

# *KINGSWOOD GAZETTE*

The official newsletter of Kingswood Methodist Church



## Mother's Day Edition

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Thank you for checking out our May Newsletter. We are trying to make it easier for everyone to stay up-to-date on all events and happenings within the Church Community for the month. If you'd like to add something in next month's Newsletter or if we've forgotten to add something, be sure to contact Stephanie Powell at 434-774-9474. Thank you and we hope you enjoy!

What's inside our latest issue:

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**UPCOMING EVENTS,  
BIRTHDAYS,  
ANNIVERSARIES, AND  
MORE!**



## Recurring Dates and Times

EVERY  
MONDAY  
7PM

*Lay Leader's Bible  
Study*

At Ron and Peggy Sickles Home

EVERY  
TUESDAY  
AT 8AM

*Men's Prayer  
Breakfast*

At Huddle House in Bracey

EVERY  
TUESDAY  
AT 7-8PM

*Men's Alliance*

At Kingswood Methodist Church

EVERY  
WEDNESDAY  
6:30 - 7:30PM

*Serenity Sisterhood*

At Kingswood Methodist Church

*Prayer Lunch*

EVERY  
FRIDAY AT  
NOON

All are welcome! Location changes  
each week so stay tuned to our  
Facebook page!

EVERY  
SECOND  
THURSDAY

*Ray of Hope Food  
Pantry*

950 Nellie Jones Road

6PM LAST  
FRIDAY OF  
EVERY  
MONTH

*Movie Night*

At Kingswood Methodist Church

“She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come. She speaks with wisdom, and faithful instruction is on her tongue. She watches over the affairs of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness. Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her.” – Proverbs 31:25-28

# SAVE THE DATE

**4th**

*Bike Blessing*

**15th**

*Church Council Meeting  
7pm at the Church*

**30th**

*Movie Night  
6pm at the Church*

“As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you.” –  
Isaiah 66:13

# WHAT'S TO *come soon*

*June 16th-20th*

**Vacation Bible School  
"True North"**

*August 3rd*

**Service time will be moved to 10:30am to allow time for  
Confirmation classes**

*October 10th-11th*  
**Extraordinary Women's Conference**

"Listen, my son, to your father's instruction and do not  
forsake your mother's teaching." – Proverbs 1:8

# Vacation BIBLE SCHOOL



*Kingswood Methodist Church*

We would like to invite you to attend our  
Vacation Bible School!

**JUNE 16TH - 20TH, 2025**  
**6PM-8PM**

3 different ways to sign up!

Call Stephanie Powell (434) 774-9474,

visit [www.braceykingswoodchurch.com](http://www.braceykingswoodchurch.com),

or visit [www.facebook.com/KingswoodMethodistChurch](https://www.facebook.com/KingswoodMethodistChurch)

# Happy BIRTHDAY

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*Joyce Tudor*

19

*Linda Garrison*

23

*Willow Morrison*



6

*Sarah Young*

20

*Heidi Sheets*

24

*Carol Corker*



17

*April Fields*

22

*Dianna Plummer*

28

*Corene Clary*

“A wise son brings joy to his father, but a foolish man despises his mother.” – Proverbs 15:20

HAPPY  
*Anniversary!*

16

*Matthew and Stephanie Powell*

18

*Tom and Carol Corker*

*forever*

24

*Glen and Sandy Pittman*

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# Prayer LIST

**Scott and Donna**

**Faye**

**Jeff**

**Tyler**

**Charles**

**Our Military**

**Kathy**

**Yvonne**

**Steve and Stacy**

**Lane**

**Chris and Family**

**Wyatt**

**Jeanne**

**Jane**

**Sandy**

**Corene**

**Brenda**

**Jane**

**Donna**

**Travis**

**Linda**

**Paula**

**Mary**

**Frank**

**Joyce**

**Tammy**

**Karen**

**Debbie**

**Lance**

**Beth**

**Shella**

**Allison**

**Tyler and Sara**

**Wolf**

**David and Aliesha**

**Nadine**

“Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also,  
and he praises her.” – Proverbs 31:28



# KINGSWOOD CHOIR

**4**

**As The Deer Worship Song**  
Emmanuel

**11**

**He Lives**  
Hymn 310

**18**

**One Way Jesus**  
Hillsong

**25**

**Lift High The Cross**  
Hymn 159

**Stephanie Powell**  
*Choir Director*

“What is your mother? A lioness among lions! She lay down among the young lions and reared her cubs. She raised one of her cubs to become a strong young lion.” – Ezekiel 19:2-3



Men's Alliance is Tribes of men across the nation meeting weekly for rugged, outdoor workouts, and real-world devotions around a fire.

It's time to reject isolation. Reject the lie that comfort will make you happy. And reject the facade of everything being fine.

**MASCULINITY AND CHRISTIANITY ARE UNDER ATTACK!  
WE ARE BARBARIAN AMBASSADORS!**

**BARBARIAN: SOMEONE WHO DOES NOT CONFORM TO  
THE PREVAILING CULTURE. ROMANS 12:2 TELLS US TO  
NOT BE CONFORMED TO THIS WORLD.**

**AMBASSADOR: A PERSON WHO REPRESENTS HIS  
SOVEREIGN TO A FOREIGN LAND.**

**2 CORINTHIANS 5:20 TELLS US THAT WE ARE CALLED TO  
BE AMBASSADORS FOR JESUS IN THIS WORLD.**

“Then the mother of the child said, ‘As the Lord lives and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.’ So he arose and followed her.” – 2 Kings 4:30

# Serenity SISTERHOOD

The Serenity Sisterhood started meeting in the beginning of March. We have set up our main scripture and are meeting routine to use each time. We have decided for right now to meet every Wednesday at 6:30pm at the Kingswood Methodist Church. Stephanie Powell and Melanie Winter have been running the meeting to get us started. The idea will be for anyone that would like to run a meeting can sign up and we take turns in leadership. We started with a book called “What your Mind Needs for Anxious Moments” by Holley Gerth to use as a starter for our devotion and discussion. Please join or spread the word to help women in the community connect with God and fellowship with each other. Below we have our scripture and what to expect in the meeting, usually the meeting runs about a hour.

2 May their hearts be given comfort. May they be brought close together in Christian love. May they be rich in understanding and know God’s secret. It is Christ Himself. 3 In Christ are hidden all the riches of wisdom and understanding.

–Colossians 2:2–3 (NLV)

Opening Prayer  
Stretch/yoga/light workout/walk  
Meme/video funny  
Recipe exchange  
Scripture  
Speaker Talk  
Questions/discussion  
Closing Prayer