

# KIMBALL'S TAKE-HOME NEWS April 13, 2025

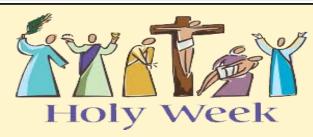




#### PALM SUNDAY

Today we follow Christ from triumphal entry to the cross, each waypoint of the journey marked by Jesus' compassion for those who would betray, mock, accuse,

or do violence to him. Though persecuted and beaten, Jesus the Son of God is not disgraced; instead, he asks forgiveness for those who put him to death. We have walked the Lenten pathway these forty days, each of us invited through baptism to "let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus." We enter this holy week accompanying Jesus to the cross with both grief and thanksgiving in our hearts, trusting in God's redeeming love.



Please mark your calendars for Holy Week and Easter Services at Kimball Memorial.

4/16 Holy Wednesday service will be a service of Corporate Confession at 6:30 pm

**4/17 Maundy Thursday** 6:30 pm **4/18 Good Friday** 6:30 pm

### THIS WEEK AT KIMBALL

# Sunday Apr. 13

8:30a Contemporary Worship

10:00a Faith Formation

10:00a Adult/ HS/MS Sun Schl

11:00a Traditional Worship

12:30p Easter Egg Hunt

# Tuesday Apr. 15

10:00 am Coltrane Life Center Bingo

# Wednesday Apr. 16

10:00 am Bible Study

6:30 pm Holy Wednesday Corporate Confession

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

### Thursday Apr. 17

5:00 pm Samaritan's Table

6:30 pm Maundy Thursday Worship

# Friday Apr. 18

6:30 pm Good Friday Worship

### Sunday Apr. 20

7:00 am Easter Sunrise Worship

8:00 am Easter Breakfast

9:00 am Festival Easter Worship

## **ALTAR FLOWERS**

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God and remembering what would have been the 60th wedding anniversary of Bob and Judi Hill on April 11.





Easter Sunday April 20

- Sunrise Service at 7:00 am
- Easter Breakfast at 8:00 am
- Festival Easter Service at 9:00 am

# WEEKLY PRAYER CONCERNS

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

# KIMBALL MEMBERS

Sylvia Anderson

Robin Ballard

Jerry and Pat Beam

Sherri Bennett

Howard / Diana Bentley

Silvia Binnon

Mary Lee Blackwelder

Allen Brantley

Brad Brothers

Sharon and Doug Brothers

Frankie Bogutsky

Florence Calandra

Mary Dorton

Lisa and Eddie Dunlow

Betsy Ellington-Boynton

Teresa Erwin

Sam & Jane Falls

Shelly and Ava Farris

Liz Fisher

Sudie Foil

Pastor John and Anne Futterer

Fran and Keith Garver

John Glass

**Todd Haley** 

Sarah Harmon

Susan and Jim Harris

Prebble Henrickson

Kathy and Mike Hunter

Sherry Johnson

Eric and Jenny Jones

Pr. David & Diana Keck

**Tony Lippard** 

Steve and Peggy Lynch

Ed MacTaggart

Dianne Marlin

Margaret McCombs

Pat Moser

Family of Marty Payne

Louise Propst

**Betty Ritchie** 

Blake Robinson

Lisa Robinson

Kip Russell

Juanene Savage

Kathy and Cliff Scott

**Betty Shaver** 

Roger Sizemore

David Sloan and Family

Mary Jo Snipes and Family

Gaye St. John

Randy Tallent

Jean Tatarka

David and Donna Taylor

Sarah Teumer

# **FAMILY & FRIENDS**

Amanda & Lucy

Teresa Beaver

Hans & John Bengstrom

Mildred Black

Dennis Blackwelder

Debbie Bost

Joe Bracev

Mike Brown

Wayne & Cassie Cannon

Gary Dennison

Doug Drye

**Duplisea Family** 

Tony & Lauren Evans

Lisa Farmsworth

Melva Feggins

Will Fesperman

John & Melody Fisher

**Deb Fleming** 

Erika Fleming

Shirley Grass Family

Tommy Graves

Patty Gurka

Jeff Hearn

Sarah Henderson

Hunter & Becca Jackson

Cynthia / Melva Kinard

Wilma Kiser

Phyllis Lee

**Bethany Mocus** 

Billy Morgan

Paul Parker

William Pressley

Carter Quinn and Family

Gary Ritchie

Lisa Robinson (Andy's Sister)

Megan Ross

Alan & Marsha Scott

**Travis Scott** 

**Gary Sellers** 

Jerry Sellers

Teresa Smith

Brian, Kim, & Madison Snipes

Jane Spainhour

Janet Stancil

Tallie Stancil

Gary Stuart

Nick Wagner

**Buck & Jodie Wingler** 

Joann & Albert Wingler

# **MILITARY**

- Rajeem Baptist (Washington)
- Robert Busteed, Jr. (Virginia)
- Christopher Bame (California)
- Sinatra Dreisbach (Texas)
- Mason Hott (Texas)
- Ben Kirchner (Georgia)
- Chris Kirchner (Missouri)
- Preston Mavs (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

**Betsy Ellington-Boynton** - Atrium, Mercy, Charlotte (*discharged*)

**Sydney Bradford** - Baptist, Winston Salem (*discharged*)

**Doug Brothers** - Atrium Cabarrus (*discharged*)

**Sarah Harmon** - Novant Rowan (*discharged*)

# **GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

A grief support group will meet every other week at 6:00 pm on Thursday at West Loop Local and follow an openformat discussion using reflection questions. Anyone is welcome to attend. Contact Hannah Wiethorn at 704-301-0605 in advance so she can prepare your materials.

### **WELCA SCHOLARSHIPS**

Any young women of our congregation, who choose to further their post-high school education are invited to apply. Applicants must submit the completed application to Kimball WELCA by May 1st. An application may be picked up in the church office.

SUNDAY WIINISTERS					
	8:30	7:00	11:00	9:00	
	13-Apr	20-Apr	13-Apr	20-Apr	
Lectors	Todd Haley	Diana Bentley	Michele Nichols	Jerrod Smith	
Worship Assistants	Darian Miller	Mary Lee Blackwelder	Ben Hesley	Sally Peterson	
Acolytes		Colby Miller	Skyla Hardister	Liza Jane Lee	
Greeters	Frankie Bogutsky / Tammy Stearns		Tim & Huyla Jackson		
Council Assistants	Rick Teumer / David Sloan		Tom Ramseur / Hannah Wiethorn		
Healing Prayer	Debbie Troutman		Joyce Mallernee		
Communion Prep	Judy & David Sloan		Lindsay Daugherty		
Tellers	Steve & Peggy Lynch				
Slide Prep	Amy Black				

SHADAY MINISTEDS

# **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.

Scan to Give →



ATTENDANCE / OFFERING—APR. 6, 2025			
In-Person	160		
Online	76		
Total Attendance	236		
General Fund Offering	\$14,719		

**OFFERING:** The Offering Plates are located in the narthex, at the entrance to the sanctuary for your convenience. Or you may give online. Thank you!

### **GENERAL FUND CONTRIBUTIONS**

We are so grateful for your gifts to our Lutheridge Appeal, which is beginning very strong. To date, we have remitted \$21,794 to Lutheridge. We do want to remind our members and friends as Summer approaches, to please remember that many gifts are given to the church for appeals, youth expenses, special gifts, etc.

But your gifts to our General Fund - which 'keep our lights on!' - are so very important. Thank you for all the ways you care...including the way your care for this congregation in our day to day ministries.

# **BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**

Apr 15 Zander Nichols

**Apr 16** Tyler Wiethorn

Apr 17 Ryan Keith

Apr 18 Eddie Dunlow

Carter Myrick

OUR PRAYERS AND BEST WISHES are with Anna Overcash Lamberth and Josh Lamberth at the April 7th birth of Jett Franklin Lamberth (8 lbs, 3oz; 19.5 inches). Miller Blaine is the proud big brother, and Kimball Memorial Members Frankie and Kelli Overcash are equally proud grandparents. We rejoice with this family at this happy occasion!

# **BLESSING BOX NEEDS**

A list of our most-needed items is available below, but we welcome any contributions you can offer. Donations to purchase items for the Blessing Box are also welcome and appreciated.

- Bottled Water
- Canned Food: Veggies, Fruit, Beans, Tuna, Soups
- Rice Krispie Treats
- Shelf Stable Milk
- Small cans of spaghetti sauce
- Pasta noodles
- Individual bags of chips, pretzels, Cheetos, Doritos, Cheez-it's, etc.
- Lance Crackers
- Macaroni and Cheese Cups
- Cereal
- Soap / Deodorant / Lotion
- Diapers / Feminine products
- Blankets, Jackets, Cardigans



21st Presentation of

# THE LAST SUPPER

A Tradition Since 1961

Sunday, April 13 at 7:30p.m.

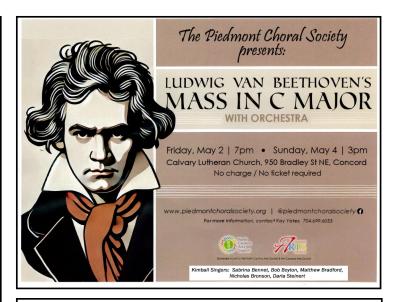


Leonardo da Vinci's painting springs to life at Jesus' words:

"One of you will betray me..."

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Celebrate Holy Week with us! Worship on Sundays at 11a.m.





J.O.Y. Group

FORT DOBBS OUTING Thursday, April 24 10:00 am

Join us for a day of history and fellowship as we tour Fort Dobbs and enjoy a picnic lunch.

- Tours available every 45 minutes.
- Cost: \$1 (Seniors/Military), \$2 (Adults)

Bring a chair or blanket; picnic shelter available. Sign-up sheets are in the Commons and Narthex. Lunch details coming soon!



# KIMBALL STAFF

Rev. John Futterer, Senior Pastor pastor@kimballchurch.org

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Keith Sutton, Parish Administrator churchoffice@kimballchurch.org

Howard Bentley, *Treasurer* treasurer@kimballchurch.org

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