## **ELDERS**

Doug Hutchins
Jason Lane
Richard Lyles
David Peck
Adam Reynolds
Bob Schaffer
Carl Seigenthaler
Matt Tiller
Alan Welker

## **STAFF**

**Jeff Brown** 

Preaching LifeLinks Outreach

**David Vaughn** 

Family Involvement

**Brett VanZant** 

Students

**Melissa VanZant**Children

Amy Nelson

Children's Associate King's Kids Director

**Melanie Gardner** 

Administrative Assistant

**Norman Kennedy** 

Facility Technology

## NOTES - "Life on the Vine"

<<Save the date>>>
April 16 - Friends & Family Day!!

### **Hearing Assistance**

To listen to the sermon straight from the mic to your hearing device, download the "WaveCast" app from your app store and connect your phone to the "Guest" network. Hearing devices that use a T Coil cannot be used in this fashion (ex. Oticon brand).

### THANKS FOR JOINING US AT KINGWOOD!

Sundays at 9 am - Worship (in-person and streamed online)

During Sunday Morning worship there is an attended **nursery** for ages 0-2. **Children's Worship** (ages 3-2nd grade) is in Kingwood Station and dismissal is before the message.

**Sundays at 10:30 am** - Bible classes for all ages

Various times and locations - LifeLinks Groups (contact Jeff Brown for more info)

Wednesdays at 5:00 pm - Adult textual Bible class 5:30-6:15 - Wed. night meals

Wednesdays at 6:30pm - Bible classes for all ages

If you are interested in learning more about **baptism** contact Jeff Brown.

If you want to find your place in the Kingwood family contact David Vaughn.

Kingwood co-sponsors **AGAPE Christian Counselor**, Nathan Jernigan, M.A. Licensed Senior Psychological Examiner and Licensed Professional Counselor, Stones River Business Center, 2159 N. Thompson Lane, B-2, 896-1305



# FROM THE PREACHER'S DESK

**February 26, 2023** 

I always love seeing the excitement brought home by our students when they return from Winterfest. This was displayed again last Sunday night as Ethan Broome was baptized into Christ. I am so thankful that our students get to experience that trip each year, but more importantly, I am thankful for our student ministry here at Kingwood. These students are different. I watch them engage in worship. They love to worship. So many times, teens sit and watch without fully engaging but not this group. They are committed and connected as well as being a huge part of this church. They are not the future of the church. They are a huge part of the church this very moment. I am proud of them. I love them. I am honored to watch their faith grow on a daily basis.

We have been focusing on worship for the last three Sundays and will continue for the next handful of Sundays. As you have noticed, we have been intentional about trying to make our time together fresh and relevant. It is easy to do the same thing each week and allow ourselves the opportunity to feel complacent. As we are looking at worship, we want to offer a time to engage with the Father in heaven as we engage with each other as well. We have also been looking at how to make communion more meaningful, our singing more encouraging, and our time more inspiring. The best way to accomplish all of this is to simply engage and pour yourself into this time. You, and the rest of us, will benefit greatly!

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## **PRAYER LIST**

#### **Hutchins Shepherding Group**

**Wylie Herod**, Gail Todd's father, age 99, has been transferred to long-term care at Stones River Manor from the hospital where he was treated for pneumonia. Hospice has been called in.

#### **Reynolds Shepherding Group**

**Bailey Fox**, daughter-in-law of Jim & Kelley Fox, had a seizure Thursday night due to possible eclampsia and is in the hospital in Chattanooga. She and the baby are doing well and she has been induced.

**Avelina Pulido**, daughter of Alex & Brooke Pulido, has an appointment with a nephrologist Monday, April 3. Her newborn brother, **Van Shwe Pulido**, is waiting on test results for possible SCID.

#### **Schaffer Shepherding Group**

**Ken Cothron** is home recovering.

**Vickie Smith** continues to struggle with her cancer and the family requests prayers.

### **Seigenthaler Shepherding Group**

Virginia Black is home from rehab.

**Tom Haithcock**, Vonita Seigenthaler's father, is in rehab in Chattanooga after having pneumonia.

**Atlas Wright**, 2-month-old son of a coach at Carl Seigenthaler's brother's school, has been diagnosed with leukemia and is in the NICU at Vanderbilt Children's Hospital.

#### **Welker Shepherding Group**

**Blake Seaton**, Charles & Loura Barrett's son-inlaw, is awaiting further test results from a brain biopsy.

#### **Continue To Remember**

Paula Ainsworth, Margaret Anthony, Gary Brown, Jerry Carroll, Ray & Shirley Carter, Jackie Coke, Betty Cothron, Nancy Doss, Carole Goolsby, Shirley Hood, Cora Jones, Pamela Kennedy, Bessie King, Betty Lester, Benny & Carolyn Livingston, Dennie Lowery, Sharon Moore, Tyler Moore, Sandra Ring, Steve Romberg, Cheryl Sherrod, and Kitty Walker.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Prison Ministry** - Maya Ogleton, Miranda Selma, Joshua Estes, and Trevon Smotherman were baptized this last Tuesday. If you would like to send cards of encouragement, please send to Rutherford County Work Center, 1720 S. Church St., 37130. Please use Kingwood Church of Christ for the return address.

## **WAYS TO SERVE**

**Doors of Hope** for March 13 are: Ann Zimmermann, Brenda Hutchins, Juanita Pryor, Melanie Gardner, and Janet Swift.

**Northfield Elementary Needs:** 1. Jogger sets or pants in sizes 4-16, and 2. Donations to help students purchase a book at the Spring Book Fair. If you can help with either or both of these needs, please see Vonita or Carl Seigenthaler.

The **Candle Wishes** birthday party is this Saturday, March 4, at 11:30 a.m. All birthday gifts for sponsored children must be returned by today. Anyone who signed up to bring cupcakes can either drop them off this Friday before 1:00 p.m., or bring them the day of the party. Volunteers for the party should arrive Saturday at 10:30 a.m.

Kingwood provides weekend food bags for students at Christiana Elementary in the **ATLAS program**. If you would like to contribute to help us finish out this school year, please put all donations in the blue lockbox outside the office (with "ATLAS" in the memo line).

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Congratulations to **Ethan Broome,** who was baptized by his father, Michael Broome, last Sunday, February 19, after returning from Winterfest!

All ladies are invited to a **Bridal Shower for Joann Handley** (bride-elect to Joel Donnell) today, February 26, from 1:30-3:00 p.m., in Fellowship Hall 4. She is registered at Amazon and Walmart.

All ladies are invited to an open house **Baby Shower for Ashley Scott**, daughter of Chris & Sarah Garner, at the home of Holly Putnal (705 Kingwood Dr) next Sunday, March 5, from 1:00-3:00 p.m. They are expecting a boy and are registered at Amazon and Target.

All ladies are invited to a **Baby Shower for Chloe Smith**, daughter of Shane & KayeLynne Reese, at the home of Erin Pruitt (2708 Doncaster Ct) Sunday, March 19, from 1:30-3:00 p.m. They are expecting a boy and are registered at Amazon and Target.

You're Invited! The Prison Ministry will be hosting a **Re-entry Simulator** Saturday, March 11, from 9:30-12:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall (limit 40). If you would like to sign up, email William Burke at w.burke@live.com.





The Kingwood Children's Ministry will do a **Park Clean Up and Picnic** on Sunday, March 12. We will meet at 5 pm at Old Fort Park. Bring your own dinner. After we eat we will pick up trash in the grass and down near the creek along the Greenway. Disposable kid and adult sized gloves will be provided or you can bring your own if you would like. Trash grabbers will be available for everyone to use. We will then spend some time playing on the playground together before we leave. Scan the QR code above to sign up.

**King's Kids registration** for the 2023-2024 school year has begun. See Amy Nelson for more information.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

This week's **Wednesday Night Meal** menu is: baked ziti, spaghetti with meatballs, steamed broccoli, buttered toast, salad bar, and dessert.





Winterfest was a tremendous weekend! Thank you to all of our students for a great weekend and to all of our parents for helping out in so many different ways! Winterfest is always a time of renewal and recommitment and this year was no exception. We also have multiple students studying and thinking about committing their lives to Christ so be sure to keep them in your prayers this week!

This week students are encouraged to join their parents LifeLinks group and we will return to our normal Sunday night routine next week.

Here are some important dates to remember over the next few months:

- **March 4** Candle Wishes (10:30-1)
- · March 5 Game Night (Dodgeball Night)
- March 11 Prison Ministry Re-entry Simulator (9-12)
- · March 12 KSM LifeLinks
- . March 19 KSM Devo
- April 28-30 Spring Retreat at Taylor Christian Camp



| Week of February 19, 2023 |     |              |              |
|---------------------------|-----|--------------|--------------|
| A.M. Worship              | 410 | Budget       | \$21,541.00  |
| Bible Class               | 300 | Contribution | \$17,107.00  |
| Online                    | 41  | Variance     | -\$4,434.00  |
| Wednesday                 | 153 | YTD Variance | -\$11,201.75 |