



# The WYANDOTTE VISITOR

## 2023



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 outward-focused for  
 Jesus Christ."*

**OFFICE HOURS**  
 Tuesday-Friday  
 10:00AM—1:00PM  
*(but please call first!)*  
 Office closed on Monday

Dear friends,

We begin the month of November with the celebration of All Saints Sunday on November 5. During worship we will take a moment to remember those who we love but see no more. I want to encourage you to bring a picture (or more than one) along with you to worship, and you will be given the opportunity to share with others in the congregation about your loved one(s).

As we move into November, our focus shifts toward our stewardship of the gifts we've been given. The title of our series is "Entrusted," and we will consider how we have been entrusted with God's good gifts and our responsibility in their use for our lives and ministries. You will be given the opportunity to determine how you will support the church in the coming year with your prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness. I hope you will join us for this series.

On November 12, the District Charge Conference will take place at Grace UMC in Olathe 1-3 PM. I will be attending and have space in my car for 3-4 others besides myself. It is important that representatives from Wyandotte attend and if we have more who are interested than will fit in my car, I'm certainly willing to lead a convoy there. Please let me know if you would like to attend.

During the week of Thanksgiving, Steve and I will be making our annual pilgrimage to central Illinois to spend time with family. Both of our children and their significant others are planning to be there, so our whole family will be together for the long weekend. I will be taking the entire week off to allow time for the baking required before traveling. During my absence, please contact Kathy Manherz if you have a pastoral care need and she will reach out to the pastor on call.

Typically, on the Saturday after Thanksgiving, we decorate for Advent, however, this year, Advent doesn't begin until the first Sunday in December. Therefore, our preparation for Advent will not take place until Saturday, December 2. Go ahead and put it on your calendars now, so that in the lead-up to the holidays, the date doesn't get filled with something else.

We have another busy month ahead of us! Let's do all that we can to shine God's light into our community and world. See you in church!

Blessings,

*Pastor Kim*

**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS NOVEMBER 5 AT 2:00 AM!  
 DON'T FORGET TO "FALL" BACK!**

If you forget to change your clock, you may end up at the church an hour early, and you can finally attend that Sunday School class you've been meaning to check out. Or, if you normally attend Sunday School, you can help greet people as they arrive.

**Please welcome our new members:**

**Cathie Turk** 6238 Lathrop Ave, Kansas City, KS 66104 913-579-2530

**Marissa Gaddis** 6238 Lathrop Ave, Kansas City, KS 66104 913-283-0287

**Delores (Dee) Rau** 6246 Parallel Parkway #211, Kansas City, KS 66102 816-258-4581

## November Sermon Schedule

### From Every Tribe

November 5	From Every Tribe (All Saints Sunday)
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### Entrusted

November 12	Who Is Responsible for my Oil? (Matthew 23:1-12)
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November 19	Multiplying Our Impact (Matthew 25:1-13)
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November 26	Anticipating the Advent (Luke 1:68-79)
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#### WOMEN'S MINISTRY:

##### Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible Study Women's Bible Study is seeking a new leader. Let Pastor Kim know if you are interested.

##### Ladies Quilting Group

Meets on Mondays, 9:30 AM-Noon  
New ladies are always welcome!

##### Friendship Circle

Thursday, November 16, 2023 at 10:00AM

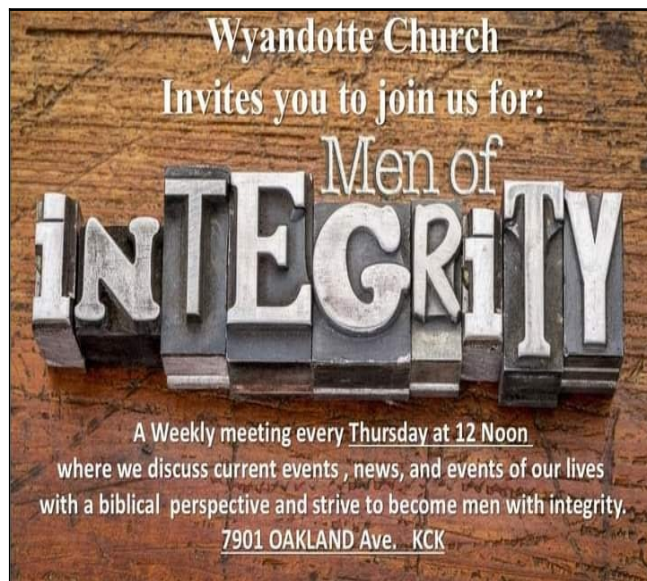
#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

##### Two Adult Sunday School Classes are available

Pastor Kim leads a weekly Sunday School class that meets in the Library each Sunday at 9:00 AM. We have been studying the book *The Small Church Advantage: Seven powerful worship practices that work best in small settings* by Teresa J. Stewart (ISBN 978-1-950899-72-2). *The Wired Word* continues to be sent out, and we will probably resume using it this month.

The Crusaders Class is an adult Sunday school class that meets in the room just off Fellowship Hall. They participate in a number of different studies. This class also meets at 9:00 am.

**Children's Sunday school is available when children are present.**



The Outreach Committee has chosen The HUB, a ministry of the UMC in Argentine, to be a recipient of our congregational generosity. They have given us a list of hygiene supplies to be made available in their free community market. There will be a different focus each month. **For the month of November, paper towels, dessert mix, and gloves are the focus.** Donations can be placed in the Fellowship Hall.

#### Wyandotte Dinners Out

Wednesday, November 1  
Location: Pizza Stop  
6:00 PM

Wednesday, November 15  
Location: Pizza Stop  
(Please note this change)  
6:00 PM

# NOVEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			<b>1</b> <b>Talk Books</b> 1:00 PM-3:00 PM  S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-6:00 PM  Wyandotte Dinner Out Pizza Stop 6:00 PM	<b>2</b> <b>Outreach Committee</b> 10:00 AM  Men of Integrity Noon	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b> Sunday School 9:00 AM  <b>All Saints Sunday</b> Worship Service <b>Communion</b> 10:00 AM  Turn the clocks back Remember to move your clocks back one hour. 	<b>6</b> Ladies Quilting 9:30 AM-Noon	<b>7</b> 	<b>8</b> <b>Worship Committee</b> 10:00 AM  S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-7:00 PM	<b>9</b> Men of Integrity Noon	<b>10</b> Newsletter Deadline Noon	<b>11</b> 
<b>12</b> Sunday School 9:00 AM  Worship Service 10:00 AM  <b>District Charge Conference</b> 1-3 PM Grace UMC-Olathe	<b>13</b> Ladies Quilting 9:30 AM-Noon	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-6:00 PM Dotte Spot  Wyandotte Dinner Out <b>Pizza Stop</b> 6:00 PM	<b>16</b> <b>Friendship Circle</b> 10:00 AM  Men of Integrity Noon  <b>Trinity Group</b> 4:30-7:00 PM	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>19</b> Sunday School 9:00 AM  Worship Service <b>Loud Offering</b> 10:00 AM	<b>20</b> Ladies Quilting 9:30 AM-Noon	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-7:00 PM	<b>23</b> Office Closed 	<b>24</b> Office Closed	<b>25</b> <b>Family Game Night</b> 6:00PM-9:00PM
<b>Pastor Kim on vacation through 11/26</b>						
<b>26</b> Sunday School 9:00 AM  Worship Service 10:00 AM  <span style="background-color: yellow; padding: 2px;">Pastor Kim out</span>	<b>27</b> Ladies Quilting 9:30 AM-Noon  <b>Food Kitchen</b> 9:30 AM	<b>28</b> Mailing of the Newsletter	<b>29</b> S.H.A.R.E. 3:00 PM-7:00 PM	<b>30</b> Men of Integrity Noon	<b>Decorating the church for Advent will take place on Saturday, December 2 at 10:00 AM.</b>	

*How have you been blessed?*

*How will you bless others?*



As we move into the holiday season,  
everybody seems to want your money!

As you consider your own financial situation,  
please remember to give thanks to God for  
what you have, rather than being concerned  
with what you lack.

# SHARE

Come unwind in the middle of a hectic week. Come enjoy a time of coloring and fellowship in a relaxed atmosphere.

Join us every Wednesday from 3:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Sites vary, see calendar

All are welcome and need not be a member of the church to join.

## Preaching Schedule

November 5	Rev. Kim Dominic
November 12	Rev. Kim Dominic
November 19	Rev. Kim Dominic
November 26	Margo Sims Gardner

## Scripture Reader

November 5	Fay Sturm-White
November 12	Ruth Miller
November 19	Pat Gates
November 26	Ramona Stowe

If you'd like to read scripture on Sunday, get with Pastor Kim or contact the office at 788-5503.

## Nursery at 10:00 am

November 5	Kathy M & Pat Gates
November 12	TBD
November 19	Jennifer & Ramona
November 26	TBD

To volunteer in the nursery:  
You can sign up in the sanctuary or contact Jennifer Beard at: [jebeard28@gmail.com](mailto:jebeard28@gmail.com)

## Chin Service Hosts

November 5	Don & Nancy Bradbury, Donna Leshner, Bob Babbitt
November 12	Kathy Manherz, Fay Sturm-White
November 19	Tim & Ramona Stowe
November 26	Carla & Robert Chadwick



Sundays 10:00 AM

Worship with us ONLINE at

[www.wyandotteumc.com](http://www.wyandotteumc.com)

or

[www.Facebook.com/WyandotteUMC/videos](https://www.facebook.com/WyandotteUMC/videos)

## END OF LIFE GUIDELINE SERIES

by Barbara Karnes, RN



The church has a series of booklets written by Barbara Karnes, RN that deal with end of life issues for people going through challenging times for themselves and loved ones. Please feel free to check them out through the office.

If you're not attending in-person worship, please continue to mail in your offerings. If you need offering envelopes, please call the office.

## NEWSLETTER

Newsletters are sent by e-mail.

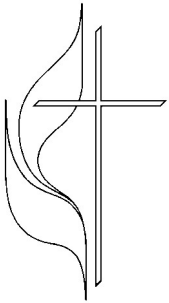
If you prefer a printed copy, please call or email the office and one will be sent to you.

Deadline for articles for the December Newsletter will be Friday, November 10, 2023.  
(please send by email to [admin@wyandotteumc.com](mailto:admin@wyandotteumc.com).)

### NOTE

Mailing of the December Newsletter will be Tuesday, November 28, 2023.

If you have an address update or correction, please let the office know by calling: 913-788-5503 or emailing [admin@wyandotteumc.com](mailto:admin@wyandotteumc.com).



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**RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED**

**TIME SENSITIVE**

Please save your Best Choice labels for  
 United Women in Faith.

Labels go in the box on the shelf above the coat rack  
 in Fellowship Hall. All labels are due by the end of  
 November.

Would you like to see your name on the front of The  
 Wyandotte Visitor? Sponsor the newsletter for \$50  
 and you will be recognized as the sponsor of the  
 month! Call the church for details.

Our charity quilting group is running low on sup-  
 plies. If you have unused fabric, batting, fiberfill, or  
 thread you can spare, please consider donating it to  
 this ministry. They will use these materials to make  
 neck pillows, fidget blankets, lap robes, and other  
 items to improve the comfort of many peo-  
 ple. Thank you for your help!

**Help Raise Funds for Church Maintenance Projects**

Maintaining the church building can be costly and you  
 can help by purchasing gift cards from the Trustees.  
 Christmas gifts card orders must be turned in  
 to Donna Lesher by December 4.  
 Order forms are available in the sanctuary,  
 next to the offering box.

**November Birthdays and Anniversaries**

11/1 - Dara Lynne Daugherty	11/17 - Tim Nelms
11/7 - <i>Jeremy &amp; Shona Jones</i>	11/17 - Jerry Parsons
11/7 - Jerri Porter	11/27 - Derek Sturm
11/8 - Bob Evans	11/27 - Rosie Stewart
11/11 - Bryan Caldwell	11/30 - Tina Randolph
11/17 - Boyd Leighow	11/30 - Jeremy Jones

If your birthday or anniversary is not shown on the listing that  
 is printed each month, please call the church office so it can  
 be added to our list.

**Thank  
 You**

Thanks to everyone for the nice  
 bereavement dinner. We love and  
 appreciate all of you.

Thanks!

Bill & Judi

Dear Wyandotte United Methodist Church friends,  
 Thank you so much for your assistance with our roof project. It was  
 such a blessing to us to have both your financial support, but also  
 your prayer support.

Thank you!

Pastor Cindy Boyer  
 Victory Hills Baptist Church