

Today

December 3, 2017



“ The Gift That Changes Everything”
I John 5:11-13
II Corinthians 9:7-8, 15

ACTEENS Mission Project - Our 6-12 Grade ACTEENS girls, under the leadership of Carol Golden, Kathy Seyman and Sharlene Lawrence, will be selling handmade Christmas Ornaments during “The Gathering”, December 3rd and 10th. All monies collected will go to the Lottie Moon offering which supports the International Mission Board in reaching people for Christ overseas.

In our efforts to provide the best experience for our church family, you will begin to see a uniformed Houston Police officer on campus during Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings beginning today. The presence of an officer during our most busy ministry times is a commitment we have to safety and a part of our Officer on Campus program. Please join us in making our officer feel welcome with a heart of thankfulness for their willingness to serve.

Upcoming



Tis the season to host a party! We want to help you host a Christmas “Love Your Neighbor” party. Let us assist with invitations, paper goods, and party favors to make it a festive occasion. This is a busy and stressful season, especially in light of Harvey. If you want to celebrate the Love of God with neighbors we can streamline the process. Contact cshotts@kingwoodfirst.org to sign up.



Sunday, Dec. 17th - During Both Hours - Special Christmas Service with EPIC Children’s/Preschool Choir

Wednesday, Dec. 20th - No Activities

Sunday, Dec. 24th - 10:45am and 5:00pm Christmas Eve Candlelight Services; No LIFE Groups or Childcare, one combined service 10:45am

Sunday, Dec. 31st - No LIFE Groups; Childcare - Babies - 3 year olds will be available, one combined service at 10:45am

Preschool/Children



Children’s Tree

We are excited to introduce a new ministry venture this Christmas called the “Children’s Tree”. The goal of the “Children’s Tree” is to help families provide Christmas gifts for their children and allow parents to rest easier while focusing their efforts on celebrating Christ with their family.

The “Children’s Tree” is a wonderful way for our church body to love and support local families who have been impacted by various difficulties this year, while also maintaining considerate privacy for those who are receiving gifts.

If you would like to participate by providing gift(s) for a child, stop by the “Children’s Tree” display in the Preschool foyer for more details. We are confident that your generosity and support will be a wonderful blessing this Christmas.

Uth

Leadership Track - Today at 4:30 p.m., 3rd Floor
Senior Bible Study - Tonight at 8:00 p.m., at the home of Brian & Paula Pearce

Wednesday Night Activities
5:00p.m. - 3rd Floor and Kitchen opens
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Uth Worship and Bible Study

Sign up today for Winter Retreat! www.kfbcuth.com.
Retreat dates are January 12-15, 2018. We hope to have as many people as possible register before Christmas; please help us reach our goal by registering and turning in paperwork by December 9th.

Senior Adults

AD Players Trip- Friday, December 22, depart from KFBC at 5 pm. Take the county bus to see the 7:30 pm show “The Best Christmas Pageant Ever.” Trip will include a stop at Cleburne’s for dinner. Contact Kari for ticket prices.

For more information about Sr. Adult activities, contact Kari Page: kpage@kingwoodfirst.org

Adults



New Women’s LIFE Group at 9:15 a.m.
A new LIFE Group for women is kicking off next Sunday December 10th. Co-led by Jenn Harris and Lindsey Ehle, this group will meet each Sunday at 9:15 on the 2nd floor of the Education building in room E203. The study will begin in the book of Esther. Contact Sharon Wood at swood@kingwoodfirst.org for more details.



If you’re interested in teaching a LIFE Group, a Disciple LIFE class, leading a ministry at KFBC, or simply finding your place in God’s ministry, **Discipling Leaders** is the place to start. This course begins in January and space is limited.

Contact Stephen Storm at ssstorm@kingwoodfirst.org for details.

Missions



7,460 shoeboxes were collected in our area for Operation Christmas Child. 687 of those were from Kingwood First Baptist! 7,460 children will be blessed by a box filled with goodies and love.

If you tracked your shoebox, we would love to hear where your box went! Email Sharon Wood - swood@kingwoodfirst.org.

Please continue to pray for the children receiving the boxes and for their hearts to be opened to hearing the gospel.

Please remember Kristen Cain and Clara De Ridder who left Friday for Moldova to assist in delivering 10,000 pairs of shoes to impoverished children.

Attendance & Giving

LIFE Group Attendance 11/26/2017

Preschool	101
Children	93
Youth/College	128
Adults	239
Total	561

General Fund Giving as of 11/26/2017

Weekly Offering Needs	\$52,000
Offering 11/26/2017	\$18,430
Offering Goal YTD	\$1,569,000
Actual Offering YTD	\$1,444,222
Over (Under) Budget YTD	(7.95%)
General Fund Balance 10/31/2017	
Budget	\$238,338
Actual	\$208,502

Harvest Offering (11/26/2017)	\$6,450
Harvest Offering to Date	\$45,138
ACTEENS Lottie Moon Mission	\$320

Sermon Notes

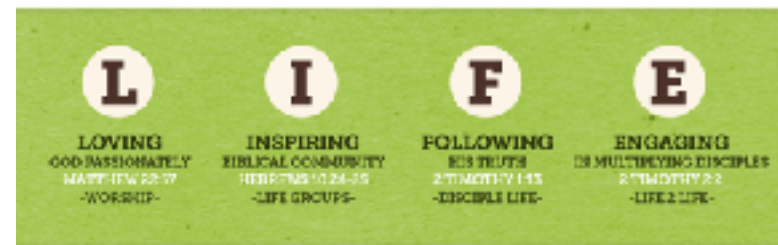
“The Gift That Changes Everything”
I John 5:11-13
II Corinthians 9:7-8, 15

WELCOME

As you worship with us today, it is our desire that you encounter the presence of God and discover, with us, the abundant life that only comes in a relationship with Jesus Christ.

‘I came that they may have life and might have it abundantly.’

John 10:10



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Kingwood

THIS WEEK @ KFBC

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

- 9:15 am KidsTown
- 9:15 am Kids' Kingdom
- 9:15 am LIFE Groups
- 9:15 am Worship Service
- 10:20 am The Gathering
- 10:45 am LIFE Groups
- 10:45 am Worship Service
- 4:30 pm Uth Leadership Track
- 6:00 pm Uth Worship Track
- 8:00 pm Sr. Student Bible Study

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

- 9:30 am Mother's Day Out

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5

- 9:00 am Women's Bible Studies

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

- 9:00 am MOPS
- 5:00 pm Wednesday Night Dinner
- 5:00 pm 3rd Floor Open
- 5:45 pm EPIC
- 5:45 pm Childcare
- 6:00 pm Orchestra Rehearsal
- 6:00 pm DiscipleLIFE Classes (start times vary)
- 6:30 pm Cubbies
- 6:30 pm Uth Worship/Bible Study
- 6:30 pm AWANA Store Night
- 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal
- 8:15 pm Worship Band Practice

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7

- 9:30 am Mother's Day Out

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

Contact Us

Kingwood First Baptist Church

3500 Woodland Hills Drive
Kingwood, Texas 77339
281-358-4266
www.kingwoodfirst.org

Church Office Hours

Mon. - Fri. / 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Library Hours

Sun / 9:00 - 12:00 pm
Wed / 9 am - Noon & 5:30 - 7:30 pm

Prayer Needs

281-358-4266 or esenters@kingwoodfirst.org

To receive an email of our weekly news and announcements-

Email: swood@kingwoodfirst.org

