



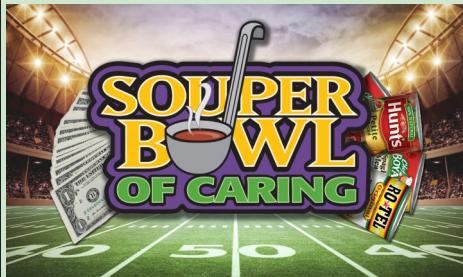
KIMBALL'S TAKE-HOME NEWS

February 1, 2026



FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Who are the blessed ones of God? For Micah, they are those who do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with God. For Paul, they are the ones who find wisdom in the weakness of the cross. For Jesus, they are the poor, the meek, the merciful, the pure in heart, the peacemakers, those who mourn, and those who hunger for righteousness. In baptism we find our blessed identity and calling in this countercultural way of living and serving.



SOUPER BOWL OF CARING Sunday, February 8th

Our SOUPER Bowl of Caring for CCM is upcoming on Sunday, February 8th - Super Bowl Sunday. Your cans of soup - and other items including canned fruit, canned vegetables, canned beans, and canned meat...will be most appreciated. Please bring these items to church on February 8th for inclusion in this winter food drive. Thank you!

KINGDOM KIDS • LENTEN KITS and LUNCH
Sunday Feb. 15th @ 12:15 pm Join our Kingdom Kids and 3-5th graders in the fellowship hall for Lunch and putting together Lenten kits for our 40 day Lenten journey. We hope you can join us.

THIS WEEK AT KIMBALL

Sunday February 1

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

Wednesday February 4

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

Thursday February 5

5:00 pm Samaritan's Table—Peterson

Sunday February 8-Souper Bowl Sunday

8:30 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Faith Formation
10:00 am Adult/ HS/MS Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
12:15 pm Confirmation at First Albemarle



BOWLING

OUR HS/MS YOUTH BOWLING OUTING at Foxfire Lanes has been moved to Sunday, February 22nd. Time is still 1:00 - 3:00, and the cost remains \$10, for two games and bowling shoes. We hope you'll join us.



JOY GROUP VALENTINE'S LUNCH

Thursday Feb 19th in the church commons. We would LOVE for you to join us if you are available on Thursday Feb 19th at 11:30 am We will have sandwiches and salads. Please sign up on the board and sign up to bring a dish to share.

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
Robin Ballard
Allen Brantley
Brad Brothers
Sharon and Doug Brothers
Florence Calandra
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, Ryan, Luna, Skyla Hardister
Susan and Jim Harris
Prebble Henrickson
Kathy and Mike Hunter
Jackson Family
Sherry Johnson
Eric and Jenny Jones
Sarah and Skylar Kempf
Steve and Peggy Lynch
Ed MacTaggart
Grace Marcus
Dianne Marlin
Margaret McCombs
Andrea, Wayne, Colby, Gus Miller
Heather and Charlie Miller
Pat Moser
Kathryn Murph
Murph Family
Betty Ritchie
Lisa Robinson
Kip Russell
Diana Saullo
Juanene Savage
Kathy Scott
Betty Shaver
Roger Sizemore
David Sloan and Family
Mary Jo Snipes and Family
Jean Tatarka
David and Donna Taylor
Rick, Doris, & Sarah Teumer
Debbie Troutman
Betty Walker
Gary Yount

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Michelle Adkins
Kelly Alexander
Doug Angel
Rose Barkowski
Teresa Beaver
Hans and Jon Bengstrom
Mildred Black
Lee Borba
Debbie Bost
Lea Ann Buckwell
AR Campbell
Kevin & Emma Clamser
Tim Cox
Joyce Current
Louise Current
Fred Davis
Laura Davis
Brian Daughtry
Doug Drye
Hamp Dulin
Lisa Duplisea
Gene and Jackie Ellington
Billy Erwin
Anthony Fea
Melva Feggins
Will Fesperman
Kaitlyn Freeman & Family
Francis Gaither
Sue Gill
Frida Gomez
John & Becky Graham
Tommy Graves
Patty Gurka
Judy Harmon
Sylvia Harrington
Jeff Hearn
Madison & Cameron Hicks
Lynne House
Della Kate Hunter
Lydia & Bill Ingram
Gale Kelly & Family
Cynthia Kinard
Dick Kuklenz
Phyllis Lee
Roz Lloyd
Aurora Luna
Karen Sloan Miller
Kris Montgomery
Carol & Bob Muller
Mim Nellermoe & Family
Jason Overcash
Paul Parker
Denise Pegram
Celeste and Doug Pierce
John Poston
Carter Quinn and Family
Gary Ritchie & Family
Lisa Robinson (sister of Andy)
Travis Scott
Family of Bill Sechler

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Jerry Sellers
Helen Sides
Kay Smith
Kaye Snipes
Jeff and Janet Stancil
Tallie Stancil
Nikki Stapleton
Robin Suggs
Cathryn Taulbee & Family
Sarah & Austin Tinker
Trinity Turgeon
Nick Wagner
Pat Wagner
Sue Williams
Joanne & Albert Wingler
Rachel & Chuck Zaiony

HOSPITAL REPORT

Mike Hunter—Atrium, Cabarrus

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)



FAITH FORMATION VOLUNTEERS

Faith Formation starts back on **January 25**.

Help pass along your faith to the children of Kimball Memorial Lutheran Church. We are working on signups for volunteers for 2026. Scan this QR code to help. It will not only be a blessing for our children but for you as well! Sign Up Now!



SUNDAY MINISTERS

	8:30		11:00			
	01-Feb	08-Feb	01-Feb	08-Feb		
Lectors	Fran Patterson	Rog Roginski	Sally Peterson	Tony Lippard		
Worship Assistants	Liz Fisher	Tim Patterson	Liz Fisher	Ben Hesley		
Acolytes	Delaney Little	Lucy & Charlie Miller	Needed	Maydin Kohlmeier		
Communion Helper	TBD	TBD	Rory Hesley	Austin Ketchie		
Sound	Nathan Carpenter	Nathan Carpenter	Gavin Carpenter	Gavin Carpenter		
Projection	Patrick Little	Addi Carpenter	Leam Neely	Colby Miller		
Greeters	Paula & Mickey Brandle		Ben & Whitney Hesley			
Council Assistants	Rick Teumer/ Emily Clamser		Sally Peterson / Sydney Bradford			
Healing Prayer	Sydney Bradford		Lindsay Daugherty			
Communion Prep	Jim & Susan Harris		Sydney Bradford / Joan Croote			
Tellers	Jim & Susan Harris					
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—FEBRUARY 25

In Person	0
Online	252
Total	252
General Fund Offering	\$5,744

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Feb. 01	Jeff Matson
Feb. 02	Reagan Cauthen
Feb. 03	Robin Ballard
	Chris Overcash
	Pat Tallent
Feb. 04	Randy Snipes
Feb. 05	Silvia Binnon
	Franklin Myrick
	Rosalea Myrick
Feb. 06	William Sloop
Feb. 07	Lou Barlow
	Heather Miller
	Leam Neely

KIMBALL MEMORIAL BOOK CLUBS

Kimball Memorial offers three book clubs that meet bi-monthly at different times of the week. We have a Tuesday Morning group that meets in the church parlor, Tuesday Night and Friday night groups that meet in the homes of various people in the club. Great discussion, fellowship, and refreshments are enjoyed by everyone. We now have a listing of the various groups and the upcoming books and meeting locations on our website. You can find this by going to our website www.kimballchurch.org under Ministries/Book Clubs or you can navigate there directly by typing www.kimballchurch.org/kimball-book-clubs

BLESSING BOX NEEDS

With the help from the Hardister, Hunter and Murph families, our Blessing Box is now being restocked multiple times each week, and we need your help to continue meeting the growing needs of our neighbors. Families, many of whom are regular visitors, depend on the items we provide. The need is great, and your donations help us share God's love in a tangible way. Current items needed.

- 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



103rd ANNUAL GATHERING

LUTHERAN MEN IN MISSION GATHERING

NC Lutheran Men in Mission invites you to the 103rd Annual Gathering on **Saturday, March 14**, hosted by St. Paul's, Dallas. Join onsite or online for worship, learning, and fellowship around the theme *Be the Body of Christ* (Romans 10:15). All are welcome.

[Learn more and Register](#)

Ash WEDNESDAY

*Remember that you are dust
and to dust you shall return.*

February 18th, 2026



WORSHIP AT 6:30

The Lenten Season begins in mid-February this year, with Ash Wednesday coming on February 18th. We will offer a worship service of confession, repentance, imposition of ashes and Holy Communion at 6:30 in the evening, and special music will be provided. A nursery is provided for this evening service...friends are welcome to attend. We hope you will join us!

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