

Food for thought from J

April 24, 2022

*But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared. And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb, but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel. And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, “Why do you seek the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. – Luke 24:1-6*

**HE IS RISEN INDEED. HALLELUJAH!**

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*The Chancel Flowers are given in memory of Art Chriss and Kristi Chriss by Susan Chriss*

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR  
CONFIRMED AND BAPTIZED  
MEMBERS**

Bryleigh Winter Fekete  
Cable Lucas Fekete  
Natalie Anneise Hubbard  
Evie Gray Thipgen  
John Maddox Thipgen  
Rosemary Catherine Thipgen  
Ian Andrew Walker

**MEMORIAL GIFTS**

In memory of **Martha Ann Elizondo** by Lynda & Bennett Massey

In memory of **Glenn Killough** by John Richey; Lynn & Wes Ezzell; Sue & Bill Pope; Lynda & Bennett Massey

In memory of **Dr. R.A. Chipman** by Doris Rowe

In memory of **Evelyn Walker** by Debby & Eric Hubbard

## LOVE OFFERING

As Greg transitions to Columbus Hospice, Staff Parish Relations Committee would like to show our appreciation to he and Alaina for their 2 years of service at Wynnton. We will be presenting them with a love offering in May. Between now and May 1<sup>st</sup> you can contribute to the love offering by mailing or placing a check in the offering plate designated for Greg Harrison's love offering.

Deb McCranie, SPR Chair

## Youth Sunday School



Youth Sunday School meets in the Basement from 9:45-10:45 a.m. Sunday mornings. Students in 6th through 12th grade are welcome to join us for coffee, donuts, and topical discussions of God's word.

Beginning April 24th, we will start a new series exploring where students can find God. We will explore the Old Testament stories of the building of the Tabernacle and Solomon's Temple. We're going to be "hands on", building dioramas of both! We'll explore the detail that scripture captures, how the Israelites interacted with God, and how the meta-narrative of the Bible continues today in how we meet and experience God.

If you'd like more information about Wynnton's youth program, please contact Rob Harbison, r.harbison@mchsi.com, (706) 289-3082.



Join us for Sunday night youth on **April 24**, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. here at the church in the basement. We'll have a cookout dinner, an ice cream sundae bar, games, and a Dr. Seuss Rap Slam, plus a time of Bible study.

Please RSVP to Rob Harbison, r.harbison@mchsi.com, (706) 289-3082 so that we know how much food to prepare.

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Plans are being made for our Packing Party this year! In October, we will fill our boxes for children around the world.

If you prefer to fill your own box, that is fine OR you can do both!

Different items will be requested each month to bring to the church. A bag will be in each SS class for these items. There will also be a bin in the hall for items. The goal is to pack 250 boxes this year!

In April, we are collecting deodorant (for older children) and wash cloths. We will continue to collect hair brushes, plain ball caps, hair bands, large combs, toothbrushes and soap.

In a message from Samaritan's Purse: Praise God for shoebox gifts that were collected last year.

Thank you and all Glory to God!!

### Items Collected so far:

148 Bars of Soap  
59 Hair Brushes  
114 Toothbrushes  
96 Ball caps  
88 Wash Cloths  
74 Large Combs  
33 Deodorant

Keep up the good work! Each one bring one of each. Please. Would love to pack 250 boxes!!

## WYNNTON ARTS ACADEMY NEEDS

1. School supplies--teachers need glue sticks, pencils, markers, notebook paper
2. Cookie decorating supplies: sprinkles, small candies like M&Ms, or Skittles, small containers of icing, plastic spoons, small paper plates.
3. Bags of individually wrapped candy for the end-of-school-year celebration of positive behavior rewards.

Please deliver to the door of the school or leave in the blue bin at church for Shirley Wright to deliver.

## JOYFUL NOTES FROM THE CHOIR! 🎵

Members of our Chancel Choir and Wesley Choir will present Lloyd Larson's powerful Holy Week/ Eastertide Cantata, *Worthy Is the Lamb*, this Sunday at both the 8:30 and 11:00 services. This Cantata in three parts;

I. *Revered King*,

II. *Rejected Messiah*,

III. *Risen Savior*, is described by Lloyd Larson as "the compelling story of God's plan to deliver all people from the clutches of sin and death." It is a powerful reminder that Isaiah's words were fulfilled in Jesus' death and resurrection. *Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows... He was wounded for our transgressions; He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.*

WORTHY IS THE LAMB! by Lloyd Larson

*Revered King*

*Rejected Messiah*

*Risen Savior*

Wynnton Choir

narration by Dom and Alyssa Edwards

*Because of the death and resurrection of Jesus, we who believe shall one day join the heavenly host in a never-ending hymn of praise: Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!"*  
(Revelation 5:12)

God's Great Peace to You!

Diana B.

### BE A WYNNTON WELCOMER

WE NEED YOU! to sign-up as a Sunday morning welcomer. We are looking for volunteers to fill open slots through the end of May. Check your calendars for a few Sundays you are available to help us greet our members and guests on Sunday morning. Sign-up sheets will be available in the main hallway this Sunday.

### Children's Programs

The nursery is available from 8:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. as well as Sunday School for grades K-12 from 9:45-10:50 a.m. The nursery for infants through age 3 is on the first floor of the Grimes building. Children's Sunday School for K-5th Grade is on the 2nd floor of the Grimes building, and youth Sunday school is in the basement under the sanctuary. Children's Church will be offered for children through 5th Grade in the Children's Center in the Grimes building during the worship hour.

### CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Through Old Testament stories and mission projects, our children have been learning who God is, how He loves us and is always with us, and how we are to love God and love others. Children in Pre-K through 5th grade are welcome to join us for Children's Sunday School from 9:45 a.m. to 10:50 a.m. on the second floor of the Grimes building.

### Our Known Prayer Concerns:

Sue Rogers	Lexy McRae
Matthew Allen	Dorothy Robinson
Bobby Porch	Kerry Mess
Lillian Cox	Jennefer Spell
Lynn Christenson	Jim Accordino
Beverly Ragsdale	Gwen Bolin
Jean McGlamry	Joyce Hawkins
Aubrey Walker	Margie Spurlin
The Meacham Family	Denise Hill
Jimmy Kent	Patsy Blalock
Daro Miller	Linda Osborne
Jake Wood	Alexandria Ridley
Kimberly Smith	

### Christian Sympathy for loss of loved one:

Family of Brad Trim  
Family of Lenore Ash  
Family of Larry Googe  
Family of Barbara Stevenson  
Family of Charles Ward  
Family of Martha Ann Elizondo  
Family of Glenn Killough

## WYNNTON UMC COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

The Scholarship Committee is now accepting applications for the 2022 College Scholarship. The scholarship is for members of Wynnton pursuing any field of study at an accredited school of higher learning. Applications along with guidelines for the scholarship are now available in the church office. All applications must be received in the church office no later than **May 1, 2022**. For further information, please call the church office at 706-324-2424.

## READING THROUGH THE BIBLE

**April 24:** Acts 10:1-33, Joshua 7-8, Job 24  
**April 25:** Acts 10:34-48, Joshua 9-10, Job 25  
**April 26:** Acts 11:1-18, Joshua 11-12, Job 26  
**April 27:** Acts 11:19-30, Joshua 13-14, Job 27  
**April 28:** Acts 12, Joshua 15-17, Job 28  
**April 29:** Acts 13:1-25, Joshua 18-19, Job 29  
**April 30:** Acts 13:26-52, Joshua 20-21, Job 30

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

24 Diana Boensel, Graham Johnson, Gwen Myers,  
Carson Powell  
25 Emily Coats  
26 Noah Miley  
27 Maddie Fields, Bobby Gatewood  
28 Carol Balderson, Jessica Kahmann  
29 Kenny Evans  
30 Mary Nell Blasingame, Cora Maye Gerken

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Sunday, April 24

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service - Sanctuary  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for Adults, Youth &  
Children  
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service - Sanctuary  
Streams Live on Facebook  
11:00 a.m. Children's Church - Grimes Building  
5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Basement - Youth

### Monday, April 25

10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study - Library

### Tuesday, April 26

9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting - Library

### Wednesday, April 27

10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study - Alpha Bldg.  
5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Prayer Chapel & Book  
Study - Pathfinders Class  
6:30-7:15 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal - Bell Room  
7:15-8:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, April 28

7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study - Alpha Bldg.  
9:45 a.m. Backpacks of Grace

## OUR STEWARDSHIP

### 4-17-22

General Fund.....	10,506.51
Easter Offering.....	1,695.00
Endowment.....	150.00
Missions.....	50.00
Other Contributions.....	330.00
Sunday School.....	48.00

## PASTOR ON-CALL

For emergencies April 22-24  
Rev. J Grantham 706-681-3258