



Food for thought from J

August 22, 2021

Wynnton Neighborhood Housing and Wynnton Neighborhood Network are both wonderful ministries that are supported by our church and that make a real and significant difference in peoples' lives, right here in our surrounding community. Since its inception, Wynnton Neighborhood Housing has made the dream of home ownership a reality for numerous families in the east Wynnton area, while also helping to beautify and enhance the overall safety of the community. Similarly, Wynnton Neighborhood Network is successfully addressing the challenge of providing food security to hundreds of neighborhood families on a daily basis through its food bank located at St. Thomas Episcopal Church. As a church, Wynnton has been one of the major funding sources for both of these organizations over the years through its corporate fund-raising activities like the Midtown Classic and Yard Sale and the efforts of Sunday School classes and individual donors and volunteers.

Now, we are presented with another great opportunity to provide financial support to both of these worthwhile ministries while enjoying a great presentation of music. On Sunday, August 22, 2021, at 4:00 P.M. Wynnton will host a concert by the Columbus Musicians Consortium in our sanctuary. This event is the first of many to be scheduled around Columbus and organized by Marc Boensel, the husband of our very own Director of Music, Diana. Marc is the Director of Music for St. Luke UMC, and he also serves on the staff at Columbus State University. This event will feature mostly classical music presented by string quartet, wind ensemble, and vocal and organ soloists. While there is no cost to attend, there will be an opportunity to make donations for the benefit of Wynnton Neighborhood Housing and Wynnton Neighborhood Network at the concert. Gifts to support these ministries can be made by check payable to Wynnton United Methodist Church and designating the funds to benefit these organizations.

We hope you will plan to attend this wonderful event and support these two missions while enjoying God's wonderful gift of music.

*The Chancel Flowers are given
for the glory of God and in
celebration of 55 years of
marriage by Lynda & Bennett
Massey.*

FLOWER DELIVERY

Judy Davidson

GIFTS OF LOVE

In honor of **The Chancel Choir** by Alice Smith

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of **Rev. Jim Trice** by Sue & Bill Pope

In memory of **Richard Geeslin** by Cynthia Ragan
McLemore

In memory of **Steve Smith** by Nancy Hammond; Mary
Braswell; Jenny Horton; Lynn L. Butler & Larry
Letson; Betty Woodruff; Jerry Adams; Sue & Bill Pope;
Cindy & Randy Autry; Pam & Bob Gilstrap; Vicki &
Billy Ragan; Carolyn Holland; Jean Mullins; Jenna
Robinson

IN MEMORIAM

Richard Geeslin
August 12, 2021

"In my Father's house are many mansions..."

Save the Date

The "Columbus Musicians Consortium", a philanthropic arts organization, will present its first concert, on Sunday, August 22, at 4:00 p.m. in the Wynnton sanctuary.

The concert is free to the public, but an offering will be collected to benefit the *Wynnton Neighborhood Network & Wynnton Neighborhood Housing*.

BASEMENT NEWS



August 22: Regular Basement, Dinner and Games
August 29: Movie Night (in the Basement)

BASEMENT

For information about the Wynnton Youth Group contact Rob Harbison, (706) 289-3082, r.harbison@mchsi.com

JOYFUL NOTES FROM THE CHOIR! 🎵

"Worship is a gift from God. It gives man a way to relate to Him." Pastor Richard Palmer, Trinity Church, London. Each week we gather to praise God and declare what we believe. We praise God through word and musical expression. Our music reaches down into our souls and gives heart, emotion, and meaning to our words. Though worship has changed throughout time, two elements are constant; gathering together and the use of singing. We sing to encourage each other, to lift each other up. We also sing to help others discover their voice.

Ephesians 5:19-20

Speak to one another with psalms, hymns and spiritual songs. Sing and make music in your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Singing with Spirit, and making music in your heart to the Lord, is exactly what composer Elton Roth did when he stepped into a neighborhood church to escape the sweltering heat in Texas. According to his description, the church was empty and quiet, with a "lingering of the sacred presence." As he walked the aisles of this church, he began to sing a melody to what would become one of the first hymns he wrote: "In My Heart There Rings a Melody". Within the hour, he had sketched out the entire hymn with words and introduced it that evening at an evangelistic meeting. He expressed delight that his whole being was transformed by the song. Sunday, August 22, the Chancel Choir will sing a Larry Shackley arrangement of Elton Roth's hymn, "In My Heart There Rings a Melody". The four-hand piano accompaniment is lively and fun, with the feel of a Sousa march. Shackley's choral arrangement provides a rousing, joyful version of this hymn-song.

"In My Heart There Rings a Melody" Piano in Four Hands - Kay Hart, Donna Thigpen arranged by Larry Shackley
I have a song that Jesus gave me, it was sent from heav'n above; there never was a sweeter melody, 'tis a melody of love. In my heart there rings a melody, there rings a melody with heaven's harmony. In my heart there rings a melody, there rings a melody of love. I love the Christ who died on Calv'ry, for He washed my sins away. He put within my heart a melody, and I know it's there to stay. In my heart there rings a melody, there rings a melody with heaven's harmony. In my heart there rings a melody, there rings a melody of love. 'Twill be my endless theme in glory, with the angels I will sing; 'twill be a song with glorious harmony, when the courts of heaven ring. In my heart there rings a melody, there rings a melody with heaven's harmony. In my heart there rings a melody, there rings a melody of love.

God's Great Peace to You,
Diana B.

BIBLE COOKIES KIES

Children's Programs

There is nothing sweeter than God's love! Cookies are small, often bite-sized treats. Jesus taught his followers using short and sweet stories called parables that can teach us a lot about how God wants us to live and how much he loves us.

The nursery is available from 9:30 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 3-year olds 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.



The youth are starting a new Sunday School series on Christian doctrine from the Book of Romans, beginning August 15th.

BE A WYNNTON WELCOMER

WE NEED YOU! - to sign-up as a Sunday morning welcomer. We are still looking for volunteers to fill open slots through the end of October. 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.

NEW!

Parents' Sunday School class 9:45am

Have children still "in the nest"?

You're invited to a new Sunday School community that seeks to encourage, challenge, and grow with others in the child-raising stage of life.

Nursery and children's Sunday School is offered at the same time. Stick around for worship at 11am!



Wynnton DMC | 2412 Wynnton Road

SUNDAY'S SERMON

Comfort and Challenge
John 14:1-7

Rev. J Grantham

PASTOR ON-CALL

For emergencies Aug. 20-22
Rev. J Grantham 706-681-3258

WANT TO HELP?

The children at Wynnton Arts Academy are in need of elementary age sized khaki pants, shorts, skirts, skorts, red polo shirts & underwear.

They are also in need of school supplies. Here are some suggestions: Crayons (small, box of 24 - fat, box of 8) Pencils (yellow #2), Large pink erasers (about 2 1/2x1x1/2) – not pencil toppers), Kleenex, Hand sanitizer (large), Band-Aids, Wide-ruled notebook paper, Fat primary pencils, Glue sticks, Ziploc bags (all sizes), Scissors (blunt tip), Colored markers (fat, 8 per box), Dry erase markers (black and assorted colors).

If you would like to help, please place the items in the bin in front of the library.



Operation Christmas Child

Hope you have found several school supplies for your Samaritan's purse shoebox. If you have not gotten school supplies, there are still plenty available, and they are at good prices. NOW, you might want to add some other things to your box collection. I would suggest you get wash cloths and bars of soap. This is always a needed item. Another thing to look for is short sleeve tee shirts. These go on sale about this time of year. Just remember, plain tee shirts are best. Ball caps are a fun item for older children. WalMart has these plain caps. Any questions, please contact me. Thanks, Pam

READING THROUGH THE BIBLE

- August 22:** John 5:1-18, 1 Chronicles 18-19, Zechariah 7
- August 23:** John 5:19-47, 1 Chronicles 20:1-22:1, Zechariah 8
- August 24:** John 6:1-24, 1 Chronicles 22:2-23:1, Zechariah 9
- August 25:** John 6:25-59, 1 Chronicles 24, Zechariah 10
- August 26:** John 6:60-71, 1 Chronicles 25-26, Zechariah 11
- August 27:** John 7:1-24, 1 Chronicles 27-28, Zechariah 12
- August 28:** John 7:25-52, 1 Chronicles 29, Zechariah 13

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 22 Joshua Calvert, Mallory Lotz
- 23 James Gatewood, Carter Greer, Reggie Kelley, Glenn Summerlin, Angie Walker
- 24 Joey Dryman
- 26 Betty Garrett, Eric Sears

OUR STEWARDSHIP

8-15-21	
General Fund.....	11,375.00
Endowment.....	425.00
Missions.....	114.00
Music.....	200.00
Other Contributions.....	143.00

Our Known Prayer Concerns:

Sue Rogers	Lexie McRae
Glenn Killough	Kathy Draughon
Matthew Allen	Debi Meacham Wright
Anne Turner	Dorothy Robinson
Bobby Porch	Wanda Jones
Lillian Cox	Kerry Mess
Lynn Christenson	Jennefer Spell
Beverly Ragsdale	

Christian Sympathy for loss of loved one:

Sandy Dryman & family
Nancy Hammond & family
Mike Johnson & family
Chris Alexander & family
Ernest Hale & family
Agnes Tew & family
John Richey & family
Sharon White & family
Maria & Joe Bannon & family
Alice Smith & family
Family of Joanne Cole
Family of Rev. Jim Trice
Family of Richard Geeslin

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, August 22

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for Adults, Youth & Children
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
Rev. J Grantham - Streams Live on Facebook
11:00 a.m. The Link - Fellowship Hall
Rev. Greg Harrison
11:00 a.m. Children's Church - Grimes Building
4:00 p.m. Columbus Musicians Consortium
Concert - Sanctuary
5:00-7:00 p.m. Basement - Youth

Tuesday, August 24

9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting

Wednesday, August 25

10:00 a.m. Women's Zoom Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, August 26

6:30 a.m. Men's Zoom Bible Study