

# Kimball's Weekly News

## February 14, 2021



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God's work. Our hands.

At the present time, our plans are for ONE worship service each Sunday morning, at 10:00 AM. We will be broadcasting this service on Facebook Live at 10...with the service posted on our Website each Sunday afternoon. We hope these services are meaningful for you and your family during these Winter months. Please know that we will return to "in person" worship as soon as we believe it is safe to do so. We continue regular consultation with our Synod Council and Bishop as we strive to keep everyone in the congregation safe. Please follow the guidelines that are so familiar to all of us by this point: Frequent washing of hands, socially distancing whenever possible, and wearing a mask for the safety of others. Peace!

THE FINAL INSTALLMENT of Pastor John's Winter Bible Study will be posted to our Facebook Page and Website just as soon as possible. In these days of the Pandemic, we're experiencing some delays - but will let you know when it's available for viewing. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

OUR ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE is this Wednesday, February 17th at 6:30 PM, posted on our Facebook Page and our Website. Lenten Services will be each Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM, beginning on February 24th. Sunday Services will continue each Sunday morning at 10:00 AM. Lenten Devotional Materials for all ages are available in the Commons - as are offering boxes and Lenten calendars for Lutheran World Relief. If you cannot come by the church and you'd like Lenten materials mailed to you, please call Gail at the Church Office (704-933-4101)

### Preschool Needs

Registration forms for the 2020-2021 school year are available in the church office or online at [kimballchurch.org](http://kimballchurch.org). ***Our current supply need is: Paper Towels.***

**NEW MEMBERS WILL BE RECEIVED** in coming weeks. If you are interested in membership at Kimball Memorial, please contact the Pastor for more information.

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

**HOSPITAL REPORT:** Todd Hailey - Atrium Cabarrus (Dismissed)

IT'S WITH GREAT JOY that we acknowledge that our own Norris Dearmon will be inducted into the North Carolina Military Veterans Hall of Fame. Norris has been so active in Veterans' affairs in this community, especially helping to keep the legacy and memories of our WW II Veterans alive and active. If you'd like to join the festivities, you can do so free of charge on Zoom on February 20th. Go to HOME/NCMVHOF to register. We are so proud of Norris, and of all our Veterans at Kimball Memorial.

**Carver Corner News:** We have a critical need and we need your help! Because of the disruption of the school year due to the pandemic, it is crucial that we help get books into student's hands for summer reading. Please help us reach our goal to give 5 books to each Carver Elementary student at the end of this school year. You can purchase books and drop them off at the church or donate money and our committee will be glad to purchase the books. We need books for grades K-5th. Please contact Fran or Tim Patterson with any questions. 704-773-0307.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY towards our Souper Bowl of Caring Offering. This year we quadrupled our food offering - from 400 lbs in 2020 to 1,629 lbs of food in 2021. All food items have been delivered to CCM - thanks to our helpers in this endeavor - Mike Abernathy, Mickey Brandle, Jim Harris, Keith Garver, John Glass, and David Taylor. That's a lot of food!

REMEMBER IF YOU'D LIKE to follow Bishop Smith's Lenten Bible Study on Isaiah, simply go to the Synod website - [nclutheran.org](http://nclutheran.org) - and follow the prompts to see the Study on Video.

## Weekly Prayer Concerns

**Notice: All names will remain on the prayer list for 2 weeks only unless Resubmitted**

Andy Ballard/Ben Ballard  
Jerry Beam  
Sherry Bennett  
Diana Bentley  
Macie Blakney  
Becky Brantley  
Mabel Brown  
Brenda & Tom Brown  
Coronavirus victims  
Norris Dearmon  
Mary Dorton  
Liz Fisher & Mike Fisher  
Karon Goble  
Todd Haley  
Shirley Helms  
Judi & Bob Hill  
Family of Mike Hurst  
Family of Darren Hussey  
Betty Ingram  
Louise Jackson  
Sherry Johnson & Family  
Eric & Jenny Jones  
Wilma Keller  
Norma & Gene Hodges  
Pastor Tommy Lineberger  
Robert Lovin  
Georgia Maples  
Garry & Joyce Mallernee  
Jerry Mann & Family  
Doris McCarn  
Vicki & Mike McCombs  
Sandy Measmer  
Marty & Perriann Payne  
Jim & Paulette Peeler  
Louise Propst  
J.W. Ragan  
Anna Richter  
Cliff & Kathy Scott  
Danny Scott  
Jeff Sellers  
John & Betty Shaver  
Jennifer Shue  
Earlene Snipes  
Billy Sumlin  
Weldon Thomas  
Ruth Trollinger  
John Troutman  
Laura & Robie Walls

**MILITARY:** Robert Busted, Jr. (Norfolk, VA), Andrew Smith (Arizona), Chris Kirchner (Missouri), Ben Kirchner (Georgia), Preston Mays (Georgia), Chris Overcash (Georgia)

In November 2019, Kimball used \$331,884.64 of its invested funds to pay-off our mortgage, create a facility management reserve, and balance our operating budget. In addition, in October 2020, Kimball borrowed \$114,542.40 from Fifth Third Bank to secure the purchase of the corner lot. These 2 events raised the total amount we need to repay ourselves to \$446,427.04. Through January of 2021 we have already repaid ourselves a total of \$133,979 dollars which leaves a repayment balance of \$312,448.04.

REGISTER OF ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING	
February 7, 2021	
GENERAL FUND	8,380
MORTGAGE	90
OTHER	50

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