

## Welcome Visitors

We hope you will find our service to be Christ centered, uplifting, warm and loving, and that you will visit us again. If we can be of assistance to you or answer questions for you, please do not hesitate to ask or call on us. Join us as we seek to praise and worship God in spirit and truth.

## Order of Worship

Announcements  
Opening Prayer  
Song  
Scripture Reading  
Song  
Sermon & Invitation  
Song  
Offering  
Communion  
Closing Prayer

### LUKEWARM

It's time to pick your side NOW  
Jesus or the world?

### BACKSLIDERS

It's time to REPENT  
and come back home!

### UNBELIEVERS

It's time to REPENT and  
surrender your lives to God!

### BELIEVERS

Stay encouraged, keep the  
Faith, our REDEMPTION draws near!

## Prayer Concerns

### OUR KBCOC FAMILY

Carolyn Binns, Margaret Briggs, Paula Edwards, Nettie Gardner, Mitchell Goodman, Mary Gragg, Kywanda Hines, Raymond Jackson, Charles Jacobs, Niyah & Novah Jacobs (Daughters of Skylar & Kalissha Jacobs), James McCray, Marie Nolan, Linda Shepard, Cal Sheets, Tessie Smith and Bobbie Suber

### FAMILY & FRIENDS

Andy Boykin, Stephen Bragg Family, Henry & Pearl Johnson, Patrice Joseph, Elaine Lambert, Dewayne McCray, Antonio Robertson, Corrine Smith, Sherrill Stephens, Brad Tolbert and Vera Suber

### IN THE MILITARY

Blake Block, Shan Ivey & husband, Logan Malik Smith, Deshawn Suber and Kevin Trotter

Continued prayers for all of the following families that have lost their loved ones this year (2 Corinthians 1:3-4):

Paula Edwards Family  
Mary Gragg Family  
Patricia Haynes Family  
William Hines Family  
Linda Goodman Sheets Family  
Amari Smith Family  
Kattie Trotter Family



## Announcements

### Baptismal Helpers

July/August

Marie Jackson & Kattie Trotter



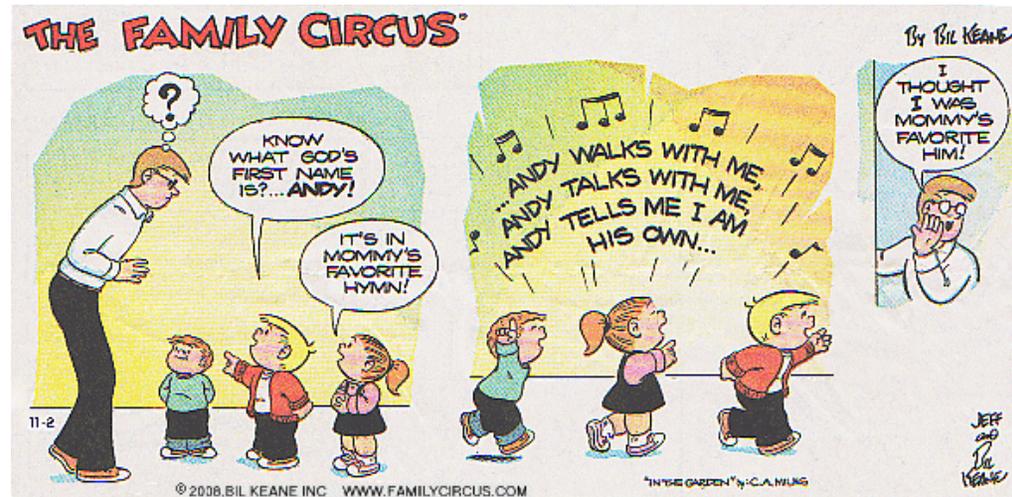
### August Birthdays

- 05 Jose Binns
- 06 Joyce Darrough
- 09 April Vincent
- 10 Monwah Jackson
- 11 Jasmine Haynes
- 13 Carla Binns
- 28 Shaveta Watson

An umbrella cannot  
stop the rain but it  
allows us to stand  
in the rain.  
Faith in God may not  
remove our trials but  
it gives us strength  
to overcome them

**SINS ARE  
LIKE  
WEEDS IN  
A GARDEN**

Keep them out or they will take over.



**AUGUST 18, 2024**

## *Kennedy Blvd. Church of Christ*

### **SUNDAY**

Bible Study

10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship

11:00 a.m.

### **WEDNESDAY**

Bible Study

7:00 p.m.

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Passcode: 361200

*The Friendly  
Church with  
a Vital  
Message*

## **THE PASSING OF TIME**

The rules at a particular university were such that if the professor were not present in the classroom by 15 minutes past the hour, the class was considered a "walk" and the students were free to leave -- with no penalties for missing a class. The rooms were equipped with the type wall clocks which "jumped" ahead each minute, in a very noticeable fashion. These clocks were also not of the most sophisticated construction. Some enterprising student discovered that if one were to hit the clock with chalkboard erasers, it would cause the clock to "jump" ahead one minute.

So, it became almost daily routine for these students to take target practice at the clock (as it would have it, this particular professor was not the most punctual). A few well-aimed erasers, and lo, 15 minutes were passed, and class dismissed itself.

When the day for the next exam rolled around, the professor strolled into the room, passed out the exams, and told them "You have one hour to complete it."

The professor then proceeded to collect the erasers from around the room and gleefully took aim at the clock. When he had successfully "jumped" the clock forward one hour, he closed the class and collected the exam papers.

We'll all been in situations where we would like for time to jump ahead and move faster than it does. But, as we get older, we become aware that time is moving quite fast enough on its own, without any help!

"My days are swifter than a weaver's shuttle..." (Job 2:6)

"Now my days are swifter than a runner; They flee away....They pass by like swift ships, Like an eagle swooping on its prey." (Job 9:25-26)

"For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away." (James 4:14b)

The Bible speaks often about how quickly life passes, not to depress us, but to bring us to the realization that we had better be preparing now for the eternity that lies beyond this life.

If you find yourself watching the clock at work today, wishing the time would pass faster, be careful! It will be gone before you know it.