

Core Theological Values

As a new worshipping community and a satellite of the Kirk of Kildaire (KOK), we stand in the Reformed and Presbyterian theological tradition. As such we embrace the following as core theological values for our particular faith community:

1. God, who is known as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, is the Sovereign Creator over all the earth and is the object of our praise.
2. Our hope is in the Lord, Jesus Christ, who is Lord and Savior.
3. We recognize our own need for grace and forgiveness due to our own sinfulness.
4. The Bible is the inspired word of God and bears witness to the Living Word of God, Jesus Christ.
5. The Cross and the Resurrection are central to our proclamation.
6. We are one congregation within the larger Church of Jesus Christ. Therefore, we are a connectional church, which views other congregations as partners in ministry. We are a congregation within the Presbyterian Church, USA, a connectional body.
7. Our unity is in the Lord, Jesus Christ, rather than in our uniformity of thought or way of congregational life.
8. Our spiritual calling is to share the inclusive and generous love of Jesus Christ. Therefore, we welcome ALL to our community of faith regardless of who they are; what their nationality is; what their ethnicity is; what their economic status is; what their political affiliation is; who they love; or, what their social status is.
9. We are called to be good stewards of God's gifts to us in all matters of life. Therefore, we affirm our calling to be...
 - a. Stewards of the earth, engaging in ways to care for God's planet, our home.
 - b. Stewards of our relationships, practicing a way of life that fosters compassion for one another and nurtures respect and care for each other, even in times of disagreement.
 - c. Stewards of grace, offering and receiving forgiveness to those who have hurt us, but who are seeking reconciliation.
 - d. Stewards of truth and integrity, encouraging honesty and transparency in our relationships.
 - e. Stewards of our own talents, sharing our skills and interests with the community and encouraging others to share their talents.
 - f. Stewards of our financial resources, encouraging giving in one another and managing our assets responsibly.