

# KIMBERLIN

## Chronicle

Kimberlin Creek Baptist Church  
*June 2023*

Dear Church Family,

Can you believe it? It is once again time for Vacation Bible School!

This one week is the most concentrated outreach in the life of our congregation. Not only does VBS cost a “few” dollars, but it is labor intensive, requiring many hands to carry out. Even though it is time consuming, I look forward to the advent of this week every year as we have the opportunity to bless so many young lives.

I am excited with this year’s theme of “Keepers of the Kingdom: Standing Strong in Today’s Battle for Truth.” I enjoy the backdrop of castles and knights and it will be a very fun environment.

As much as I love the medieval imagery, I am thrilled by the Biblical content. The focus will be on Ephesians 6:10-20, the Whole Armor of God. These scriptures are always appropriate, but especially in the world in which we live. We must be prepared “in season and out of season” to take part in spiritual warfare and stand for the truth of the Gospel and God’s Word.

To help us all get ready to serve as “Keepers of the Kingdom,” I will be leading us in a sermon series—beginning Sunday, 25 June—as we will look at these truths in detail. I cannot encourage you enough to join us each Lord’s Day as we “suit up” to “be strong in the Lord.” We will be better equipped for this year’s VBS and for our daily struggle “against the schemes of the devil.” Come and be blessed!

With Love for You All,  
Pastor Tim

N.B. I know that many of us will be out a Sunday or two for vacations, etc. this Summer. Let me encourage you to remain faithful in returning the Lord’s tithes and the giving of your offerings in your absence. While you may be out of town, ministry continues, and it requires money to carry out (did I mention that VBS costs a “few” dollars?). Thank you for your faithful and generous giving as we serve our Lord in our congregation, community, and world!

*Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might.  
Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil.  
Ephesians 6:10-11*





# 1 Timothy 4:12

**Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity.**

As I am writing this, we are headed to Teen Camp. Last week, Miss Angie and I spent the week at Junior Camp and took 6 kids. There were over 20 first time decisions for Christ, PRAISE THE LORD! We will be taking 14 this week and we are excited for what God will do! We are also excited about taking a large group to King's Island on June 28th.

In addition to Sunday School and Wednesday evening Bible study, here's everything happening in July:

- 3-7- KCBC booth at Scott County Fair
- 16-21- KCBC VBS
- 23-26- Primary Camp
- 28- Indianapolis Indians Game

We are looking for new 4:12 Sponsors! We have a great base of givers and we are excited that our ministry is growing! As we are growing, our needs are growing as well! If you would like to know more about how to be a 4:12 Sponsor, please see Leah or myself. Thank you for all your support and prayers.

Blessings, Pastor Tyler and Leah

## FUTURE EVENTS

- 8/02 Family Meal, 5:30 PM
- 8/02 Adult Bible Study, 4:12 Youth, Kingdom Kids, 6:30 PM
- 8/03 4:12 Youth volunteering with Gleaners Food, 9 a.m.-12 PM
- 8/4-5 Pastor Tim will be in Ohio
- 8/06 Deacon's meeting, 11:45 a.m.
- 8/06 4:12 Youth gathering at Clifty Falls State Park, 12-7 PM
- 8/08 Red Cross Blood Drive in FLC, 1-6p
- 8/09 Family Meal, 5:30 PM
- 8/09 Annual Business Mtg., 4:12 Youth, Kingdom Kids, 6:30 PM
- 8/10 CCA Pastor's mtg., Denny's, 8:30 am
- 8/11-12 Pastor Tim will be at Kiwanis Convention in Indianapolis
- 8/12 FLC will be in use, 3-8 PM, Jake Nowlin
- 8/12 CCA ABMen's Family Picnic at Bethany Baptist, 4 PM
- 8/13 Back to School Bash at KCBC, 2-5
- 8/16 Family Meal, 5:30 PM
- 8/16 Adult Bible Study, 4:12 Youth, Kingdom Kids, 6:30 PM
- 8/19 Shared Blessings, 10am-2pm
- 8/20 Trustees meeting, 11:30 a.m.
- 8/20 4:12 Youth Fundraising meal, Spaghetti in FLC, 12-1:30
- 8/23 Family Meal, 5:30 PM
- 8/23 Adult Bible Study, 4:12 Youth, Kingdom Kids, 6:30 PM
- 8/26 Fall Cleanup at KCBC, 8 am-done
- 8/30 Cookout at PT & Leah's, 6-8 PM

## SCOTT COUNTY FAIR

### KIMBERLIN CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH BOOTH

**On Monday thru Friday night the church will be set up from 4-10 PM in a booth at the fair. We will have water and popcorn to give away to all fairgoers. We will also give out information on the church and be available to pray with anyone needing or asking for prayer. This is going to have to involve all members of the church. Please sign up for either the 4-7 or 7-10 slot listed for each night. This will be a huge outreach opportunity for our church!**

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## VACATION BIBLE SHOOL

**"KEEPERS OF THE KINGDOM: STANDING STRONG IN TODAY'S BATTLE FOR TRUTH"**

**JULY 16-21**

**This year VBS will start on Sunday evening. There will be short family meal from 5:30-5:50 each evening thru Thursday night. Classes will then begin at 6 PM - 8:45 PM. If you haven't already signed your children up, please come early to get that done. We will have enough supplies for any and all children who wish to come.**

**Then on Friday night, July 21, from 6-8 PM, there will be a cookout with games & final prizes handed out. We encourage all parents & grandparents to come be with their child/ren.**



Once there was a little boy who received a build it yourself boat kit as a birthday gift. Every day after school he would rush home to work on it. He made sure the pieces were perfect before and after assembling them, and after it was completed, he spent countless hours painting it. Once it was completed and the paint was dry, he couldn't wait to get it out on the water and see if it would float. Finally on a Saturday morning his mother let him go with her as she went to get groceries. Behind the grocery store was a little stream, the boy tied a long string to the bow of the boat and lowered it into the water. He was overjoyed as the little boat floated right down the stream with no leaks, and he would run down the bank holding the string as his boat floated along beside him. Soon it became an every Saturday event that as his mother would go to the store the little boy would play with his boat in the stream. One Saturday as he was playing with his boat, he heard the wail of a fire truck siren and he hurriedly stuck a stick in the mud and tied his boat to it, and rushed off to see what was on fire. Imagine his dismay when he returned and found that the current had caused the stick to come loose from the mud and his precious boat had drifted away. A year went by and one day as he was running errands with his mother they stopped by the local thrift store, and much to his surprise tucked away on a shelf was his boat. As he pulled it off the shelf, he noticed the paint had faded here and there, and the wood was splintered in some spots but he rushed eagerly to the cashier and used all of his allowance to buy it, as he walked out the door the cashier heard him say to the boat, first I made you then I bought you. This story reminds me of our loving Heavenly Father who made us in his own image and delighted in fellowshiping with us, but we let the distractions of the world pull us away from the love of the Father, until one day God found us again no longer an image of him, but tattered and stained with sin, and in his infinite mercy he bought us with the blood of his only Son. I am so glad that one day I came to the end of myself and accepted Christ as my Lord and Savior, and by grace am able to have fellowship with my creator and my purchaser. Love y'all. Perry Stainbrook

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**STEWARDSHIP & ATTENDANCE**

	<u>SS</u>	<u>MW</u>	<u>OFFERING</u>
May 28	32	73	\$ 2,560.00
June 4	31	88	\$ 3,250.00
June 11	35	143	\$ 1,800.00
June 18	32	80	\$ 5,100.00

4 Wk. Total Received	\$ 12,710.00
4 Wk. Total Needed	\$ 15,784.00
4 Wk. Rec. Last Month	\$ 15,550.00

2022-2023 YTD needed: \$165,732.00

2022-2023 received: \$154,460.00

(September 1, 2022-June 18, 2023)

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**WEDNESDAY NIGHT ATTENDANCE**

<u>May/June</u>	31	07	14	21
<u>Meal</u>	12	25	16	13
Adult Bible Study	10	15	18	16
4:12 Youth	1	10	0	0
Kingdom Kids	10	13	6	6
<u>Totals</u>	21	38	24	22

Avg: Meal - 16 ABS - 15 Youth - 3  
 KKids - 9 Total - 27

**GOD BLESS AMERICA**

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD MONTHLY DONATIONS  
NEEDED FOR AT LEAST 150 SHOE BOXES**

**JULY: 150 BIG PENCIL SHARPENERS & 150 BIG ERASERS**  
**AUGUST: 1800 SMALL ERASERS & 150 CRAYONS (24 COUNT)**  
**SEPTEMBER: 150 COLORED PENCILS & 150 GLUE STICKS**  
**OCTOBER: SCHOOL SUPPLIES (ANY OF THE ABOVE)**  
**NOVEMBER: 150 SMALL PAPER TABLETS      DECEMBER: 750 SMALL TOYS**  
**JANUARY: 300 COMBS & 300 WASHCLOTHS**  
**FEBRUARY: 300 TOOTHBRUSHES              MARCH: 150 BAR SOAP**  
**APRIL: 150 ACTIVITY BOOKS              MAY: 750 SMALL TOYS**  
**JUNE: 1800 PENCILS & 750 PENS**

**Items may be brought during the month listed or anytime you have something available. They can be put in the box under the communion table in the sanctuary.**

Mark 10:14-15

When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. I tell you the truth, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it."



Lots of exciting things are happening this summer for our Kingdom Kids. We had promotion Sunday on July 11 where several of our kids got promoted to the youth group. Our second graders received new Bibles.

In the classroom we just finished a 12-lesson course The Greatest Journey Discipleship Program by Samaritan's Purse. Our kids learned how to follow Christ and share Him with others. They each received a certificate of participation and New Testament Bible. Our next lesson will be a 9 lesson course on the Fruits of the Spirit.

Please remember to register your children for VBS.

Prays for Miss Angie and all the children that are attending camp this summer.

Angie, Malina & Rita

**JULY BIRTHDAYS  
& ANNIVERSARIES**

- 1 Corbin James, Gary Austin
- 2 Mike Koehler
- 3 Kay McCrady, Jenny Beverly
- 4 Marilyn Griffin, Nina Hill
- 5 **Larry & Carol Fletcher, 1991**
- 6 **Charles & Bonnie Shields, 1963**
- 7 **Ryan & Andrea Blevins, 2001**
- 7 Melvin Nichols
- 8 James Bryant, Keith Bixler
- 9 Josiah Nay
- 10 **Danny & Kathy Snelling, 1971**
- 11 Lauren Kloke
- 12 Lauren Jeffries
- 13 Pat McNeely, Bob Nowlin, Nowlin Craig, Bree Haysler
- 14 **Rob & Michelle Gary, 2001**
- 16 Christina Garland
- 17 Clarence Marshall
- 18 Molly Jones
- 20 Chub McNealey, Dawson Dickerson
- 23 Jenny Hines
- 24 Becky Stainbrook, David East
- 26 **Ernie & Joann Morrison, 1969**
- 26 **Jason & Alicia Johns, 1999**
- 26 Ellen Hoard
- 27 Julia Morris
- 30 Louann Calder, Paula Walsh

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**LIVE**  
Every Sunday Morning at 10:30am!

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