



**THIS WEEK AT KIMBALL**

**Sunday 11/19**

10:00 am One Worship Service  
11:15 am Thanks and Thanksgiving Lunch

**Monday 11/20**

6:30 pm Preschool Board Meeting

**Tuesday 11/21**

10:30 am Fall Bible Study

**Thursday 11/16**

Thanksgiving Day  
*Office Closed*

**Friday 11/17**

*Office Closed*

**Sunday 11/26**

8:30 am Contemporary Worship  
9:45 am Joe Gribble Sunday School  
9:45 am Christmas Program Music  
10:00 am Faith Formation  
11:00 am Traditional Worship  
12:15 pm Handbells

**\*YOUTH BOWLING OUTING** for today has been postponed to a later date - we will be in touch.

**FLOWERS**

The flowers today are given by Mike and Kathy Hunter to the Glory of God in honor of all members with November birthdays.

**WELCOME TO OUR ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY WE ARE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!**

Please note that Commitment Cards for 2024 will be brought down and placed in the baskets during Holy Communion. Extra cards are available from ushers this morning.

PLEASE REMEMBER that members making a written commitment for giving do an excellent job of fulfilling those commitments. We'd ask all our members/friends to consider making a commitment to Christ's Church in this place for 2024. Thank you for all you do for Kimball Memorial Lutheran Church



**PASTOR DELMER CHILTON IS OUR STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY GUEST TODAY**

We're so pleased to welcome the Rev. Dr. Delmer Chilton to our pulpit today as our Stewardship Preacher for 2023.

Delmer grew up on a farm near Mount Airy, North Carolina. He graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, completed his Master of Divinity degree at Duke University Divinity School, and did post-graduate work at our Southern Seminary in Columbia. Having previously served for five years as a United Methodist Minister, Delmer has pastored Lutheran congregations in North Carolina (including Lutheran Chapel in China Grove), Georgia, and Tennessee. He was the Chaplain and Continuing Education Director at the Hinton Rural Life Center in Hayesville, NC, and served as an Assistant to the Bishop in the Southeastern Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

Delmer has been married to Deborah since 1974. They have two sons, Lowell and Joseph. Since "Retirement," Delmer and Deborah are living in Brasstown, NC, near Murphy. He has served several interims for Lutheran, Episcopal and Presbyterian congregations in the area. We rejoice to have him with us this year as our Stewardship preacher!

**ANGEL TREE**



We are excited to post our 2023 Angel Tree! You may sign up as you have in past years using Sign Up Genius. If you would like to sponsor an angel, but do not have the ability to shop for an angel, we have some volunteers who will shop for you.

Thank you for supporting our Angel Tree and making their Christmas Season special. You can select an angel by scanning the QR code below, going to our church website: <https://kimballchurch.org/events>, or by calling the church office.

Please note that the deadline to receive gifts is November 30th. Thank you!



# WEEKLY PRAYER CONCERNS

*All names will remain on the prayer list for only 2 weeks, unless resubmitted.*

## KIMBALL MEMBERS

Sylvia Anderson  
 Jerry Beam  
 Becky Brantley  
 Brad Brothers  
 Sharon and Doug Brothers  
 Brenda Brown  
 Mabel Brown  
 Buttner Family  
 Florence Calandra  
 Jean Davis  
 Mary Dorton  
 Lisa and Eddie Dunlow  
 Teresa Erwin  
 Caleb Falls  
 Ava Farris  
 Shelly Farris  
 Judy Ferguson  
 Liz Fisher  
 Fran and Keith Garver  
 Todd Haley  
 Judi and Bob Hill  
 Teresa Erwin  
 Tim and Huyla Jackson  
 David and Diana Keck, Sr.  
 Eric and Jenny Jones  
 Steve Lynch  
 Ed MacTaggart  
 Dianne Marlin  
 Margaret McCombs  
 Taylor and Kaylee Murph  
 Hunter and Holden Patterson  
 John Patterson  
 Marty and Perriann Payne  
 John Pendleton  
 Louise Propst  
 Andy, Lisa, Grace, and Blake  
 Robinson  
 Joe Saullo  
 Juanene Savage  
 Kathy and Cliff Scott  
 Betty Shaver  
 Roger Sizemore  
 Conrad Sloop  
 Earlene Snipes  
 Mary Jo Snipes  
 Gaye St. John  
 Sarah Teumer  
 Randy Triece  
 John Troutman

## FAMILY & FRIENDS

Abernathy Family  
 Fay Absher  
 Rajeem Baptist  
 Richard and Peggy Barlowe  
 Family of Ophelia Beam  
 Mable Beaver  
 Hans and John Bengston  
 DeBerry and Judy Blackwelder  
 Dennis Blackwelder  
 MaryAnn and Tim Brinker  
 Tommy Brown  
 Janet Bryant  
 Family of Jacob Cole  
 Tim Cox  
 Louise Current  
 Sharon Dasniewski  
 Will Fesperman  
 Brandt Goodnight and Family  
 Tommy Graves  
 Judy Harmon  
 Jeff Hearn  
 Family of Betty Ingram  
 Family of Beth Jennings  
 Theresa and Joe Judge  
 Will Kiefer  
 Phyllis Lee  
 McCombs Family  
 Jim Measmer  
 Pam North  
 Paul Parker  
 Darin and Craig Peay  
 Denise Pegram  
 Nancy Quinn  
 Gary Ritchie  
 Gerri Ruane  
 Jerry Sellers  
 David Shippel  
 Ben Snipes  
 Madison Snipes  
 Pete Stone  
 Natale Valdez  
 Brenda Watts  
 Keith and Lisa Wetjen  
 Buck and Judy Wingler  
 Joann and Albert Wingler  
 Barbara Wise

## MILITARY

- Rajeem Baptist (Washington)
- Robert Busted, Jr. (Virginia)
- Christopher Bame (California)
- Dustin Gatz (Serbia)
- Ben Kirchner (Georgia)
- Chris Kirchner (Missouri)
- Keith Lee (NC)
- Preston Mays (Maryland)
- Mike Peterson (Virginia)
- Chris Overcash (NC)
- Andrew Smith (Arizona)

### PRAYERS-SPECIAL NEEDS

If you know of a member of the congregation who is hospitalized, sick, or has special needs, contact:  
 Church Office @ 704-933-4101  
 Pastor John Futterer @ 704-699-2547  
 Deacon Liz Fisher @ 704-713-1758.

### HOSPITALIZED

**Pastor Joe Tallent** - Atrium, Cabarrus  
 (Dismissed)

### GIFT CARDS

Gift Cards are needed for Samaritan's Table to hand out during the Christmas Season. Preferably in the amount of \$10. You may bring these gift cards by the Church Office during regular business hours, or give them to an usher at a Sunday morning worship service.

THANK YOU for your generosity in this endeavor, which will help to make the Season brighter for our Samaritan Table guests.

### FLOWER CALENDAR

THE FLOWER CALENDAR FOR 2024 now is up in the narthex for your use. Please use this chart to reserve flowers on Sundays during the upcoming year. Thank you!

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

November 19, 2023

### LECTOR

10:00 am Keith Sutton

### WORSHIP ASSISTANT

10:00 am Pastor Joe Tallent

### ACOLYTE

10:00 am Riley Dodson

### COUNCIL ASSISTANTS

10:00 am Heidi Lee / Kim Kane

### COMMUNION PREPARERS

10:00 am Tony Lippard / Jerrod Smith

### HEALING PRAYER MINISTER

10:00 am Sherri Matheny

### GREETER

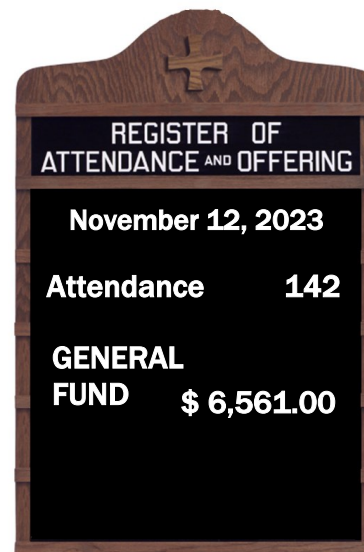
10:00 am Tom Ramseur

### PROJECTION/SOUND

10:00 am Mickey Brandle / Milton Matheny

### TELLERS

Judy Sloan / Frankie Bogutsky



## FALL BIBLE STUDY

The Fall Bible study continues on Tuesday, November 21st and 28th at 10:30 am. The Bible study is on the Gospel of St. Mark (our Gospel for the upcoming Church Year.) Classes will be held in our sanctuary and will be live streamed and posted to our website later that day. This Bible study is based on the book *A Guide to the Good News of St. Mark*, by Amy-Jill Levine. We hope you can join us!

## CHRISTMAS CANTATA

Mark your calendars for Sunday evening, December 10th at 6:00 PM, for a special Christmas Cantata at Kimball Memorial entitled, "Emmanuel, God With Us". This wonderful performance will feature the choirs of Kimball Memorial and First Presbyterian churches, along with guests from the Piedmont Choral Society. Watch for more information in the December Newsletter, and do plan to join us.



## ELECTRONIC GIVING OPTIONS

Kimball provides a number of different options for our congregation to electronically present their offerings to the church.

**BILL PAY** – Most banks today offer a bill payment service with recurring feature. Individuals can set up their offering as a bill, and a check will be issued from that account and mailed to Kimball. The frequency of the check issuance and the amount of the check is determined by the individual and is easily changed.

**TITHE.LY (through kimballchurch.org)** – By going to our church website, individuals can present offerings through an electronic service provided by Tithe.ly. The offerings can be set up as a one-time event or as recurring. There is a charge for this service and the individual has the option of paying the charge, or the amount will be deducted from the offering when sent to Kimball. Electronic offerings set up by our previous provider, Vanco, will remain in place and the change to Tithe.ly will have no impact on these items. If you would like any more information about any of these options, or assistance in getting one of the options set up, please contact any member of the finance team, or the church office.

## BLESSING BOX NEEDS

### ITEMS WE ARE IN DESPERATE NEED OF:

- Ramen Noodles/Instant Noodle cups and packs
- Assorted single serve chips/Cheetos/Doritos
- Single serve/small jars of peanut butter
- Ketchup packets or small bottles of ketchup
- Combs/Brushes

### RUNNING LOW:

- Applesauce
- Feminine products (Tampons)
- Plastic forks/spoons
- Fruit Cups
- Bars of Soap

### WE HAVE AN ABUNDANCE OF:

- Oatmeal
- Potted Meat/Vienna Sausages
- Nutri-Grain bars
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste

Thanks!

*Kara Hardister / Kathy Hunter*

*Please place your items in the old Joe Gribble Sunday School Classroom on the first floor of the educational building.*



## FOOD PANTRY CRITICAL NEEDS

- Canned chicken
- Macaroni & cheese, pasta (other than spaghetti), rice
- Other canned meats (hash, chili, vienna sausages, etc.)
- Canned peas, carrots, potatoes, and mixed vegetables
- Pasta sauce, peanut butter, cereal, soup, and shelf stable milk
- Any kind of canned beans (baked, chili, kidney, etc.) except pintos
- Any canned fruit (mixed, pears, pineapple, etc.)
- Toilet paper and paper towels

As always, they especially seek low sodium, no sugar-added, and whole grain items.

*Please place your items in the containers on the ramp. Thank you!*

## STEWARDSHIP BANNER

**OUR THANKS TO NANCY DEMENY** for the beautiful banner with our 2024 Stewardship Theme and Logo - "Lasting Legacy - Gifts that change Lives."



## CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The youth and families of Kimball would like to invite you to our Christmas Program on Sunday December 17th at 10:00 am. Thanks to Darla Steinert who is working with our children. We hope you can join us!

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