

Kingwood Church of God

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November 17, 2024

- The Words of Welcome
Items in the Life of the Church
The Prelude
The Call to Worship
* The Song of Preparation #36

“To God Be the Glory”
Verses 1 & 3

* The Opening Hymn #696

“I Love to Tell the Story”

* The Prayer of Invocation
The Ministry of Music
The Morning Offering
* The Doxology
* The Offertory Prayer
* The Expression of Friendship
The Sharing of Joys and Concerns
* The Prayer Hymn #473

“I Am Thine, O Lord”
Verse 3

* The Time of Prayer
The Scripture Lesson Various
The Morning Message

“LIFE’S BIGGEST QUESTIONS: WHY AND HOW DO I TELL OTHERS?”
* The Closing Hymn #698

“We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations”

* The Benediction and Postlude
* Please stand, if you are able.

Our Staff

Will Miller - Senior Pastor (814-926-4428)
James Monticue - Visitation Pastor... (814-233-6076)
Carey Beth King - Secretary (814-233-0053)

Our Thanks to the following for their services today

Downstairs Nursery Georgiann Knepper,
Bev Pletcher & Brandy Rogers

Sunday, November 17, 2024

6:00 p.m. - Youth Group at FC - Packing Shoeboxes

Monday, November 18, 2024

8:00 a.m. - Walk Fit Exercise
7:00 p.m. - Heat Pump Training at FC

Tuesday, November 19, 2024

12:30 p.m. - Pickleball

Wednesday, November 20, 2024

8:00 a.m. - Walk Fit Exercise
7:00 p.m. - Midweek Service at FC

Friday, November 22, 2024

8:00 a.m. - Walk Fit Exercise

Sunday, November 24, 2024

6:00 p.m. - Youth Group at FC - Packing Trucks for OCC

Offerings needed weekly to balance our budget... \$5,748.65

Offerings received last Sunday..... \$10,293.89

Church Projects Offerings..... \$451.00

Last Sunday’s Attendance 161

Last Sunday’s SS Attendance.....

The Youth Group will be collecting plastic grocery bags to help create benches in Somerset. A box will be placed under the coat rack for donations. The last day to bring in plastic bags for the youth group collection will be Sunday, November 24th. A big thank you to everyone who has helped donate to create benches for our community. Thanks also to Lolly Peirsel as our contact person for the benches.

Youth Group Schedule for November:

11/17 - Youth Group at Fellowship Center 6:00 p.m. to pack shoeboxes
11/24 - Youth Group at Fellowship Center 6:00 p.m. to pack trucks for OCC

The Cradle Roll is for newborns through age 2 with parents who are members or regular attenders. In order to make sure none of the children are missed, please put the child's name, date of birth, and parents on a note and place it in Jenn Gross' mailbox. Thank you!

Thank you to all who served in the Downstairs Nursery this past year! What a blessing! If you would like to serve in the Downstairs Nursery during the 10:30 Worship Service next year, please sign up and if you have any preferences or weeks to avoid. Volunteers typically serve once a month. Clearances are needed to serve. If you have any questions please see Hillary Whaley (814-352-3081).

There are a few unbaked apple dumplings left over from Applefest in the chest freezer that is in the classroom adjoining the kitchen in the basement. The apple dumplings are 3 for \$12.00, 6 for \$22.00 or 12 for \$44.00. Please put the money in the chest on the kitchen table, or if writing a check, make it payable to Kingwood church of God and give it to Cheryl Pletcher.

New Council Members - 2025

Elder	-	Mark Lucas & Josh Rosman
Deacon	-	Bearl Faidley & Nick Faidley
Deaconess	-	Renee' Moore & Cathy Phillippi
Trustee	-	Gary Oglie & Dan Ream
Delegates to Conference	-	Kevin & Stacey Hay

Thank you to all who attended the Retiree Lunch. We served about 173 meals with 153 people eating at the Fellowship Center and 20 meals delivered to shut-in's. A special Thank You to the 24 volunteers that made the meal possible.

A New Address...

Shirley Henry
c/o The Patriot
495 W Patriot St. Room #232
Somerset, PA 15501
(582) 436-8056

The **Helping Hands Ministry** encourages you to send some "sunshine" (i.e., a card) to let them know that we are thinking of them and are keeping them in our prayers.

Helen King
c/o Meadowview
1404 Hay St.
Berlin, PA 15530

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Save the Date...

Christmas Dinner - December 14 at 6:00 p.m. at FC

It is time to begin preparing for the Children's Christmas Program. If your child, age 3 through 6th grade, is interested-- please sign up in the vestibule. If there is enough interest, scripts will be handed out the end of November and practices will begin the first Sunday in December. The performance is tentatively scheduled for December 22nd. If you have questions, see Heather Ream.

There is a container for money gifts to the Romesberg Family in the vestibule. Please make checks payable to Kingwood Church of God.

The Wild Game Dinner Committee is once again looking for donations of Deer Hind Quarters. If you are not able to debone yours - please take it to Daniel Hay and tell him it is for the Kingwood Dinner. They can be placed in the church chest freezer - please notify Nick Faidley if you have one to donate - only 8 are needed.

Training on operating the Heat Pumps (Heat and Air Conditioning) at the Fellowship Center will be held on Monday 11/18/24 at 7:00 p.m. This training is for anyone interested. If a different day or time is needed, please contact Jesse Moore (814-777-7227) to schedule.

A few men are needed to help set up the nativity at the Fellowship Center on Friday, November 22 at 4:00 p.m.

There is a sign up sheet in the vestibule for anyone who is willing to assist in the Jr. Church PreK/Kindergarten class. The responsibilities would include crowd control, assisting children in the classroom, and taking children to the restroom.

It's not too late to become a Secret Sister for the upcoming year! We will be remembering our Secret Sister in prayer and cards throughout the year and a gift exchange next November. Any ladies who are interested can fill out an info sheet available on the table in the vestibule and hand it in to Eileen Buchanan, Bev Pletcher or Kerri Show. Please turn the info sheets in by November 24th.

Nurseries

- * There is an unstaffed nursery for babies located on the same floor as the sanctuary that may be used at any time. It is also staffed during the 10:30 service.
- * There is a staffed nursery for children up through the age of 3 during the 10:30 service, located downstairs in room 1.
- * Both nurseries have a closed circuit TV through which you can watch the worship service.

Jr. Church (10:30 Morning Worship Service)

- * We offer a Jr. Church program during the entire 10:30 Morning Worship Service downstairs in the social room for children age 3 up to and including 6th grade.

Sunday School (9:30)

- * We have classes for children (beginning when they are old enough to walk), youth, and adults. If your child is not old enough to walk, feel free to take him/her with you to your class. For more info, please see either the Sunday School brochure or the Welcome Packet. They are located in the pew rack and on a table in the hallway.

Want to know more about our church?

- * There are folders with more info about our church in the racks of each pew and on a table in the hallway. Please take one home with you and check it out.



SERMON NOTES

Life's Biggest Questions
Why and how do I tell others?
November 17, 2024

Matt. 5: 13 "You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot. 14 "You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. 15 Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. 16 In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

it cheerfully.

Matt. 28: 18 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age

Other Scriptures 2 Cor. 5:11, 1 Peter 3:15, John 1:39-46, 1 Thess. 1:4-5a, Acts 26:18, Acts 4:29-31, James 5:16, Rom. 1:16

Why do we tell others?

B _____ J _____ told us to
N _____ of O _____ - S _____

H _____
It is G _____ N _____

How do we do it?

P _____

P _____
P _____
P _____
P _____

REFLECTION

What have you h_____ J_____ say to you in these
t_____ about w__ to tell others the g_____ n_____?
And about h_____ to tell others the g_____ n_____?

In what ways do you need to a_____ what you have heard
Jesus say? How do you o_____?