ELDERS

Doug Hutchins Richard Lyles David Peck **Bob Schaffer** Jeff Smith Alan Welker Mark Wrye

STAFF

Jeff Brown Preaching LifeLinks Outreach

David Vaughn Family Involvement

Brett VanZant Students

Melissa VanZant Children

Children's Associate King's Kids Director

Kelley Fox Administrative Assistant

Norman Kennedy Facility Technology

A Devoted Group Of Believers Acts 2:42-47

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What is the very first thing said, in scripture, about the early church once established on the day of Pentecost?

They were _____

This word means:

It also meant this was their _____.

OUESTION -Devoted to:

1. 2. 3.

4.

Koinonia:

This is why:

Amy Nelson

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.

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

THANKS FOR JOINING US AT KINGWOOD!

Sundays at 10:30 am - 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

January 16, 2022

Good morning and welcome to Kingwood. I hope that you have had a good week and that you are ready to worship as a family today. We were scheduled for a youth-led worship this morning, but we have moved this service to February since Brett is coming out of a case of Covid. We will communicate that date to you as soon as it is finalized. On another note, join me in prayer this week as a few of our men are in Honduras serving at Mission Lazarus. They will be working on the Mission Lazarus school which hopes to open in February, when school begins in Honduras. Pray for their safety as they are away from us, as well as their efforts to impact the people of southern Hondurgs. They will be home Saturday.

It seems everywhere I turn recently, someone I know is struggling with sickness and disease. Whether it is Covid, cancer, or other issues, I ask that you join me in prayer for those that you are familiar with that might be struggling physically. Our human struggles remind me that we are only temporary residents on planet earth. God did not create us with the intention to be here forever. He created us to serve Him, love one another, seek and save the lost, and then spend eternity with Him in a place where there is never going to be sickness, disease, immorality, or anything evil. I, for one, long for that place. While I want to serve while I am here, I know where our true citizenship lies and I long for this place Jesus is creating so that we won't have to experience all the pitfalls of this broken world in which we live. So why do I say this and remind you of this today? I say it too simply encourage you to keep on keeping on! God has a plan for us that is far better than what we experience here and we will, at some point, experience a life that is blessed beyond our imagination. In the meantime, keep loving and serving!

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PRAYER LIST

Hutchins Shepherding Group

Janis Eddy fell has a compression fracture in her 3rd vertebra. She goes back to her doctor in two weeks for a follow-up appointment.

Dick Pruett is on proton treatments that continue five days a week.

Lyles Shepherding Group

Elaine Powers has been discharged from Vanderbilt and is at a rehab facility in Spring Hill.

Christina Grajek is recovering from sinus surgery.

Peck Shepherding Group

Gary Brown will have outpatient surgery to remove cancer Wednesday, January 19, at St. Thomas West.

Ed Moore, Donnie Moore's father, has gone home from the hospital. He will have a follow up with his ENT to discuss needed treatment.

Schaffer Shepherding Group

Virginia Hard is recovering from knee surgery.

Welker Shepherding Group

Emmett Toombs had tests for breathing issues.

Faye Toombs is recovering from foot surgery.

Rick Henderson, Alan & Susan Welker's brotherin-law, had surgery to remove cancer that has recently returned. He is starting radiation now.

Continue To Remember

John Knox, Shirley Hood, Ray Bell, Betty Davis, Roy Nance, Ken & Betty Cothron, Neoma Youree, Judy Adamson, Bobbie Davis, Robert Stroop, Vickie Smith, Cheryl Sherrod, Adam Kidwell, Carol Martinez, Peggy Mason, Bonnie Vance, Margaret Ryan, Jean Wilson, Gene Dixon, Judy Lee Green, & Daniel Doss.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For confidentiality reasons, if you would like your **2021 Contribution Statement**, please email a request to the office, and we will email it to you.

Our love and sympathy are extended to **Marvin & Agnes Smith** on the passing of Marvin's brother, **Melvin Smith**. His funeral was Thursday in Woodbury. We also extend our love and sympathy to the Doss family on the recent passing of **Herman Doss**, brother to Daniel Doss, uncle to Greg and Kellie Doss. He passed away Tuesday in Boone, NC. A memorial service will be held in the spring in Roanoke, VA.

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There will be a **"Gift Card"** baby shower for Jordan & Rebecca Reynolds (Adam & Beth Reynolds's son & daughter-in-law) Due to doctor recommendation, Rebecca is unable to travel at this time. Please give gift cards to Kelley Fox or drop them in the blue lockbox outside of the office by Sunday, February 13. Gift card requests are Target, Amazon, & Wal-Mart.

Sunday PM Online Bible Study has resumed. You can participate on Facebook or YouTube at 5 p.m.

Read through the **New Testament in 2022** with a group using a one-chapter-per-weekday plan. Use the YouVersion app (email <u>dvaughn@kingwoodcoc.org</u> for group invitation) OR pick up a paper copy at the church Welcome Center.

WAYS TO SERVE

Today all funds above our weekly budget will go to **West Tennessee tornado relief**.

Inner City resumes busing this Thursday night, January 20. If you would like to participate as a snack provider, teacher, or teacher assistant, please see Jason Lane.

Doors of Hope for Monday, February 14, are Cindy Hughes (coordinator), Barbara Tolbert, Joyce Barnett, Lindsey Kennamer, & Deborah Pruett.

Food Pantry Needs: Spam, canned chicken, ravioli, boxed macaroni & cheese, and Hamburger Helper.

Carol Martinez needs people to sit with her at different times. If you can help, contact Aaron or Tracy Martinez.





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. January - March is filled but there are openings in the rest of the quarters of the year.

Family Game Night will be Sunday, January 23, at 5 p.m.. More details to come!

Calendars are out at the child check-in center for January-April. Be sure to pick one up if you haven't yet!

We still have some **Bible Buddies** left that need adopted! If you did not get one yet, come to the child check-in center to pick one out! I'm so excited to hear about how many kids are enjoying this program so far!

Serving at Kingwood				
January 16	January 23			
Scott Myers Ed Phillips				
Shane Reese Mark Polk				
Wayne Briley	Alan Welker			
Brad Gardner Chris Garner	Keith Stokes Lloyd Garner			
	January 16 Scott Myers Shane Reese Wayne Briley Brad Gardner			



Well, Covid stinks. Thankfully Melissa and I had mild cases and we are feeling much better now. Thank you for all the texts and prayers this week for our family as we battled through sickness. We are thankful for you!

Plans for our planned student ministry devo will be texted out tonight. With uncertainty of the weather, we will have to decide on the "for sure" plan after this is sent out or printed.

I am currently taking resumes for a male and female summer intern for our student ministry. If you know of any good candidates please pass along their contact information to me or have them email me their resume at kingwoodstudents@gmail.com.

If you have not gotten a spring (January-April) family calendar with events for our students and kids make sure to pick one up today! You can find extras in the teen room or at the child check-in counter. We have big plans for 2022 so make sure to get one of those calendars. If you have any questions about any of our events please let me or Melissa know!

Sign-ups are now active on the KSM website (kingwoodcoc.org/ksm) for Winterfest and our Spring Retreat.



Week of January 9, 2021

A.M. W	orship	302	Budget	\$21,555.00
Bible C	lass	219	Contribution	\$23,312.00
Online		90	Variance	\$1,757.00
P.M.		93	Year-To-Date Variance	\$21,800.00
Wedne	esday	N/C		