



CHURCH OF CHRIST

KENSINGTON WOODS

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Sunday: Bible Class—9:00 a.m.; Service—10:00 a.m./5:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Bible Study—6:30 p.m.

August 16, 2026

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LORD,
WHO SHALL ABIDE
in YOUR
TABERNACLE?

WHO SHALL
DWELL *in* YOUR
HOLY HILL?

HE THAT WALKS
uprightly,
and WORKS RIGHTEOUSNESS,
and SPEAKS *the* TRUTH *in* HIS HEART.
PSALM 15:1&2

PRAYER REQUESTS:

(If you have requested prayers for someone, please provide updates when you can.)

- Please be praying for **Nancy Close**, Dan Duda's sister-in-law's mother, who fell and fractured her skull. She is currently in the hospital in upstate New York receiving treatment.
- **Brooke Seymour**, great-niece of Dan Duda, was struck by a vehicle while riding her E-bike and has a fractured pelvis, as well as several scrapes and contusions. Please remember her in your prayers.
- **Demi Nicholson**, daughter of Andrelle Nicholson, is at home recovering from some health issues due to pancreatitis. Sister Andrelle is staying with Demi to help care for her. Please keep Demi and Andrelle in your prayers.
- **Tom Smithmier** is dealing with multiple health issues and has been moved to a facility in Jackson to receive more specialized medical care. Please continue to keep him in your prayers.

- Cancer: **Jessie Pope, Rick Bedwell, Tom Smithmier, Kaitlynn Lankenau, Sharay Wyndham, Robert Barrett, Theron Nobles, Marvin McDonald, Sarah Ervin, Joe Purser, Slim Hartley, Matt Manning, Channing Dahmer, Sandy Ezell, Ronnie Trigg, Sr.**
- Ongoing health issues: **Tommy Trussell, Cookie Midgette, Tom Smithmier**
- Those grieving the loss of loved ones: **The Montgomery Family, The Pitts Family, The Family of Maxine Sherley, Everett Gibson**

1 Thessalonians 5:

16 Rejoice always, **17** pray without ceasing, **18** give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Announcements



August 19—Ladies Bible Class, 11:00 a.m.

August 26—Ladies Bible Class, 11:00 a.m.

August 30—5th Sunday Fellowship Meal, 11:00 a.m.

September 6—First Sunday Supper, 5:00

September 15—BBQ at KW, 11:00 a.m.

Please Note!

- We will be having a fellowship meal on Sunday, August 30th after a.m. service.
- Last names A-L: bring rolls/help set up;
M-Z: bring tea/help clean up

****Meat will be provided, please bring sides and desserts, as well as tea/rolls, based on last name****
We will be having an afternoon service immediately following the fellowship meal.

There will be NO 5:00 p.m. service on August 30th!

Please make plans to join us and invite someone! Bring enough food and beverage for your family and for visitors!

This will be our last 5th Sunday Fellowship Meal for 2026!!

Serve with the **“Adopt a Sister”**

ENCOURAGEMENT MINISTRY!

This is a great opportunity to form a new relationship, to show **love** and **encourage** sisters in any simple and easy way. Use your discretion and choose from your list of favorites!

Hopefully, we will become better acquainted, and new and stronger relationships will flourish.

Let us love one another, for love comes from God. 1 JOHN 4:7

THE DURATION OF THIS SERVICE IS 6 (SIX) WEEKS,
BEGINNING **August 16,** UNTIL **September 27.**

WE WILL CLIMAX WITH A BRIEF GATHERING IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL.

Try a minimum of **ONCE A WEEK** to do a **“GOLDEN DEED”** for your Adopted Sister(s). *This is not a secret!*

SUGGESTED OPPORTUNITIES TO ENCOURAGE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

- Send a card in snail mail.
- Pray daily for her.
- Share an encouraging text message or e-mail.
- Make a phone call.
- Share a meal or drop off a snack.
- Surprise her with a thoughtful happy!

Be creative!

REMEMBER, go into your bag of unique gifts and do what you love.

All of us can use encouragement from time to time.

You never know how a simple act of love can brighten someone's day and bless their heart!

ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER AND BUILD EACH OTHER UP. 1 THESSALONIANS 5:11

If you have any questions regarding the Adopt a Sister ministry, please see Emma Pope.

The Ladies Bible Class has resumed and will be meeting on Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All ladies are invited to attend! Please see Lynn Anderson if you have any questions.

“As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace.” **1 Peter 4:10 ESV**

Privileged to Serve

Week Beginning

August 16, 2026

Coordinator: *John Nicks Galloway*

SUNDAY MORNING

Welcome:

Song Leader:

Opening Prayer:

Lord’s Supper (Presiding):

Speaker: *Ben Rickman*

Closing Prayer:

SUNDAY EVENING

Lord’s Supper:

“Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting *one another*: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.”

Nursery Attendant:
Ginger Renfroe

Group to Serve at Connections Center for the Month:

Group G

Bible Passage of the Week:

Who Can Stand Before God?

Psalms 15

Wednesday Night Bible Class

(August 19):

John Nicks Galloway

Daily Bible Reading Schedule **August**

16th	Rom. 15:14-33	Psa. 94-96
17th	Rom. 16	Psa. 97-99
18th	1 Cor. 1	Psa. 100-102
19th	1 Cor. 2	Psa. 103-104
20th	1 Cor. 3	Psa. 105-106
21st	1 Cor. 4	Psa. 107-109
22nd	1 Cor. 5	Psa. 110-112

“Study to show yourself approved by God, as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”
2 Tim. 2:15

August 9, 2026—Attendance & Contribution

	Actual	Avg.
Bible Study	170	155
Morning Service	212	214
Evening Service	130	120
Wednesday	158	144
Contribution	\$11,953	\$10,870

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