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Dear Kingston Family,

As I reflect over the past month I'm reminded of the Apostle Paul's words to the church in Galatia: "Carry each other's burdens and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."

Carrying each other's burdens is a call not only of us as individual believers but also as a church collectively. In short, we are called to help those who are hurting. As you all know, July was a hard month for Kingston with the passing of our dear Adrienne Jordan. Born, baptized, confirmed, married, and then her own Adaline was baptized here at Kingston.

There are no words when such a young person passes suddenly. Tragedies are a time for the ministry of **presence**. Taking a meal, giving a hug, sending a text to let you know you are thinking of them, or simply letting them know you are here for them. This is the call of the church, and I have to say as your pastor, Kingston knows how to be a church. The way this church rallied to give thanks for Adrienne's life was a beautiful sight to behold. Our staff went above and beyond. All of our volunteers from our ushers, choir, technology folks, cooks, prep folks in the fellowship hall. We even had a member, out of the goodness of their heart, purchase a smart TV for the Kingston building (for our overflow).

We will miss Adrienne until we see her again. However, the one thing that was ever present in my mind for anyone in attendance was "Kingston really loves its people." And for that, all I can say is, "Thanks be to God!"

Blessings,

Pastor Robert

In Loving Memory

<u>MEMORIALS</u> Adrienne Ellis Jordan

July 21, 2022 Daughter of Mike & Pam Ellis

Gifts given by: Randy & Tara Broughman, Stan & Martha Cross, Bill & Elizabeth Marsh, Mary Alice Wilson

"For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord" -Romans 8:38-39



rightnow MEDIA

<u>Rightnow Media Spotlight</u>

What does it mean to be blessed? And, more importantly, how do we become someone who is blessed? The kind of life God is calling us to may not look the way we imagined, but it will be better than we could have hoped.

In this eight-session series, pastor Matt Chandler takes us through the Beatitudes and shows us what it means to live in the kingdom of God. Through Jesus's teaching, learn what the blessed life really looks like.





SANCTUARY GUILD MEMBERS NEEDED

The sanctuary Guild is in need of new members (MEN AND YOUTH NEEDED). We now have Communion every month and members are needed to help prepare and set up for it. If you can help, please contact the office or Lynda Courtney.

AmazonSmile Rewards Program

Kingston Presbyterian Church is now part of AmazonSmile! AmazonSmile donates 0.5% of purchases. When you sign up for AmazonSmile, You shop. Amazon gives. you can support Kingston Presbyterian Church by using our link.

Our unique charity link: https://smile.amazon.com/ch/57-0368713

Kroger Rewards Program

In order to use the Kroger Community Rewards Program you need to visit http://www.kroger.com. Once logged into your Kroger account you can search for Kingston Presbyterian Church either by name, or TJ805 and then click Enroll. New users will need to create an account which requires some basic information, a valid email address and a rewards card.*



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* Also, if a member does not yet have a Kroger rewards card, please let them know they are available at the customer service desk at any Kroger. REMEMBER, purchases will not count until you register your current rewards card or get one at the customer service desk. You must swipe your registered Kroger rewards card or use the phone number that is related to your registered Kroger rewards card when shopping for each purchase to count.

WACCAMAW YOUTH CENTER NEEDS



The WYC is in need of Laundry Detergent, individually wrapped snacks in boxes (pretzels, goldfish, etc.) and Gatorade. You may drop off at the church office at your convenience.

C.A.P. PANTRY NEEDS

Boxed Cereal, Jelly (plastic jars), Canned Meats, Canned Soups, Grits, Oatmeal, Boxed Potatoes, Laundry Detergent, Baby Diapers (sizes 4, 5, 6).

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	I	2 Youth IRL>URL Lunch & Bible Study 12-2pm	3	4	5	6
7 Sunday School 9:30am Worship Service@10:30am w/Communion Kid's JAM 11:30-1:30 "Swim Party"	8 CE Mtg @ 5:30pm	9 Youth IRL>URL Lunch & Bible Study 12-2pm Diaconate Mtg @ 6pm in KB	I0 Wild Wednesday Scavenger Hunt 6:30pm-8:30pm Youth (Mid/High)	11	12	13
14 Sunday School 9:30am Sunday Worship Service@10:30am Progressive Dinner (Middle/High) from 5-7:30pm	15	I 6 Session Mtg @ 6pm in KB	17	18	19	20
2 I Men's Breakfast @ 8:30 in FH Sunday School 9:30am Worship Service@10:30am	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Sunday School 9:30am Worship Service@10:30am	29	30	31			



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- I Adaline Ellis Jordan
- 2 Mike Ellis
- 5 Luke Barefoot
- 6 Rachel Hogue Riles Hucks Troy Alwine
- 7 Jim Hayes
- II Patte Rhodes Gabriel DesJardins
- 12 Randy Broughman
- **13** Gloria Wilson
- I5 Frances Thomas Bailey Edwards
- 18 Christianna Reed
- 19 Brenda Tanner
- 22 Caroline Hogue
- 27 Bennett Haskin Charlotte Roberts
- 28 Bill Sutton
- 30 Bill Gobbel
- 31 Bill Rutherford

<u>Mission Opportunity</u>

The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. Matthew 7:25

Habitat for Humanity is one of Kingston Presbyterian Church's missions that we support. KPC was the first church in Conway to step forward to assist Habitat with a "Faith Build." I compare the people from our church to that "Rock" that Matthew was talking about in the above verse. The "Faith Build" home will be constructed at 112 Hope's Crossing Court here in Conway. We are partnering with Rev. Nathan See, Associate Pastor of Myrtle Beach Presbyterian Church, and his crew to help two days of the build. **Those days are Saturday, September 10th, and**



Wednesday, September 14th. If you are available to help on one or both of those days, we would love to have your help. We will need 10 to 12 people to volunteer for at least one day. This is not limited to men alone. If you are 17 years old or older, and can swing a hammer, work with electrical or plumbing, Habitat needs your help.



Those who will be helping out will need clothing suitable for construction work, keeping in mind the outside temperature, water to drink, and comfortable footwear. Habitat should have tools available but if you have a special hammer or other tool that you prefer, feel free to

bring it. Please contact Paul Reed, (856) 207-0370, and let him know which of the two days (or both) you can help out. The crews work from 8:00 AM until 3:30 PM and there is an hour for lunch. We need to let Nathan know how many members will be helping out for each day. The nice thing is that we will be providing an affordable, well built home for a neighbor here in Conway, not to mention the Christian Fellowship that we will build, with ourselves and Myrtle Beach Presbyterian Church but also with other people who will be working that day.

Thank you in advance for your help. I promise we will enjoy ourselves those days and come away with wonderful stories to tell.



The Prayer Shawl Ministry monthly meetings **will resume Monday September 19, 2022.** In the meantime, members will continue to make their prayer shawls as they can during the summer. We would love new members, so please consider joining our ministry. If you're not a knitter or chrocheter, we'll teach you or we have materials for other handwork. Come join us for a gathering. We have all the materials available for you.







August 7 Our final KIDS JAM is coming up on Sunday August 7th! Join us after worship from 11:30 - 1:30pm. Lunch is provided. See you there!

Middle / High

PROGRESSIVE

DIKKER

Bring your priends and let's have fun!

Coming in December:

Our children and students will be performing a Christmas musical for us after a Wednesday supper. You don't want to miss it!





<u>Lunch and</u> <u>Bible Study</u> August 2 and 9th

Students, don't miss our last Lunch + Bible Study times in August!