



KIMBALL'S TAKE-HOME NEWS

November 16, 2025



TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The end is near. There is no doubt about it. The warnings are dire. The tone of today's texts is ominous. But the baptized know how to live in the meantime. The baptized are strengthened for the living of these days in word and sacrament. The baptized rally around the invitation of the apostle: "Do not be weary in doing what is right."



THANKS AND THANKSGIVING SUNDAY

We will welcome Pastor Tim Canniff-Kuhn to our ONE service of Worship on November 23 at 10:00 am. We know Pastor Tim will bring us a powerful message of Hope, Promise, and Grace for our Stewardship Sunday.

Letters, a copy of our proposed 2026 Budget, and Commitment cards have been mailed out to members and friends for your use next Sunday. We hope that you'll plan to participate in the service - if you cannot be here, Commitment Cards may be mailed to the Church or brought to the Church Office during regular business hours.

If you have not received your letter by Tuesday, November 18th, please contact us and we will make sure that you have one before Sunday, the 23rd. Thank you in advance for your participation this year!

THIS WEEK AT KIMBALL

Sunday November 16

8:30 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Christmas Program Rehearsal
10:00 am Adult/ HS/MS Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
12:15 pm Handbells

Tuesday November 18

10:00 am Coltrane Life Center Bingo

Wednesday November 19

10:00 am Bible Study
6:30 pm Contemporary Ensemble
7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday November 20

3:00 - 6:00 pm Mobile Vet Clinic (Cats)
5:00 pm Samaritan's Table
7:00 pm Church Council

Friday November 21

12:00 - 5:00 pm Mobile Vet Clinic

Saturday November 22

10:00 am - 2:00 pm Mobile Vet Clinic

Sunday November 23

9:00 am Youth arrive to help
10:00 am Combined Worship
11:15 am Thanks & Thanksgiving Lunch

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

The flowers at the altar today are given to the Glory of God by the Troutman family.

Looking Ahead

Nov. 23 Thanks & Thanksgiving (10:00 am Worship)
Thanks & Thanksgiving Lunch (11:15 am)

Nov. 30 1st Sunday in Advent (10:00 am Worship)
Congregational Meeting (10:00 am)

Dec. 14 Congregational Meeting between services

WEEKLY PRAYER CONCERNS

Family and Friends names will remain on the prayer list for only 2 weeks, unless resubmitted.

KIMBALL MEMBERS

Bonnie and Lonny Adair
 Sylvia Anderson
 Susan Bame
 Jerry and Pat Beam
 Sherri Bennett
 Howard and Diana Bentley
 Silvia Binnon
 Mickey and Paula Brandle
 Allen Brantley
 Brad Brothers
 Sharon and Doug Brothers
 Florence Calandra
 Bretta Dodson
 Lisa and Eddie Dunlow
 Betsy Ellington-Boynton
 Teresa Erwin
 Shelly and Ava Farris
 Liz Fisher
 Sudie Foil
 Pastor John and Anne Futterer
 Fran and Keith Garver
 John Glass
 Todd Haley
 Kara and Ryan Hardister
 Susan and Jim Harris
 Rose Hartman
 Prebble Henrickson
 Kathy and Mike Hunter
 Jackson Family
 Sherry Johnson
 Eric and Jenny Jones
 Diana Keck
 Wilma Keller
 Sarah and Skylar Kempf
 Steve and Peggy Lynch
 Ed MacTaggart
 Grace Marcus
 Dianne Marlin
 Sherri Matheny
 Margaret McCombs
 Andrea, Wayne, Colby, Gus Miller
 Heather and Charlie Miller
 Pat Moser
 Betty Ritchie
 Lisa Robinson
 Kip Russell
 Juanene Savage
 Kathy Scott
 Betty Shaver
 Roger Sizemore
 David Sloan and Family
 Mary Jo Snipes and Family
 Jean Tatarka
 David and Donna Taylor
 Debbie Troutman

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Family of Gauge Adams
 Doug Angel
 Beverly Austin
 Teresa Beaver
 Hans and Jon Bengstrom
 Mildred Black
 Zachary Blackwelder
 Lee Borba
 Debbie Bost
 Tommy Brown
 Wayne Cannon and Family
 Cindy Casey
 Marilyn Clayton
 Laura Davis
 Elvin Demarcus
 Gary Dennison
 Doug Drye
 Gene and Jackie Ellington
 Melva Feggins
 Will Fesperman
 Vance Fishback
 Kaitlyn Freeman and Family
 Jimmy and Wanda Garmon-Price
 Sue Gill
 Frida Gomez
 Tommy Graves
 Patty Gurka
 Garnette / Julie Hagy
 Tracey Hall
 Christina Hallmark
 Sylvia Harrington
 Jeff Hearn
 Zachary Hill
 Adam Hipp
 Derek and Liz Hooper
 Gale Kelly and Family
 Scott Kerr Family
 Cynthia Kinard
 Joe Lambert
 Phyllis Lee
 Suzanne and Charlie Lent
 Roz Lloyd
 Becca and Chris Loflin
 Karen Sloan Miller
 Paul Parker
 Denise Pegrarn
 Celeste and Doug Pierce
 Carter Quinn and Family
 Mishelle Rayfield
 Gary Ritchie
 Jay and Gina Schwenke
 Marsha and Allen Scott
 Jerry Sellers
 Jeff and Janet Stancil
 Tallie Stancil
 Sarah Stewart and Kingston
 Family of Tom Smith, Sr.
 Gary Stuart
 Robin Suggs

FAMILY AND FRIENDS...cont

Noel Terrill
 Trinity Turgeon
 Lisa Turner and Family
 Nick Wagner
 Joann and Albert Wingler
 Jody and Buck Wingler
 Christine Wyman

MILITARY

- Rajeem Baptist (Washington)
- Robert Busteed, Jr. (Virginia)
- Christopher Bame (Georgia)
- Sinatra Dreisbach (Nevada)
- Mason Hott (Georgia)
- Ben Kirchner (Georgia)
- Chris Kirchner (Missouri)
- Martin Luciano (North Carolina)
- Preston Mays (Maryland)
- Chris Overcash (North Carolina)
- 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.

HOSPITAL REPORT

None

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

CAREMOOR Aileen Tiece
MORNINGSIDE Betty Shaver
AVANTE OF CONCORD Dianne Marlin

Thanks to the Joe Gribble Sunday School class for collecting 112 lbs of food for CCM. Great job!

SUNDAY MINISTERS

	8:30	11:00	10:00
	16-Nov	16-Nov	23-Nov
Lectors	Rob Roginski	Hannah Wiethorn	Laura Pennell
Worship Assistants	Sarah Harmon	Anne Futterer	Jodie Hott
Acolytes	TJ Black	Harmony Gregory	Alyssa Nichols
Communion Helper	TBD	Aubrey Gregory	Tyler Nichols
Sound	Jack Smith	Gavin Carpenter	Rick Teumer
Projection	Nathan Carpenter	Von Blocker	Nathan Carpenter
Greeters	Jenny Jones / Todd Haley	Ben & Whitney Hesley	Jenny Jones / Todd Haley
Council Assistants	Scott Harmon/Melissa Little	Sally Peterson/Hannah Wiethorn	Scott Harmon/Melissa Little
Healing Prayer	Peggy Lynch	Lindsay Daugherty	Peggy Lynch
Communion Prep	Susan & Jim Harris	Kara & Ryan Hardister	Susan & Jim Harris/Kara & Ryan Hardister
Tellers	Bob Boynton & Betsy Ellington-Boynton		
Slide Prep	Kim Kane		

ELECTRONIC GIVING OPTIONS

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.

TITHE.LY (through kimballchurch.org) – By going to our church website or using *Scan to Give cards* (found in pew racks,) 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. 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.

ATTENDANCE / OFFERING—Nov. 9, 2025

In-Person	170
Online	80
Total Attendance	250
General Fund Offering	\$7,105

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Nov 16 Fran Garver
Nathan Murph

Nov 17 Donna Lambert
Joe Tallent

Nov 18 Alice Lloyd

Nov 20 Kathy Scott
Tim Wheatley

Nov 22 Nevina Christy
Kathy Hunter

HOUSEKEEPING HINTS

Like any home, Kimball is home to so many and we need to all pitch in to take good care of God's house. Just a couple of items from the Property Committee:



- Please turn off any and all lights when you leave a room. This saves on our electric bill.
- If a toilet continues to run after flushing, please jiggle the handle!! And let someone know if it continues!
- The live plants indoors are loved and cared for so please do NOT water or move them from their locations.

Thank you for your help in keeping Kimball the beautiful facility that it is!!

CCM FOOD DRIVE

Due to the recent government shutdown, we will extend our CCM Food Drive. Please bring your items and place in the designated spot on the ramp.

1. Canned chicken
2. Canned carrots and green beans
3. Canned baked Beans, black beans, black-eyed peas
4. Mac n cheese, tomato soup

BLESSING BOX NEEDS

Current items needed. We need your help! Donations to purchase items for the Blessing Box are also welcome and appreciated.

- Canned Chicken and Tuna
- Canned Beans and Vegetables
- Fruit Cups
- Pudding Cups
- Water / Shelf-stable Milk
- Oatmeal
- Canned Spaghetti sauce



Our Children's Christmas pageant will be on December 21st at 5:00 pm and all are welcome! Hear Santa tell the story of the very first Christmas.

Children of all ages are needed to participate. Practices will be during Faith Formation on the following Sundays: Nov. 16, Dec. 7, 14.



AGAIN THIS YEAR Kimball Memorial will be hosting an "Angel Tree" for students at Carver Elementary School. We are waiting for names to be given to us for the 2025 Holiday Season. As soon as we receive those names, we will notify the congregation and they will be posted on our website, with information on returning the gifts for delivery to Carver. We appreciate all our members/friends who participate in this annual Christmas celebration, which allows us to help make the Holiday Season brighter for some of our community's children. This year, Kimball Memorial will be sponsoring 45 Angels - thank you for your support of this wonderful program.



THANKS & THANKSGIVING

We hope that you have signed up for the Thanks and Thanksgiving Meal for next Sunday, following our 10:00 Worship Service. The meal is a traditional Thanksgiving feast with all the trimmings - and will be served by our children and youth. Please join us! There are inserts in the bulletin for members/friends to sign up for the Thanks and Thanksgiving Meal, as a part of our Stewardship Celebration. Pastor Tim Caniff-Kuhn is our guest preacher, and the delicious meal to follow is our biggest fundraiser of the year for our Youth/Children programs here at Kimball. Sign ups are also available on our website.

PARENTS OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH are reminded that we need your help for the upcoming meal next Sunday. A SignUpGenius link has been sent to all parents of children and youth...**THANK YOU** for your willingness to help!

ONE
November 23 & 30
10:00 am
Worship

KIMBALL STAFF

Rev. John Futterer, Senior Pastor
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Deacon Liz Fisher, Minister of Word and Service
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Keith Sutton, Parish Administrator
churchoffice@kimballchurch.org

Howard Bentley, Treasurer
treasurer@kimballchurch.org

Brian Sevison, Music Director
(Chancel Choir / Handbells) and Accompanist
bssevison@gmail.com

Rev. Dr. David Keck, Pastor Emeritus