

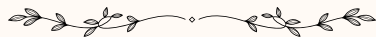
Luke 20:27-38 (NRSVUE)

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him and asked him a question: "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married a woman and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally, the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her." Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage, but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed, they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised, Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead but of the living, for to him all of them are alive."



Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the Glory of God by Hughes and Sue Gentry in honor of the Gentry Family Birthdays: Geoff Gentry, Jen G. Shields, Hazel Dunsky, Mary Ann Gentry and Holton Gentry.



Last Saturday, a floral arrangement was placed in the sanctuary in memory of Doug Thomas by Lisa Childress. It was mistakenly grouped with the arrangements delivered that day for Kathy O'Connell's service. We sincerely apologize for the confusion and thank Lisa for her thoughtful tribute.

Welcome to **King Moravian Church**



November 9, 2025

228 W. Dalton Rd, King, NC 27021
336-283-5322

www.kingmoravianchurch.org

Church Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (Mon. - Fri.)

Zach Dease Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (Mon., Tues., Thurs.)

Watchword for the Week:

*For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth.
Job 19:25*

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Order of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Please record your visit in the friendship pads located in the pews.

Greeting

Prelude - “Adagio from 30 Componimenti per Organo”

Padre Giovanni Banista Martini (1706-1784)

Call to Worship - “Blessed Be the Lord”

Hal H. Hopson

Blessed be the Lord, the Lord God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting!

Let all the people sing: “Amen.”

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

As it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end.

Amen.

Prayer

Responsive Reading

See Insert

(Children in kindergarten- 3rd grade leave the sanctuary for Godly Play)

Offertory - “Chaconne for Organ”

Martha Sobaje (b. 1948)

***Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

Anthem - “I Hear A Voice A-Prayin”

Houston Bright

Oh Lawd, Oh Lawd, save my soul,

Oh Lawd, Oh Lawd, save my soul.

I hear a voice a-prayin’, Lawd.

I hear a voice a-prayin’, Hallelujah.

I hear a voice a-cryin’, Oh Lawd, save-a my soul.

Hallelujah, Lawd.

Every time I hear a sinner pray,

I wonder if I’m ready for the Judgment Day.

Every time I hear a sinner cry,

I wonder where I’m goin’ when I come to die.

Every time I hear the parson preach,

I wonder if salvation is in-a my reach.

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Scripture - Luke 20:27-38

Sermon

Zach Dease

Holy Communion p.196

Benediction

Postlude - “Lobe Den Herren (Praise the Lord)”

August Reinhard (1831-1912)

*Please stand if able

Prayers



church members

Ken Alley	Ray Horner
Anna Lou Anderson	Amy Jackson
Kathleen Anderson	Don Lucas
Pat Anderson	Terri Lyda
Linda Bowman	Carolyn Newsome
Carolyn Byerly	O'Connell Family
Jay Donathan	Jim Picket
Hillary Douglas	Charlie Reeves
Jennifer Dunn	Jози Stevens
Rachel Falls	Stephanie Stewart
Margie Hall	Bob Sullivan
Paula Hall	Nancy Witt
Sally Hartgrove	

family and friends

Patty Agee	Karen Krysak
Eleanor Ashburn	Ayla Oseguera
Trevor Bass	Patty Pollard
Terri Bias	Silas Porter
Lauryn Boisvert	Ron Prisby
Bonnie Campbell	Pat Riddle
Zakkerie Collins	John Sampsell
Leigha Davis	Brent Sevier
Peggy Dickerson	Larry Shamel
Cassie Flincham	Bill Smith
Doris Gilbert	Brad Tedder
Nathan Godwin	Meriella Vanzant
Kathryn Hartgrove	Tana Villafana
Mike Helms	Jacob Ward
Beky Ingle	Doyle Watson
David Kincaid	Mike Weatherman
Lucille Martin	Steve Williams
Rose Martin	Gary Wood
Roman Nelson	

Attendance 11/02/25: 150

Pastor: Zach Dease (zdease36@gmail.com)

Trustees Chair: Cynthia Sevier (seviermom@gmail.com)

Elders Vice-Chair: Leah Simpson (leah.simpson1883@gmail.com)

Sunday, November 9

- Church Council after service

Monday, November 10

- Handbells rehearsal at 6:00 p.m. (old sanctuary)

Wednesday, November 12

- MH&SH Friendsgiving in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 p.m.
- Choir Practice at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 13

- No Bible Study

Saturday, November 15

- Candle Tea Trial Run at 10:00 a.m.
- Tea & Scone Event in the Fellowship Hall from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 16

- Youth Christmas Program Rehearsal after Church
- MH&SH Lunch at Dario and Mission work after Church
- Circle of Faith in the Lady's Parlor at 12:30 p.m.
- Young Adult Freindsgiving Potluck in the Fellowship Hall at 5:30 p.m.

COMING UP!

NEEDS OF AYLA OSEGUERA: XL Adult Diapers

TEA & SCONE EVENT: November 15th from 2:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Join Adam Plant in the fellowship hall for a cozy afternoon with freshly brewed tea and a selection of scones. There will be goodies, giveaways, and information about a 2026 group trip to Scotland.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP (HS Graduates - age 40): Friendsgiving Potluck, November 16th at 5:30 p.m. (fellowship hall). Childcare provided.

CIRCLE OF JOY: November 19th at 11:30 a.m. (fellowship hall)

CANDLE TEA: To purchase tickets for this year's candle tea on November 21st and 22nd, please visit the church website. On the home page, click or scan the QR code to purchase.

Serving Today

Bible Time: Holly Mathis
Nursery: Leah Simpson
Greeters: Doug Gordon
Karen Gordon

Serving Next Week

Bible Time: Karen Gordon and
Sue Gentry
Nursery: Beth Donnelly
Greeters: Piper Mathis
Bill Pulliam

Financials through October

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|---------------------------|--------------|
| • Offerings | \$317,190.64 |
| • Budget expenses | \$336,384.78 |
| • Provincial share (Oct.) | \$4,956.44 |

Responsive Reading
Psalm 63 and Psalm 103/ Come Thou Fount of
Every Blessing MBW 782

*Come, thou Fount of ev'ry blessing,
tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing,
call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount - I'm fixed upon it -
mount of God's redeeming love.*

You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you;

I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you,

In a dry and parched land where there is no water.

I have seen you in the sanctuary and beheld your power and your glory.

Because your love is better than life,

My lips will glorify you.

I will praise you as long as I live,

And in your name I will lift up my hands.

I will be fully satisfied as with the richest of foods;

With singing lips my mouth will praise you.

On my bed I remember you;

I think of you through the watches of the night.

Because you are my help,

I sing in the shadow of your wings.

I cling to you;

Your right hand upholds me.

Praise the Lord, my soul; all my inmost being, praise God's holy name.

Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all God's benefits—

Who forgives all your sins

And heals all your diseases,

Who redeems your life from the pit

And crowns you with love and compassion,

Who satisfies your desires with good things

So that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

The Lord works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed.

The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love.

*Here I find my greatest treasure;
hither by thy help I've come;
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,
safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
wand'ring from the fold of God;
he, to rescue me from danger,
bought me with his precious blood.*

God will not always accuse, nor will God harbor anger forever;

God does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.

For as high as the heavens are above the earth,

So great is God's love for those who fear God;

As far as the east is from the west,

So far has God removed our transgressions from us.

As a father has compassion on his children,

So the Lord has compassion on those who fear God;

For God knows how we are formed,

God remembers that we are dust.

But from everlasting to everlasting the Lord's love is with those who fear God,

And God's righteousness with their children's children—

With those who keep God's covenant and remember to obey God's precepts.

*Praise the Lord, my soul!
O, to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be!
Let that grace, Lord, like a fetter,
bind my wand'ring heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart, O take and seal it;
seal it for thy courts above.*

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