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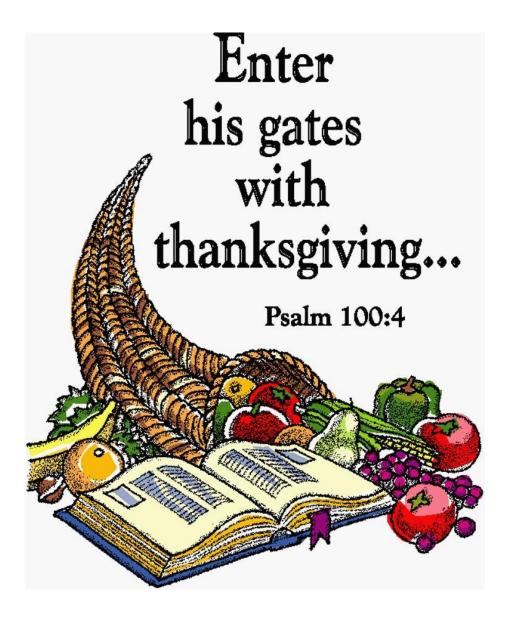
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# **The Fellowship**

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5:00pm - 7:00pm Menu: turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, rolls, and homemade desserts. All proceeds go to The Agape Christian Center of the Eastern Shore. Join Us!



William Becker - son of Stan & Rose Becker; Tyler - grandson of Richard & Eliza Wright; Capt. Kyle Price & Major Christopher Price - grandsons of Jane Price Skipper; Sergeant First Class Matthew Johnston - son-in-law of Bev Miller; Capt. Alex Symons son of Jim Symons; Michael David Nickerson; Matthew & Jeremy **Dennis**, Jason Yeager - sons & friend of Heather Dennis

# Prayer List

Our Community ~ Our Nation ~ Our Military ~ People of Ukraine ~ First Responders Gary Boyce, Joan Gillions, Jim & Cheri Bennett, Tom Fletcher, Ed Gates, Doug & Teresa Irving, Patti Grace, Steve & Sharon Rice, Bill Creager, Betty Riley, John Henley III, Tom & Nancy Hughes, Charles Lee, Curtis Sampson, Frank & Betsy Elliott, Dave Reeves



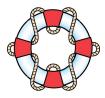
Children's S.S.-Join us each Sunday at 9:30am in the Education Wing.

SEEKERS & EXPLORERS members are encouraged to attend the Robert Morris DVD series, Beyond Blessed, described below!

ALL ARE INVITED to join us in F'ship Hall Sun., Nov. 6, 13 & 20 for the last 6 parts of the Robert Morris DVD series, "Beyond Blessed." Each Sunday, we'll watch two of the 27 min. DVDs as part of our Stewardship Education Program which culminates Nov. 20. Through his informative & entertaining teaching, Morris addresses beliefs about money and helps equip us to manage the resources God has given us. He



supports his teaching with biblical precepts related to our roles as stewards. This is a wonderful tool to share with your children and other family members who strive to build a life of good stewardship. Coffee and donuts will be provided. DVDs begin promptly at 9:30!



If it's Monday night, it's time for LifeLines! Join us at least once, because the Word of God is for you! We meet each Mon. in Nov., 5:30-6:30p, in the Seekers Class. We jump into a verse or two of scripture; check out the context; compare different versions of the Bible and look at related verses. You'll be amazed at the discoveries we make! Bring your Bible! Note: We are taking a break for the month of December and will resume on Mon., Jan. 9! Scripture IS your LIFELINE!



**FLOWERS** 6 - OPEN 13 - The Gates Family 20 - Johnny Hayes 27- Julian & Judy Altier

**USHERS** Jim Bennett Margaret & Eric Nost

SACRISTY PRAYER Jon Baer

**COMMUNION STEWARD** Kathee Cernicky

> **ALTAR GUILD** Judy Neal



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Thank you all from the bottom of our collective hearts. The Women's Circle wishes to thank those who cooked soup & baked goods for our sale in

Oct., as well as those who spent so freely & generously. A whopping \$809 was collected for the NNFHC. Thanks to all of you we can make a sizable donation to this very worthwhile part of our community. Your generosity of spirit is awesome!



#### KUMC Church Website News – kilmarnockumc.org

We have added a new feature to the church website, "Member Spotlights". Our first "Spotlight" features Kyle Lorenzino sharing the personal story of his walk of faith. You'll find this page listed under "About". We will be looking for others to share their stories with us as well. These might include stories of how you became a Christian, how you came to be at KUMC or what a difference KUMC has made in your life, or perhaps ministries at the church that you are passionate about. If you would be willing to share your story, please contact Birt Cory.



Donna's on Main in Kilmarnock for Christian fellowship & food! RSVP wiudy7845@gmail.com or (804)436-4441! All are welcome!

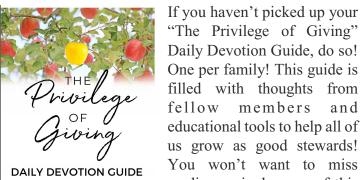


#### **BIRTHDAYS**

- Beth Koeberle
- 2 - Peggy Thomas
- 3 Brenda Lynch
- 4 Chuck Gerhart
- 6 Kathee Cernicky
- 7 Eric Nost
- 10 Annika Bridge
- 11 Ed Gates
- 14 Barbara Watson
- 18 Cheri Bennett
- 20 Karen Kingsley
- 22 Catherine Tadlock
- 23 Jane Birdsong
- 24 Isabella Gill
- 24 R. T. Savage
- 27 Georjie Gerhart
- 27 Bonnie Lee
- 28 John Henley
- 28 Alex Symons
- 29 Thirza Trant
- 30 Fletcher Brown III



**ANNIVERSARIES** 5 -Jim Symons & Thirza Trant 20 - Bill & Kendall Rosalia



LORD, what do you want to do through me to fulfill ur will for Kilmarnock United Methodist Church



# Fall STEWARDSHIP **EVENTS**

**Exciting Stewardship Events in** November!-Be sure to join us each Sun. in Nov. as our Stewardship Education Program continues! We'll have inspiring messages from Pastor Penny & guest appearances by members of the congregation. One Sun., a member will treat us to an entertaining but sobering and thought-provoking demonstration which you won't

If you haven't picked up your

"The Privilege of Giving"

Daily Devotion Guide, do so!

One per family! This guide is

filled with thoughts from

educational tools to help all of

You won't want to miss

reading a single page of this

28 day guide written by

want to miss! Also, be sure to join us in the F'ship Hall on Sun., Nov. 6, 13, & 20, during the Sunday school hour, 9:30-10:30a, as we watch the last three weeks of the DVD series, THE BLESSED LIFE, with Pastor Robert Morris! Our Stewardship Program culminates Sunday, November 20. On that day, we will bring and dedicate our Estimate of Giving Cards for 2023 to the Glory of God!



Huntley Brown World-renowned Christian Concert Pianist, is coming to KUMC December 3rd - 4pm Community Concert **December 4th - 11am Worship Service** 

We are so blessed to have Rev. Dr. Huntley Brown coming to KUMC. His music has been described as inspired, anointed, and powerful. He was born in Jamaica. He graduated from Judson University in Elgin, Illinois with a bachelor's degree in piano and from Northern Illinois University with a master's degree in piano performance and pedagogy. In 2020, Huntley was awarded an honorary doctorate degree from Judson University. He is married to Annette Chestnut and they live in Aurora, Illinois,

along with their four daughters, Natalie, Natasha, Nicole, and Nadia.

Huntley's music and speaking ministry has taken him all over the world. Huntley has been a featured guest pianist at Carnegie Hall with the Milal World Symphony Orchestra and Choir. He was ordained as a minister in 2007 by the Evangelical Church Alliance International. You can listen to his music at huntleybrown.org. The Community Concert on Dec. 3rd, is open to all. Free tickets will be available through our church office. A love offering will be taken during his concert to show our appreciation to him. All proceeds will be given directly to Huntley Brown. He will also bring his music CD's and books, which will be available for purchase.

On Sunday, Dec. 4th, Rev. Dr. Huntley Brown will be preaching for us and also sharing his music. There will be ONLY ONE WORSHIP SERVICE at 11AM. We will have Fellowship Hour after worship so that we may have the chance to greet Huntley. Huntley's music and message will be anointed with the glory of God. Mark your calendars now! You'll be glad you did!



# AGAPE CHRISTIAN CENTER

Cupboard Supply is VERY low!

#### **COLLECTION DEADLINE - NOV. 14th**

Please leave items in Youth Room. Questions - Please call Sherry or Jim Ketner

#### **FOOD NEEDS**

\*Frozen Chicken Nuggets \*Spaghettios \*Crackers \*Fruit Cups(Peaches, applesauce, mandarin oranges) \*Cereal (Apple Jacks, Fruit Loops, Lucky Charms) \*Apple Juice - Fruit Punch Jugs - Orange Punch Jugs

#### MISC. NEEDS

\*Clorox Wipes \*Lysol Spray \*Paper Towels, Toilet Paper \*Cups (5oz.) \*9" Lunch Plates

\*Pump Hand Soap \*Case of 8 ½ x 11 Copy Paper \*Folded Paper Towels (for dispenser) \*Styrofoam Bowls (small) \*Spoons, Forks (no knives)

#### **CRAFT SUPPLIES**

\*8 ½ X 11 Card Stock (White)
 \*2 packs (12) Craft themed Peel & Stick (Thanksgiving/Christmas)
 \*Glue Dots
 \*1 - Stand Up - Connect 4 Game

## MERRY CHRISTMAS LIST

1 - 42" Smart TV Printer Ink (see below)
•HP DeskJet 3050A All in One J611 Series
•HP Laser Jet 202a Color Pro MSPM281FDW



## Gobble Wobble Saturday, November 12th 12:30-2:00pm

Families are invited to join the Children's Ministry to partake in a fun afternoon filled with Thanksgiving fun. Children will have lunch, play fall games, dance and enjoy a Thanksgiving lesson. Invite a Friend!

# CHILDREN'S



Children will be singing at Children's Time on Sunday, November 20th. Please join us.

## ELF WORKSHOP!



The Elf Workshop will be on Sunday, December 11th at 9:30 am. Children, bring your shopping lists! Congregation, we are looking for new or gently used gift items such as decorative, men/women/kid items. Donations will be accepted from November 18-December 9th.



The Children's Ministry is looking for a Sunday School Teacher & a Sunday School Aide. The teacher will work closely with the director & will teach/assist based on the literature series that is being used. (It is easy to follow with visuals & handouts.) We're looking for someone who loves children and enjoys working with them, who enjoys sharing God's stories and someone who can commit time to our children between the hours of 9:30-11:00 am Sunday mornings. If you feel that you can

serve in any way or are able to give any time, please contact me. We are so very excited to have the need for more teachers and I ask that you pray about this mission in becoming a mentor to our children. Thank you for considering helping down the educational wing. Mary Lorenzino, Children's Ministry Director. (mklorenzino@gmail.com/804-761-7107)

MEMBERS OF THE WOMEN'S CIRCLE honored Jo Manson on Sat., October 8<sup>th</sup> with



a circle pin in appreciation of her term as president for the UMW.

Standing L to R are Sally McGrath, Kathee Cernicky, Judy Werner, Brenda Lynch, Pastor Penny Cory, and Lucy Martin. Sitting L to R are Jo Manson, Virginia Craig, and Alice Cottrell.

**PRAYER PARTNERS** - It will soon be time to choose prayer partners for 2023! If you had a prayer partner this year and want to participate next year - or if you did not participate in 2022 but want to take part next year - please call, email, or text Sally McGrath by Dec.1 at 434-637-0482 or email sjm16048@gmail.com Please also let her know if you don't wish to continue next year. This is open to all women of the church and not just Women's Circle members.





WOMEN'S CIRCLE ADVENT DINNER & PROGRAM Thurs., Dec., 8 at 6pm. (PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE FROM THE USUAL TUES. EVENING). For the first time since the pandemic began we will celebrate together in the fellowship hall with a good old-fashioned covered dish dinner. Please RSVP to Sally McGrath by Nov.27 by call or text at 434-637-0482 or email at sjm16048@gmail.com. Make your reservation and bring a dish to share-it's that simple. Dinner will begin at 6pm; the program will begin at

app. 7:15. Following the program, we will return to the fellowship hall for the big reveal of prayer partners for 2022 and selecting prayer partners for 2023. Come for both the dinner and program or just the program – it's your choice. Reservations are needed only for the dinner.



Audrey Lorenzino and Jamie Lang greeted and passed out the Privilege of Giving booklets at the 11am service on October 16



#### Year to Date: January - September 2022

Budget Receipts \$236,368 Designated Receipts \$ 37,920 Budgeted Disbursements \$232,118 Designated Disbursements \$54,026

YTD Budget Income \$235,872 YTD Budget Expenses \$235,881

If you have questions/concerns please contact Virginia Craig, Finance Chair (804)761-3953



Ushers & Greeters needed for 2023! Contact Slater Pittman (804)435-1222 for more info and to sign up!



Plan now if you would like to place Poinsettias in the Sanctuary for Christmas on December 18

They can be picked up after worship December 18 if you are NOT planning to be here on Christmas Eve.

To place an order, complete this form and drop it in the offering plate or leave at the church office.

# of plants ordered \_\_\_\_X \$15 per plant Check #\_\_\_\_ or Cash \_\_\_\_

In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

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