ Thurs., 6/27, 7pm, Airwave, featuring Ted and Dixie Karas, who have performed swing, Motown, rhythm & blues, classic dance tunes, popular music, and smooth jazz background music. For more details visit: http://www.airwaveband.com/.



→Thurs., 7/18, 7pm, Scott Belck Quintet: Dr. Scott Belck, CCM's Director of Jazz Studies, returns to Knox with his quintet to delight Knox family and friends with Jazz!

▶ Hey Reds Fans! Knox is going to GABP! Do you love your local, home-town ballclub? Looking for a great afternoon of cheering on the Reds towards the NL Central pennant? This is the outing for you. Join us to be part of the Cincinnati Reds annual "Faith Day" at Great American Ball Park. The game is Sunday, August 11, at 1:10 pm, the Reds

vs San Diego Padres, and will include a post-game concert by the Grammywinning band, MercyMe!

View seats are available at special group rates of only \$10.50 each! Kids Gapper Book free to the first 8,000 kids, age 14 and under. Tickets will be offered on a first-come, first-sold basis at Lemonade on the Lawn. This game is a sellout every year. Make sure you get your tickets ASAP! Come out and support the Reds, then worship and celebrate your faith with a concert of great music afterwards. Tickets will be available beginning Sunday, June 16, during Lemonade on the Lawn. For questions or more information, please contact Jeff Kersey, kersey659@yahoo.com. Thank you!



▶ Do You Need a Name Badge? We welcome and encourage members and non-members alike to order your Knox name badge. Order forms can be found in the Michigan Ave. lobby, narthex, in the back of the Knox Commons, or on the church website. Cost: \$6 each.

Deadline to Order: Monday, June 10. Questions? Please contact Jeff Kersey at kersey659@yahoo.com.

SEEKING ELDER & DEACON NOMINATIONS

The Nominating Committee has begun its work to find persons to be an elder or a deacon at Knox beginning in 2014—to lead Knox church into the future. Our task is to find leaders who represent the rich diversity of our membership – different ages, genders and beliefs.

We solicit your suggestions for church officers. In making your suggestions, please keep in mind:

- 1. Must be a member of our congregation. Nominate only **active** members -- if someone inactive is elected, a position is filled but not carried out.
- 2. It is not necessary for the nominator to get prior approval from the nominee.
- 3. Spouses are not asked to serve as elders and deacons at the same time.

Session (Elder): 3 - year term - 8 to be elected

Elders at Knox strengthen and nurture the faith and life of the congregation. They lead the church in worship, growth, Christian education and mission. They oversee the budget and encourage stewardship of money, time and talents. Meets 3rd Monday, 7 pm, except August. Time spent varies, depending on committee involvement. Most committees have additional monthly meetings on 1st Monday.

Deacons: 3 - year term - 8 to be elected

Deacons minister to those in need, both within and beyond our community. Some deacon ministries include delivering flowers and paying visits to members, preparing communion, serving as liturgists and ushers, greeting members and visitors at the reception desk, and participating in various service projects. Time commitment is several hours per month. Meets 4th Monday, 7pm, monthly, except July.

If you are willing to serve or would like to suggest someone else for consideration, please list your/their names below:

<u>Name</u>	Office (Elder, Deacon)
	<u> </u>
	·

Please place in offering, give to one of the ministers or return to church office, 3400 Michigan Ave, Cincinnati, 45208, c/o Nominating Committee.

Please return this form as soon as possible. The Nominating Committee

SEEKING ELDER & DEACON NOMINATIONS

The Nominating Committee has begun its work to find persons to be an elder or a deacon at Knox beginning in 2014—to lead Knox church into the future. Our task is to find leaders who represent the rich diversity of our membership – different ages, genders and beliefs.

We solicit your suggestions for church officers. In making your suggestions, please keep in mind:

- 1. Must be a member of our congregation. Nominate only **active** members -- if someone inactive is elected, a position is filled but not carried out.
- **2.** It is not necessary for the nominator to get prior approval from the nominee.
- 3. Spouses are not asked to serve as elders and deacons at the same time.

Session (Elder): 3 - year term - 8 to be elected

Elders at Knox strengthen and nurture the faith and life of the congregation. They lead the church in worship, growth, Christian education and mission. They oversee the budget and encourage stewardship of money, time and talents. Meets 3rd Monday, 7 pm, except August. Time spent varies, depending on committee involvement. Most committees have additional monthly meetings on 1st Monday.

Deacons: 3 - year term - 8 to be elected

Deacons minister to those in need, both within and beyond our community. Some deacon ministries include delivering flowers and paying visits to members, preparing communion, serving as liturgists and ushers, greeting members and visitors at the reception desk, and participating in various service projects. Time commitment is several hours per month. Meets 4th Monday, 7pm, monthly, except July.

If you are willing to serve or would like to suggest someone else for consideration, please list your/their names below:

<u>Name</u>	Office (Elder, Deacon)

Please place in offering, give to one of the ministers or return to church office, 3400 Michigan Ave, Cincinnati, 45208, c/o Nominating Committee.

Please return this form as soon as possible. The Nominating Committee