

# Knoxville First United Methodist Church

Sunday, November 17, 2024 at 9:30 a.m.

PRELUDE/ WORDS OF WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

+CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 16)

+HYMN: Rejoice, the Lord is King (UMH #715)

AFFIRMATION: The Apostle's Creed (UMH #881)

First Scripture Reading: Psalm 16

HYMN: Blessed Assurance (UMH #369) v. 1-3

PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER (UMH #895)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

KID'S SONG: My God is So Big

OUR OFFERING

SPECIAL MUSIC BY KAURIE MARINKOVICH - The Building

DOXOLOGY (UMH #95)

SCRIPTURE: Heb 10:11-18, 25-29

MESSAGE: God's Forgiveness

+HYMN: My Hope Is Built (UMH #368)

+BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

(+) Those who are able are invited to stand.

Weekend of **11/09/2024-11/10/2024:**

Attendance: **121**

Contributions to the General Fund: **\$6319**

Thank you for your generosity!

## Delicious Homemade Pumpkin Pie Fundraiser!

Our Living Way Youth will be baking homemade pumpkin pies fresh for Thanksgiving to raise funds for their upcoming trips and events. Each pie is only \$15. Please place your orders by November 20th by emailing Lauren at [lpetersen@kfumc.com](mailto:lpetersen@kfumc.com) or sign up in the Narthex. Support our youth and enjoy a delicious homemade treat for your Thanksgiving celebration!

## Advent Study - Adam Hamilton's Incarnation

I invite you to a new sermon series by Adam Hamilton, *Incarnation*, and a Small Group Bible Study (three sessions) for Advent. The new sermon series will start on December 1st. Join us as we reflect upon the significance of the Christ-child for our lives and world today!

### Bible Study Schedule:

- **Tuesdays:** December 3, 10, and 17 at 1:00 PM in Fellowship Hall
- **Thursdays:** December 5, 12, and 19 at 6:30 PM in Fellowship Hall

Email [hmarconi@kfumc.com](mailto:hmarconi@kfumc.com) to sign up, or sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex. Everyone is invited to read *Incarnation* for a deeper understanding and to follow the sermon series. Books are available in the church office for \$11. I hope this sermon series and Bible study will help you understand why Jesus came to us in the flesh.

## Hanging of the Greens

Mark your calendars for next Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup>! Immediately after church, join us in bringing the spirit of Advent and Christmas to life by helping decorate our church. Your creativity and enthusiasm will make a difference!

## Tis the Season for Salvation Army Bell Ringing!

Salvation Army Bell Ringers are needed for Tuesday, Dec. 24 @ Wal-Mart from 9 AM to 3 PM. Please talk to Kitty Shepherd before or after church services to get involved in this important mission to support those in our community.

### Sunday, November 17, 2024

Christmas Play Rehearsal	8:30 AM - 9:00 AM	Location: Kid's Kingdom
Adult Bible Study Class	8:30 AM - 9:30 AM	Location: Education Room
Holy Donut Holes Fellowship	9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Location: Narthex
Worship Service	9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Location: Sanctuary

Children's Church 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM  
 Education Room Reserved 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
 Drama Practice Rehearsal 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
 Pickleball (Peter, Paul & Pickleball) 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
 Youth Group 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
 NA Meeting 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Kids Kingdom  
 Location: Education Room  
 Location: Sanctuary  
 Location: Memorial Hall  
 Location: Youth Room  
 Location: Activity Center

**Monday, November 18, 2024**

Monday Morning Panthers 7:30 AM - 9:30 AM  
 Staff Meeting 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM  
 Neighbor Helping Neighbor 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
 Almost Free Shop 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
 Girl Scouts 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
 Beginners Adult Pickleball 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
 Finance Committee Meeting 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM  
 Trustees 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM  
 F.U.N. Meeting 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM  
 Board Meeting 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Downstairs  
 Location: Church Office  
 Location: Activity Center  
 Location: Annex  
 Location: Kid's Kingdom  
 Location: Memorial Hall  
 Location: Fellowship Hall  
 Location: Library  
 Location: Youth Room  
 Location: Fellowship Hall

**Tuesday, November 19, 2024**

Almost Free Shop 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 Grief Share Small Group 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
 Pathfinders 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM  
 Community Chorus Rehearsal 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM  
 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meeting 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Annex  
 Location: Kids Kingdom  
 Location: Kids Kingdom  
 Location: Sanctuary  
 Location: Activity Center

**Wednesday, November 20, 2024**

WINGS 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM  
 Neighbor Helping Neighbor 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
 Pickleball (Peter, Paul & Pickleball) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
 The Gathering Worship Service 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM  
 Chancel Choir Practice 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Location: Fellowship Hall  
 Location: Activity Center  
 Location: Memorial Hall  
 Location: Chapel  
 Location: Music Room

**Thursday, November 21, 2024**

Adult Bible Study Class Lunch Mtg 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM  
 Pickleball (Peter, Paul & Pickleball) 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
 Living Windows 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
 NA Meeting 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Education Room  
 Location: Memorial Hall  
 Location: Knoxville Square  
 Location: Activity Center

**Friday, November 22, 2024**

Almost Free Shop 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
 Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
 Narcotics Anonymous 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Location: Annex  
 Location: Activity Center  
 Location: Activity Center

**Saturday, November 23, 2024**

Clean & Sober Social Group 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
 Chapel Worship Service 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Location: Activity Center  
 Location: Chapel



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Our Mission: "Bring People to Christ"

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**Welcome to Our Visitors!**

To all of you who are here for the first time today, we want to say thank you and Welcome!! We are so glad you are here! And we have a gift for you. Please stop by the Hospitality counter in the Narthex today before you leave to receive it, and enjoy some coffee, sweet treats and fellowship.