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UPCOMING AT KINGWOOD

January 2 - New Year's Brunch at 10:30 a.m.

January 2 - Adopt a Bible Buddy (Children's Ministry)

SERMON NOTES

ONLINE CONNECT CARD



If you worship with us, please **fill out an online Connect Card**. If you have problems filling out the online form, you may email the office with your family name, who participated in our service, and if you watched online or attended in person.

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)

Sundays at 5 pm - "This is the Bible" Class with David Vaughn (online only)

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm - 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

December 19, 2021

Susie and I would like to take this opportunity to wish each of you and your family a Merry Christmas. I wish our time allowed us to write each of you a personal note for Christmas but it just isn't possible. I love Christmas. I love spending time with family, the songs that fill the airwaves, the pleasantness of people this time of year, and most of all I love the fact that a lot of the world pauses to think about our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ! Whatever you and your family do this week, I hope it is a great blessing to each of you. Merry Christmas!

I am excited about our theme for 2022, "We Are The Body"! This will be a year-long look at the church, and begins with an introductory message and church brunch on Jan. 2! There is a sign up link that has been sent out in email and posted on our Facebook page. Be sure to let us know you are coming. It is going to be a great year and I ask that you be praying for our journey in 2022!

I am also excited about a new class I will begin teaching on January 9. This class is intended for young families, young marrieds, and young adults, and will be based on a book titled, "Forgotten God - Reversing Our Tragic Neglect Of The Holy Spirit." We will have copies of the book available on the 9th, and we will also be using some video to supplement our teaching and discussion. I want to personally challenge all of those in this age range to make this class a priority beginning on the 9th. It will be a great study as well as a great time to build relationships with each other. Be sure to see me if you have any questions. We plan to meet initially in room 143.

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PRAYER LIST

Hutchins Shepherding Group

Bethany Wood is recovering at home from surgery.

Peck Shepherding Group

Gary Brown will follow up with an Oncologist concerning his recent biopsy on his throat.

Schaffer Shepherding Group

Virginia Hard is recovering from knee surgery.

Neoma Youree is at Adams Place for rehab.

Ken Cothron is recovering from gallbladder surgery.

Smith Shepherding Group

Betty Davis is at Adams Place for rehab.

Judy Adamson, Jimmy & Sherry Young's sister-in-law, is now at home.

Continue To Remember

Bobbie Davis, Robert Stroop, Vickie Smith, Cheryl Sherrod, Dick Pruett, Roy Nance, Adam Kidwell, Carol Martinez, Peggy Mason, Bonnie Vance, Betty Cothron, Elaine Powers, Margaret Ryan, Jean Wilson, Gene Dixon, Judy Lee Green, & Daniel Doss.

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There will be a **New Year's Brunch** on Sunday, January 2, during the bible class hour, for the entire congregation. The **Wrye and Peck Shepherding groups are in charge of set-up**, and the **Lyles and Welker Shepherding groups are in charge of clean-up**. Use this QR code to sign up.



Address change: **Wendell & Betty Brown** - 2025 Herring Crossing, 37130.

Sunday PM Online Bible Study will not meet December 26 or January 2 due to the holidays. It resumes January 9.

There will be a **baby shower** given by friends of **Jordan & Rebecca Reynolds** (Adam & Beth Reynolds's son & daughter-in-law) at the home of Kelley Fox, Sunday, Jan. 30, from 1:30- 3:00 p.m.

WAYS TO SERVE

Kingwood will take a bus to **Disaster Relief** at 9 a.m. tomorrow.

Food Pantry Needs: Spam, canned beans (northern, black & pinto) chicken & tuna, strawberry jelly, toothpaste, & mayonnaise.

Kingwood will resume services at **Stones River Manor** beginning in January. We will be conducting services the fourth Sunday each month through October, with the exception of June (second Sunday). Services at the Manor now begin at 2 p.m. Due to ongoing Covid concerns, our worship group should be limited to three men who will conduct services.

January 23 - Smith

February 27 - Schaffer

March 27 - Hutchins

April 24 - Lyles

May 22 - Peck

June 12 - Welker

July 24 - Wrye

August 28 - Smith

September 25 - Schaffer

October 23 - Hutchins

Teachers are needed for 2022 for children's Bible classes for Sunday morning and Wednesday night. All material is prepped for you. Sign ups are listed by quarters for the year.

There will be **NO Children's Worship** December 19 and 26 due to Christmas break.

Serving at Kingwood

	Prayer	Communion	Security
Dec. 12	Kelvin Kennamer	Mark Lee	Pat Hughes
Dec. 19	Jason Lane	Pat Hughes	Brandon Miller
Dec. 26	TBD	TBD	TBD
Jan. 2	TBD	TBD	TBD

We are looking for two host homes for our Summer 2021 interns. The ideal host would be someone relatively close to Kingwood who has a spare bedroom with an attached or close bathroom. If you might be able to help out please let me (Brett) know.

Thank you to Brad and Melanie Gardner for hosting our KSM Christmas Party and devotional. We had a great turnout of students and parents who had a great time of food, fellowship, and fun. After dinner we had a great time doing a white elephant gift exchange followed by a time of worship. It was great to be able to be together and to be back inside someone's home as this is the first inside home devo since before Covid.

Thanks to all those who have participated in our Advent text messages. It has been a great time to focus on the love, joy, hope, and peace that Jesus coming to the world provides for us.



Week of December 12, 2021

A.M. Worship	350	Budget	\$21,710.00
Bible Class	246	Contribution	\$20,978.00
Online	47	Variance	-\$732.00
P.M.	80	Year-To-Date Variance	-\$21,886.27
Wednesday	94		

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You can pick up your family's **Christmas cards** in the main foyer. All cards not picked up will be discarded after Sunday, January 2nd.

Congratulations **Ken and Betty Cothron** who will celebrate their 69th wedding anniversary December 27.

Bible In One Year reading group: you are in the last few weeks of this journey! You can do it! Let us know when you are (almost) finished! Send an email to dvaughn@kingwoodcoc.org so we can ask you some questions about this experience as we plan for the future.

Adult Bible Classes: 2 new Sunday AM classes will be offered in January. One for young families/young marrieds/young adults, that will be taught by Jeff Brown. He will be teaching on the Holy Spirit using the book Forgotten God. The other class is targeted toward parents of teens/empty nesters. It will be facilitated by Matt Tiller with discussions on Finding Our Place in the Story of God. More details will be shared at the January 2 brunch during class time!