

✤ Sunday Worship 10:00 am

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# NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER 2023 States 2023 States 21 Notema 2

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*Our Mission Statement* – *As joyful followers of Jesus Christ, we welcome and care for all people. We boldly proclaim the Good News, share our faith, and love God by serving others.* 

**Our Statement of Welcome** – Accepting those who Christ has already accepted, Kure Memorial Lutheran Church affirms that all people, regardless of race, national origin, sexual orientation, or economic status, are unconditionally welcome to our community of faith and are invited to join us in worship, fellowship, and ministry.

### **FROM PASTOR DAN**

"Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name." (Psalm 100:4)



Thanksgiving is among us...well...almost! Time once again to celebrate God's blessings and give thanks to God for what he has done for us. Many of us may have memories of special times with family or friends!

Just recently I was sharing a story of one of my most memorable and special Thanksgivings with a pastor friend. It was quite a few years ago when Chris, Colleen, Heather, Andro and I traveled to Crossroads Lutheran Camp and Conference Center in northern New Jersey. Our oldest daughter, Lindsey, was attending New York University in New York City at the time. Lindsey took the train on Wednesday evening from the city to its last stop on that particular rail line, which was about 20 minutes from the camp. As we traveled to the train station to pick her up to spend the weekend with us, snow started to fall. By Thanksgiving morning, there was about a foot and half of the most beautiful, fluffy snow you could ever imagine on the ground! So that weekend, we played in the snow, we hiked, we

prepared Thanksgiving dinner together, we hung out together, we relaxed together...we spent priceless time together...and for sure, we gave thanks to God for each other and all the blessings of life!

And you know...it is also probably safe to say that we all know Thanksgiving isn't the only time to give thanks and praise to God for our blessings. It's something we should do all the time, isn't it? And even though we may not consciously say "thank you" as often as we would like, I think one of the ways we give thanks to God is through how we live our lives each and every day as people of God. As Christians, we should live "thankful" lives. Meaning all that we do and all that we say should reflect the thanks we have for what God does in our lives. Do we mess up sometimes? Of course we do! That's the downfall of being human! Does God forgive us and want us to move on! Absolutely! Which is one more thing for us to add to the list of things to be thankful for!

So, with the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives, let us live each day in thankfulness to God as we go about our daily routines...giving thanks to God and praising God's name in all we do!

A blessed Thanksgiving to all of you!

Surfin' on God's Grace!

### **YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY**

October was another great month for our youth! The elementary students have started using the program Dig In and love it. As they finish up with the fruit of the spirit unit, our student's new unit theme will be "The Lord's Prayer" and work through the book of Matthew. There are many fun activities, experiments and games for them to learn and grow with God. As always one of their favorite weeks is helping with Sunday Lunches! Lots of PB&J fun this past month. Our preschoolers are diving into the ocean with the Simply Loved program where they are learning about the beginnings of the Bible. If you would like to **join our amazing Sunday School program**, please feel free to reach out, we are looking for teachers and assistants.











We held another **Faithful Fun Friday** night with the elementary students. We had some new faces since the last one, which is wonderful! Thank you for spreading the word about our great program. The students learned about "Faithfulness". They participated in games, a science experiment and enjoyed yummy pasta. We look forward to our next **Faithful Fun Friday on November 10<sup>th</sup>**.



Please join us for the annual **Fall Festival** on **Sunday November 19th at 11:00am-1:30pm** immediately following the worship service. We look forward to seeing all the families there for fun crafts, food and activities. Christine Hughes <u>kmlcfamilyministry@gmail.com</u>



### FROM THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY

For the month of October we came very close to meeting the goal set by our Mission Plan. We were only \$642 below the goal amount. Sixty-two families contributed Tithes and Offerings, and the number of families contributing weekly ranged from 17 to 30. We also received \$336.00 in Rice Bowl contributions to help *Kids Making It.* Once more we give thanks to all of you whose contributions enable KMLC to live out our Mission Plan.

### **NEWS BITES**

**"Pause, Ponder and Potluck" bible study series for November!** We hope you will join us as we gather for Holy Communion, a potluck meal and a short bible study for the purpose of preparing us for Advent and Christmas! The study is entitled, "The Heart That Grew Three Sizes; Finding Faith in the Story of The Grinch"! It will be a lot of fun and I look forward to some great discussion! If you would like to bring a dish for the meal, please sign up on the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the entryway of the church, or contact the church office at 910-458-5266 or kurememorial@kurememorial.com. *The church will provide meat for each Wednesday.* Following the meal, we will have our study for adults in the fellowship hall as well as a fun session for children in the youth room! We would love to have everyone join us! To prepare for our discussion, I invite you to re-familiarize yourself with the story by either reading the Dr. Seuss book, *"How the Grinch stole Christmas"* or watching one of the versions of the story...my personal favorite is the original cartoon version which can be found here: <a href="https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x3iht2g">https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x3iht2g</a>. We will meet on 4 Wednesdays in November 1, 8, 15, 29. We hope you will join us for this fun series!

Holy Communion on the Second Tuesday of the Month! We invite you to join us on November 14 at 10:30, for a short Holy Communion Service in the sanctuary. This is an opportunity to gather in a small group setting to receive the gift of Holy Communion. And, even if you attend worship and receive communion regularly...it's a chance to gather with others and receive the gift of our Lord Jesus during the week. So mark your calendars...and if you can't make it this month...make plans to join us in December! Feel free to contact Pr. Dan as well to make other arrangements.

**Monthly Men's Breakfast for November!** We will <u>not</u> have a men's breakfast in November. With Thanksgiving coming up and other things making it a busy month, there are no open Saturdays. We will look forward to meeting again in December!

**Part One of our Annual Congregational Meeting:** Will be held on **Sunday, November 19** immediately following our 10am worship. We will be voting on the Mission Plan as well as electing new council members. The plan is for the mission plan to be available for your review prior to the meeting.

**Rice Bowl Offering for November:** The Rice Bowl Offering for November will be designated for **God's Global Barnyard**, which is a ministry of the ELCA's World Hunger! What is God's Global Barnyard you might ask? It is filled with goats, cows, pigs, baby chicks, fish and honeybees! With the purchase of any of these animals, they are given to families and/or communities in developing nations to help them provide for their families and families in their communities. Each animal is valuable in their own way. Check out their website to see how they can help their communities: https://goodgifts.elca.org/animals. Funds from the Rice Bowl offering will be used to purchase one or more of these animals. On a Sunday in December, the children in our Sunday school will decide which animals to purchase based on the amount of money collected! It is always fun to find out what the children come up with! The Rice Bowl Offering will be received during the children's time in worship on November 26. **CHOIR REHEARSAL- TIME CHANGE!** J For the month of November, we will meet for choir rehearsal immediately following Wednesday night's *Pause, Ponder, and Potluck. Please plan to meet around 7:15 ish* on Wednesday November 1, 8, 15 and 29th. If you are interested in joining the choir, PLEASE know you are welcome to join at any time. For more details, see Kristin Woodie (Music and Choir Director) after service, or contact her at knwoodie@gmail.com

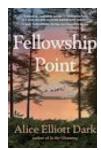
**Christmas Cards!** Thank you to everyone who donated cards. Because of this group effort, we were able to fill up eight Holiday boxes with Christmas cards, birthday cards and blank cards. I like to make my deliveries in early November, and I was able to make drops to eight different nursing/assisted living facilities. Happy Holidays!

**Reminder about Contribution Envelopes for 2024:** We will soon be preparing the boxes of contribution envelopes for distribution. Please contact Lynn in the Church office or Terry, our Financial Secretary if:

- a) you would like to receive a box of envelopes and haven't had one for 2023'
- b) you no longer need a box as your method of offering has gone digital
- c) you have any questions about envelopes and/or making contributions.

**The Sunday Lunch Ministry**: Sunday Lunch continues each Sunday at 12:15. Serving brown bag lunches to folks in need in the Carolina Beach area. We need volunteers to assist with lunch preparation before and after service as well as *distributing lunches at the Community Center on Cape Fear Blvd from 12-1*. Please email Jean Graff (*jean\_s\_graff@charter.net*) or phone 309-339-9272 or just talk with me at church.

**Help Center Christmas Basket Program:** As we have done in previous years, we will be collecting food for the Help Center in Carolina Beach to distribute to local families before the Holidays. Last year, the Help Center asked our Church to collect canned green beans or corn. This year, we are being asked specifically for 80 boxes of Brownie mix. Brownie mixes will be collected continuously throughout the month of November. As in previous years, it will be a "friendly" competition between the North side and the South side of the church. If you livestream our service each week and plan to donate, please feel free to choose whichever side you would like! Or...alternate sides with each donation! The collection baskets will be located behind the last pew and will be labeled "North side" and "South side." Boxes will be carefully counted each week and the totals reported. Last year, we collected in excess of 347 cans of vegetables! Let's see if we can top that in 2023!! Of course, there will be fun prizes at the end!



**Book Club:** During November we will be reading Fellowship Point by Alice Elliott Dark. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall on a date which will be provided in the Bulletin. Everyone is invited to borrow a copy from the public library and join us for our discussion. All are welcome!

From Kirkus Reviews This is a sweeping story of lifelong best friends from Philadelphia Quaker families who share a vacation spot and a moral exigency. Dark confesses in her acknowledgments that she had "doubts about the appeal of two old ladies," but she's written the rare 592-page novel you'll be sorry to finish. From NY Times Review Two larger questions underlie the central, personal ones: What do we owe ourselves and one another, and how do we reconcile the difference? To whom does this land, or any land, truly belong?

**Property Ministry Team:** We will be meeting on **November 7<sup>th</sup>** in the Fellowship Hall at 1:30. \* The Property Ministry team meets monthly on the first Tuesday of the month at 1:30. To learn more about how to get involved with the Property Ministry Team please contact Keith Graff at kjeb415@charter.net.

**Church Council:** The Kure Memorial Lutheran Church Council will be meeting on **Monday, November 13<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Thanks to the many hands—little folks and big folks—who helped to organize and coordinate the Pastor Appreciation celebration on Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. It was great to catch Dan and Chris off guard! -The Service Team

Service Ministry Team: Our meeting will be Tuesday, October November 14<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 on Zoom. For more details please contact MJ Shalanksi at <u>maryjo.shalanski@gmail.com</u> or Jean Graff at Jean S Graff@charter.net.

American Legion Post 129 Holiday Craft Fair: Mark your calendars! On Sunday, November 12, 2023 there will be a Holiday Craft Fair at the American Legion Post 129 (1500 Bridge Barrier Road, Carolina Beach, NC.) The fair runs from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Come on by following Sunday worship and support our local artists. Nancy Baker, Dottie Herman, and Terry Hambel plan on sharing some of their creations.

Kure Beach Holiday Markets: On Saturday, November 18 and Saturday November 25<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00-3:00 pm the Kure Beach Holiday Markets will be taking place under and near the Kure Beach Pavilion. *The Holiday Markets are fun filled events with local artists, craft makers, multiple artisans, and local food vendors!* Every year the market grows, and so do the wonderful donations to Toys for Tots! If you would like to participate in the *Toys for Tots Holiday Drive* for local children, please bring a new unwrapped toy and drop it in one of the Toys for Tots boxes! Don't forget to enter the Holiday Basket Raffle! For more information, please contact Lynn at <u>kurememorial@kurememorial.com</u> (she will be there sharing some of her art and jewelry creations!) or visit the Kure Beach Park and Recreation Facebook page.

# LOCAL AUTHOR VISIT



**Friday Morning Book Group:** We finished reading Forest Bathing... how trees can help you find health and happiness by Dr. Qing Li. Some of the group were able to put what we read into practice.

Recently, we had an author visit from the book we are currently reading, The River is the Border...from Eritrea to Freedom by local author Iris Sandkuhler. (*on the left in the photo*)

We welcome everyone to join us for **Friday Morning Book Club**. We meet every Friday morning at 9:30 AM at the Wetzel's house. Any questions, contact Becky Wetzel at 571-230-6289.

### **KMLC FOOD PANTRY**

**KMLC Food Pantry Box:** Several of our KMLC Food Pantry Box stockers have noticed that certain items are favorites among individuals visiting the Box. These **favored items** include cans or pouches of tuna, canned meat—such as Vienna sausages, Spam, and chicken, cereals, SpaghettiOs, chili, dried fruit, fruit snacks, peanut butter crackers, cheese crackers and chunky soups. \*Cans with pop tops are always appreciated! Questions or suggestions can be emailed to MJ Shalanski at maryjo.shalanski@gmail.com or John Ellen at 67jellen@gmail.com. Thanks for anything that you can do to help sustain this community food ministry!

<u>Pantry Box Sunday</u> The 2nd Sunday of every month is known as **Pantry Box Sunday**! Our next Pantry Box Sunday will be on **November 12<sup>th</sup>**. On this date, we are specifically asking for *chunky soups, tuna, and peanut butter*. Our KMLC Food Pantry Box has become an important food resource in our local community. Thank you for helping sustain this community food ministry!

### **PRAYERS AND POEMS**



We celebrate in gratitude to God for this life abundant that we share in community...

...for the gifts we have already received and those 'unknown blessings on their way,' we give thanks from our hearts, our lips, and with our deeds.

We acknowledge the false narrative of the first Thanksgiving, ignoring the atrocities done to Native people ... we reclaim the values of generosity and compassion shown by Native people to sustain the lives of strangers.

Recognizing that our attitude toward the earth has often been one of consumption, scarcity, or waste...we turn toward proper stewardship, trusting in the abundance of the earth's resources as we work with creation.

Where we have faced our cultural and religious differences with fear and suspicion...

we come with curiosity and interdependence, discovering that in facing both joys and challenges, we can do so better together than apart.

Where this holiday has come to represent over-eating, consumerism, or a duty to spend time with family...we come seeking peace; celebrating work, rest and play; standing in awe of the turn of the seasons; and feeling the 'deep, deep connection of all these things with God.'

Where we equate the fullness of life with our own personal rights or desires... we recognize that 'we are all of us, from birth to death guests at a table which we did not spread.'

For the products of the harvest and the grace given us; for hope, forgiveness and a new beginning... we shout a resounding "THANKS!" to you, God, our Provider.

("Litany of Thanksgiving," by Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago, via Council of Religious Leaders of Metropolitan Chicago's <u>Interfaith Thanksgiving</u> <u>Prayers and Readings</u>)



#### **Veterans Day Prayer**

O Great God, look down on those people today who are suffering. No one is immune to suffering, but today we want to pray for those still hurting from wartime wounds. They have seen heartache, held sorrow close to their heart, and now they suffer. Begin a new work in their life today. We pray for those men and women who have served. Let them feel your comfort. Help them seek the help they might need. And let them know we do not forget them or their service. Amen.

O Jesus, be with those who have lost limbs in the war. There is a constant reminder. It must be painful to remember all you've lost. Help them to heal both physically and mentally. We pray they will have strength to keep going and to keep pushing through to renewed hope. Give them Your power to regain their life again. Amen.

Dear Father, nothing is hidden from You. Even the silent sufferer You see. We lift up those with emotional scars who have served in our military. Those veterans are special to You and You love them. You see them. Strengthen them to seek help from friends or counselors. Give grace and patience to those who care for them. Give wisdom to the doctors who are treating them. We pray for peace for them and relief. Amen.

Heavenly Father who sees all of the hurt, comfort the hearts of those who have lost loved ones in the military. It might seem to us "unfair," but You are the God who ordains our days. Let us remember those families are still grieving today. Remind them of Your love for them. Their loss provides for us a safe place to live and worship You. Keep those families close to Your heart today. Comfort them and let them know we do not forget their loved one's sacrifice. Amen.

O God, we give you praise for these people who have allowed us to serve and worship You in freedom. We do not take for granted that there are millions of people around the world afraid of prison or even death because of what they believe. Our veterans are a significant reason why we do not fear and we thank You for them. Give us the courage and commitment to support them in word and deed, thus showing our gratitude for their service and sacrifice. Amen.



The Earth by *Navarre Scott Momaday* 



Once in his life, a man ought to concentrate his mind upon the remembered earth, I believe.

He ought to give himself up to a particular landscape in his experience, to look at it from as many angles as he can, to wonder about it, to dwell upon it.

He ought to imagine that he touches it with his hands at every season and listens to the sounds that are made upon it.

He ought to imagine the creatures there and all the faintest motions of the wind.

He ought to recollect the glare of noon and all the colors of the dawn and dusk.

For we are held by more than the force of gravity to the earth: It is the entity from which we are sprung, and that into which we are dissolved in time.

The blood of the whole human race is invested in it. We are moored there, rooted as surely, as deeply as are the ancient redwoods and bristlecones.

Navarre Scott Momaday was born on February 27,1934 in Lawton County, Oklahoma. He is the son of the writer Natachee Scott Momaday and the painter Al Momaday. He is enrolled in the Kiowa Tribe of Oklahoma but also has Cherokee heritage from his mother.

Momaday's novel House Made of Dawn led to the breakthrough of Native American literature into the mainstream. It was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction in 1969.

### **WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**

	Ushers	Assisting Ministers	Readers	Sign	AV
November 5	<b>Butch and Garner Von</b>				
November 5	Cannon	Keith Graff	Chris K	Jen Carter	Marcus Matzke
November 12				Amber	Stephanie and
	Don and Georgia Ging	Beth Gavigan	Cory Petermann	Lang	Peyton Hyde Miller
November 19	Tony and Mira Sabetti	Cory Petermann	Beth Gavigan	Jen Carter	Colby Shoffner
	Emery Walters and			Amber	
	-	Keith Graff	John Hughes	Lang	Peter Yandow

### **RACIAL JUSTICE AND EQUITY TEAM**

**From the Racial Justice and Equity Team:** There are a number of events taking place in Wilmington to commemorate the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the 1898 Wilmington Massacre. Below you will find a listing of events that members of our Racial Justice Team will also be attending. If you are interested in attending, please feel free to contact the person listed as the contact person for that event to make arrangements to meet there!

Date	Event/ Detail	Location	Contact
Thursday, November 2 <sup>nd</sup> 5:30pm	- "Victory Undone? African American Civil War Veterans & the Wilmington Coup" by Kaitlin O'Connor, Educator- Sponsored by New Hanover County Library.	Pleasure Island Branch of the New Hanover County Library Food Lion Plaza, Carolina Beach	Martina Frantz T: 4422025831 E: <u>m.doyle021@gmail.com</u>
Wednesday, November 8 <sup>th</sup> 12:00- 1:00pm	<b>"A Documented Conspiracy: The Planning and Events</b> <b>That Led to the Massacre of 1898</b> " - at 1898 Memorial Park- FREE <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/e/a-</u> <u>documented-conspiracy-planning-events-that-led-to-</u> <u>the-1898-massacre-tickets-</u> <u>737373232187?aff=oddtdtcreator</u>	1898 Memorial Park 1018 N. 3 <sup>rd</sup> St. Wilmington	Pr. Dan T: 910-619-8979 E: <u>pdannybeachguy@gmail.com</u>
Thursday, November 9 6:00-7:00pm Sunday, November 12 1:00 pm	<ul> <li>"Moderated Conversation with Stephen Hayes and Dr. Johnson"- at Cameron Art Museum- FREE for members and \$15 for non-members - Sponsored and hosted by Cameron Art Museum.</li> <li>"Dance Theatre of DREAMS in FIGHTING FOR FREEDOM"- Sponsored and held at Cameron Art Museum</li> </ul>	Cameron Art Museum 3201 S. 17 <sup>th</sup> St. Wilmington Cameron Art Museum 3201 S. 17 <sup>th</sup> St. Wilmington	Pat and Mel Jones T: 609-216-3008 (Pat) E: mjones6980@aol.com Pr. Dan and Chris T: 910-619-8979 E: pdannybeachguy@gmail.com
Saturday, November 18 10:00- 11:30am Tuesday, November 28 5:00-7:00pm	<ul> <li>"Urban Hike: I898 and the Stories of Campbell Square"         <ul> <li>Hike starts at St. Stephen's AME, 501 Red Cross Street.</li> <li>https://www.wilmingtonnc.gov/departments/parks-recreation/outdoor-recreation/urban-hike</li> </ul> </li> <li>"Killing Black Consciousness as a Long Project of White Nationalism - Wilmington 1898 to Now" - Discussion will be led by Dr. Nishani Frazier, NC State University Professor and Director of Public History NC State University - at Lumina Theatre, Fisher Student Center,</li> </ul>	St. Stephen's AME 501 Red Cross St. Wilmington Lumina Theater Fisher Student Center UNCW	Chris Keck T: 419-306-1136 E: <u>Chriskeck01@gmail.com</u> Jean Graff T: 309-339-9272 E: <u>Jean_s_graff@charter.net</u>

Additional Events Being offered to commemorate the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary: Below you will find a list of additional events being offered throughout Wilmington. We hope you will consider attending one or more of these events! If you would like to be a contact person for others who would like to go, please contact Pastor Dan!

Date	Event/Detail	Location
Wednesdays, November 1, 8, 15 9:00-12:00pm	<b>"Racial Equity and Trauma Training Series Phase 3: Race and Trauma"</b> - Virtual - Email <u>jvanete@ciscapefear.org</u> to register-Sponsored by the NHC Resiliency Task Force.	Virtual
Sunday, November 5 2:30pm	<b>"I, Too Documentary"</b> Screening - at Cape Fear Museum - Sponsored by the St. Luke AME Church and Cape Fear Museum.	Cape Fear Museum
Wednesday, November 8 6:30pm	"Real Talk: Descendants in Dialogue" - at Beckwith Recital Hall, Cultural Arts Building - Sponsored by UNCW, 1898 Legacies and Futures Research Collective, and Kim Cook.	Beckwith Recital Hall, Cultural Arts Building
Thursday, November 9	<b>9:00am: "Wreath Laying Ceremony"</b> – at 1898 Memorial Park - Sponsored by City of Wilmington & New Hanover County.	1898 Memorial Park
	<b>6-8:00PM</b> : <b>"Wilmington On Fire"</b> Screening and sharing clips of the upcoming sequel: "Wilmington on Fire: Chapter II – at DREAMS of Wilmington-Sponsored by New Hanover County Library and DREAMS.	Dreams of Wilmington
	<b>6:00PM: "1898 and Spanish American War"-</b> at Cape Fear Community College - Union Station RM N-202- Sponsored by The National Black Leadership Caucus of the Southeast.	Cape Fear Community College - Union Station RM N-202
Friday, November 10	<b>9:45am "Multi-Faith Blessing"</b> at the site of The Daily Record - at 709 Church St., Wilmington, NC- Sponsored by UNCW and Kim Cook.	709 Church St., Wilmington, NC
Friday, November 10	<b>3:30-5:30pm: "The Story of Joshua Halsey and his</b> <b>Descendants"-</b> at Saint Mark Episcopal Church, 600 Grace St- Moderated by Tim Pinnick, Wilmington African American Community Remembrance Project. Program centers on the discovery of 1898 victim Josh Halsey using genealogy methods and an ongoing search for friends, associates, and more. For info email blackwilmingtonresearch@gmail.com.	Saint Mark Episcopal Church, 600 Grace St
	6:00pm: "Black Press Rising from the Ashes of 1898: Honoring Mary Alice Thatch" - at Thalian Hall - Sponsored by The National Black Leadership Caucus Southeast.	Thalian Hall
Friday, November 10	<b>"Monument"</b> Exhibition Public Opening - at Cameron Art Museum- Opens 11/10/23. Exhibition will run through 4/4/23 - Sponsored and hosted by Cameron Art Museum.	Cameron Art Museum
Saturday, November 11	<b>9am-12:00pm: "The Alliance for Cape Fear Trees</b> with support from Arbor Day Foundation and TRUIST Bank will plant 30 trees in the neighborhood around St. Luke AME Zion Church, 709 Church St, Wilmington, NC 28401. The staging area for volunteers at 9:00 near the MLK Center or the church.	St. Luke AME Zion Church, 709 Church St

	<b>10am-5:00pm: "US Colored Troops Homecoming Day"</b> - at USCT PARK, Cameron Art Museum- Sponsored at Cameron Art Museum.	USCT PARK, Cameron Art Museum
	<b>2:00pm: "A talk with LeRae Umfleet"</b> - Author of A Day of Blood: The 1898 Wilmington Race Riot - at Thalian Hall - Sponsored by a partnership between NHC Library, WHQR, and CFCC	Thalian Hall
	7:30pm: "Wilmington Symphony Orchestra presents Project 1898 Concert" - at Wilson Center at CFCC - Dr. Steven Errante will arrange music inspired by hymns and songs popular around the time of 1898- Narration by Rhonda	Wilson Center at CFCC
	Bellamy, and performances from Williston Alumni Community Choir, and the premiere of a specially-commissioned piece.	
	<b>1-4:00pm: "1898 Symposium and Essay Contest"-</b> Featuring Bishop William Barber, Dr. Bertha Todd and others. Event is Free at Williston Middle School - Sponsored by the Jervay Foundation and the Wilmington Journal Breakfast Club	Williston Middle School
Sunday,	"Our Work Continues" - at Cape Fear Museum- Join us for a	Cape Fear Museum
November 12	special presentation of the 1898 Soil Jar display Sponsored	
2:30-4:30pm	by the New Hanover County Community Remembrance Project in partnership with the Cape Fear Museum.	
Monday,	"1898 Black Wall Street - Wilmington, NC" - at Upperman	Upperman African American Cultural
November 13	African American Cultural Center UNCW – Sponsored by the	Center UNCW
6:00pm	National Black Leadership Caucus SE Region.	

### HELP CENTER OF FEDERAL POINT

The Help Center of Federal Point: The needs of the Help Center of Federal Point for this month include:

Rice in 1 lb bags Chef Boyardee cans or	Small containers of Peanut Butter	Pasta Sauces
microwaveable containers- with pull top lids.	<b>ners-</b> *Any other canned or packaged shelf stable food items are deeply appreciated an	

### SANCTUARY CANDLE AND FLOWERS

**Sanctuary Candle:** Our Sanctuary Candle burns continually, signifying the unswerving presence of the spirit of the Lord in our hearts and in our lives. To sponsor the sanctuary candle, choose an available Sunday date from the *sign-up form on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall*. Please note that this form is checked the Wednesday before the bulletin is complete. The cost of sponsorship is \$5; an acknowledgement will be made in the Sunday Bulletin. For more information, please contact Lynn during church office hours at 910-458-5266.

**Sanctuary Flowers:** To sponsor sanctuary flowers, please choose an available Sunday date from the <u>sign-up</u> <u>form on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall</u>. It is essential to sign up for dates no later than the Wednesday afternoon, prior to the Sunday date. The cost of sponsorship for the floral arrangement is \$25.00. Your dedication will be acknowledged in the Sunday Bulletin. The flowers will be displayed in the sanctuary. The arrangement is yours to take home to enjoy after service! For more information, please contact Lynn during church office hours at 910-458-5266.

### **KML PRESCHOOL**

#### Kure Memorial Lutheran Preschool Fall Program

"My God is so big, so strong and so mighty. There is nothing my God can not do!"







### **♦ REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

#### Homebound, Hospitalized, Special Concerns

Addison, Andra Ciparis, Ann Scott, April, Aris Mora, Barry Nelder, Beth Deaton, Beth Loony, Billy Ward, Bobby, Brenda King, Chuck Shoaff, Cooper Smith, Cynthia Petermann, Dani Cape, Dave Denne, Dave Harmon, David M. White, Don Bowman, Donna Kern, Eleanor Lundy, Ellen Prevatte, Felicia Scism, Gina Hughes, Herb Flamer, Jaydon Woollard, Jamie Becker, Janet Kassor, Janice Schwartz, Jayne Tomlin, Jen Priddle, Joanne Adams, Joe, Joeley Seitz, John Walker, Joseph Wright, Kaitlin Sprague, Kathleen Meyerson, Kelly Cahill, Kirk Graves, Lee Register, Linda Berg, Lisa Lee, Lorraine Davis Matt Laske, Maxine Jordan, Megan Peoplis, Mel Jones, Molly, Morgan Davison, Nicole, Nicky Hamm, Nolan, Patrick Gavigan, Paula McKenzie, Randy Ray, Roman Miller, Rowan Stark, Sandra Mullins, Sandy O'Donnel, Steve Belford, Steve Shuttleworth, Steve Siferd, Tammy Gillis, Trudy Ford, Victoria Sanchez

#### Friends & Family

Ben Marable, Carter Poelling Family, Chad & Gail Abernathy, Claire Houston, Craig Vaughn, Denise Matroni, Dianne Breed, Ed Gross, Ed Jones, Ellyn Lombardi, Fernando Mazzoni, Jean Behanna, Jean Tennant, Jerry Pryzwara, Joey, Johnson Family, Kevin Stamp, Larry Gilbert, Laura McMahon, Lesley Portu, Mackenzie Clark, Madison, Marilyn Johnson, Megan Manley, Nannette Mauger, Nolan, Olivia Belden & family, Pam Carter, Pamela Kline Bell, Pat Addington, Pat Hankin, Richard White, Rick & Sharon Ellis, Rick Harris, Roger and Marilyn Stowell, Sandy Hunt, Senka Gambino, Steve Post, Terry Ford & Carl Ford, McGraw Family, Tom Grady, Tom Karnatz, Tony Izokaitis, Whitney Johnson *Please pray for the caregivers as they care for those who are ill.* 

<u>Please pray for the missions of our church</u> Federal Point Help Center / Coupons to Service men's families / KMLC Preschool / Good Shepherd (food & supplies) / Trinity Grove / Katie B Hines Senior Center lunch program / The Sunday Lunch Ministry.

#### **\*\*\*Students Attending College / Seminary:**

Christopher Schwenker- Cape Fear Community College / Donovan Woodie- Cape Fear Community College, Emily Graff-Pastoral Internship: Abiding Presence Lutheran; Fuquay Varina / Rachel Pivik-Wayne Junior College / Katie Elkin-Pastoral Internship Zion Lutheran, Loveland, Co. / Andro Keck-University of South Carolina / Mackenzie Clark-Hood College, Maryland/ Isabella Galindo-UNC-Wilmington/ Matthew Shuttleworth-Cape Fear Community College / Mia Shoffner-UNC-Wilmington / Sydney Maguire-College of Charleston / Preston Gourville-Vanderbilt / Kelsey Bloch-UNC-Wilmington / Kari Bloch-Wake Tech / Jordan Gourville-University of South Carolina / Hawthorne Hamm-UNC Chapel Hill, Sydney Roy/Cape Fear Community College

#### **\*\*\*Military Personnel Serving**

Brandon Muehl at Fort Liberty, NC; Col Wayne Lett at McDill Tampa; Duncan Fortney at Mildenhall Air Force Base in the United Kingdom NC; John Brandon in Wayton, Utah; Marley Von Cannon at a Naval Base in Walton County Florida; Nick Schwenker – Fort Liberty, NC; Pastor Drew Goodson, US Navy Chaplain; Rileigh Fortney at Maimstrom AFB, Montana; Steven Blum at Fort Liberty, NC

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### **KMLC STAFF**

Pastor: Church Office Manager: Musician & Choir Director: Coordinator of Youth & Family Ministry Dan Keck Lynn Galindo Kristin Woodie Christine Hughes

#### **COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR 2023**

Gayle Palamara, Beth Gavigan, Eleanor Lundy, Ann-Marie Cooper, Christine Hughes, Cory Petermann, Marcus Matzke, Roshell Heckendorf, Butch Von Cannon

#### **COUNCIL OFFICERS-**

President:Gayle PalamaraVice President:Beth GaviganSecretary:Roshell HeckendorfTreasurer:Eleanor Lundy

#### MINISTRY TEAM CHAIRS

Worship–	Ann-Marie Cooper
Resource –	Peter Yandow
Nurture –	Roshell Heckendorf
Service –	MJ Shalanski
Discipleship –	Darcy Hearne
Preschool-	Celeste Carpenter
Property –	Keith Graff

#### **COUNCIL LIAISONS**

Beth Gavigan

Eleanor Lundy Christine Hughes

# NOVEMBER 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			6:00 Pause, Ponder and Potluck 7:15 ish Choir Rehearsal	Happy Birthday Lynne Denne	9:30-Friday morning book group 5:30 Faithful Fun Friday	Happy Birthday Paul Pivik
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
10- Worship/Sunday school 12:15- Sunday lunch Ministry		10:30- Holy Communion 11-Prayer Circle meets 1:30- Property Ministry Team	Happy Birthday Liana Williamson Happy Birthday Jade Denne 6:00 Pause, Ponder and Potluck 7:15 ish Choir Rehearsal		9:30-Friday morning book group	Happy Birthday Lee Wrenn Happy Birthday Hazel Robertson
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
10- Worship/Sunday school 12:15- Sunday lunch Ministry Happy Birthday Cooper Ullring	6:30- Church Council meeting	<ul><li>11-Prayer Circle meets</li><li>2- Service team meets on Zoom</li></ul>	Happy Birthday Judith Duncan Happy Anniversary Minnie & Harold Larson 6:00 Pause, Ponder and Potluck 7:15 ish Choir Rehearsal	Happy Birthday Sydney Roy	9:30-Friday morning book group Happy Birthday Avery Vrba	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
10- Worship/Sunday school After Worship: Annual Congregation Meeting FALL FESTIVAL 11-1:30 12:15- Sunday lunch Ministry		11-Prayer Circle meets	Happy Birthday Sarah Tardio		9:30-Friday morning book group Happy Birthday Donovan Woodie	Happy Anniversary Sondra & Barry Nelder
26	27	28	29	30		
<ul> <li>10- Worship/Sunday school</li> <li>1215- Sunday lunch Ministry</li> <li>Happy Anniversary Minnie and Harald Larson</li> </ul>	5:30-Book Club meets in Fellowship Hall	11-Prayer Circle meets Happy Birthday Diane Lippard	6:00 Pause, Ponder and Potluck 7:15 ish Choir Practice	Happy Birthday Wayne Van Dyck		