

## Leadership Day

Saturday, August 29, 9am – 3pm  
in the Fellowship Hall



New to King Avenue? Or a long-time member? Doesn't matter. Leadership Day has something for you. Join us and enhance your leadership potential here at King Avenue!

- Network with people who share similar interests.
- Explore your strengths and talents with Doug Gill.
- Examine intergenerational communication styles between and among Baby Boomers, Gen-Xers and Millennials with April Olt.
- Get tips on how to get good things done for God from some current King Avenue lay leaders: Judy Callander, Shawn Compton, Tania Cox, Barb Shoulders, Robbi Spanoudis, and Tom Poole.

Early Registration through July 26 (\$20/person)  
Late Registration July 27-August 20 (\$25/person)  
Need-based Scholarships Available

Registration fee includes: *StrengthsFinders 2.0*, StrengthFinders' code for online assessment, childcare, lunch, and other conference materials.

For more information, visit [www.kingave.org](http://www.kingave.org).

**Sponsored by the Faith Formation Committee  
at King Avenue United Methodist Church.**

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## August Preaching Schedule

### August 2

*Communion*

John Keeny

John 6:1-15

Psalm 14\*

### August 9

John Keeny

John 6:24-35

Psalm 51:1-12\*

### August 16

*Native American Ministries Sunday*

Jaired Birks

John 17

### August 23

Colleen Ogle

John 6:35, 41-51

Psalm 130\*

### August 30

John Keeny

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9\*

\*preaching text

## Condolences

Roger Aschenbach,

father of Doug Aschenbach, who died on Friday, July 3.

Vada Price,

mother of Shane Poole, who died on June 27.

Richard (Ric) Andrew Horrocks,

a King Avenue member, who died on June 18.

Allan Michael Cantrell and Gabriel Gerald Cantrell,  
grandsons of Brian Monzon, who died on June 14, 2015.

## August Special Offering

On Sunday, August 16 during worship services a special offering will be collected during the closing hymn for **Native American Ministries**, which is one of the six Churchwide Special Sundays of The United Methodist Church. Native American Ministries Sunday nurtures mission with Native Americans and provides scholarships for United Methodist Native American seminarians.



Please make checks payable to KING AVENUE UMC and indicate NAMS on the memo line.

## GIVING MATTERS by Bill Brownson

### Mid-Year Finance Update

Thank you! Thank you for making King Avenue's ministries possible. Earlier this year our income was below budget, below our expenses and below the prior year's income. We shared this information with you and you responded. As of June 30, we're back on plan! We are only halfway through the year, so things could change, and our needs continue. Among other things, before winter we need to replace windows in the administrative offices at an estimated cost of \$30,000, some of which are in such bad shape that they won't shut completely. Summer is perhaps the busiest time of the year for children and youth ministries with both mission trips and Vacation Bible School. Your financial support - all year long - ensures we can make a difference in the lives of those we touch. Again, thank you.

We invite your interest in the financial condition of your church. If you have questions or would like to know more, please contact Business Manager, Diana Sells [diana.sells@gmail.com](mailto:diana.sells@gmail.com) or (614) 424-6050, ext. 104, or Finance Chair, Bill Brownson, at [bbrownson82@gmail.com](mailto:bbrownson82@gmail.com) or (614) 361-7759.

## INFANT AND TODDLER MINISTRY by Kathleen Knight

You are invited to a worship service for babies, toddlers, and their families! Introduce young children to Christian themes through a monthly joyful, playful, and inclusive worship service. During summer session, we meet the second Sunday of each month in the Logos Lounge (in the basement) from 10:05-10:40am to sing, pray, and hear stories. Please join us July 12 and August 9 as we wrap up our summer theme, "Who is God?"

Volunteers are needed this fall (starting August 23) to lead activities for babies, toddlers, and their families 10:15-10:45am

each Sunday. There are two options for volunteers, and neither requires experience: Leaders for the Toddler Worship Service will read stories and lead songs, prayers, and activities with families (all materials and training are provided). Children's Reading Day volunteers will welcome parents to read with their children from our large library of inclusive and Christian children's books.

**Please contact Jim Levally,**  
[jimlevally@kingave.org](mailto:jimlevally@kingave.org),  
**for more information.**



by Judy Callander

LOVE WINS! What an exciting and proud time for our King Avenue community. We welcome the growing number of new people who are walking through our OPEN DOORS on Sunday mornings. We look forward to our **September 27 luncheon** and our second **Square Dance Night is on Saturday, November 14**. More information will be sent out in email blasts and on Facebook.

Spectrum is also sponsoring a cruise to Mexico from November 2-7. Contact John Alfano or Brian Miller at (614) 799-1390 or [bmiller@cruiseplanners.com](mailto:bmiller@cruiseplanners.com).

Sign-up to receive Spectrum/LGBTIQA Fellowship Email Blasts

**Judy Callander**

[judith.callander@sbcglobal.net](mailto:judith.callander@sbcglobal.net)

## KING AVENUE PLAYERS by Max Moore

King Avenue Players is pleased to present Robert Harling's classic dramedy *Steel Magnolias* as its Fall 2015 production.

Show dates are October 22-25. **Auditions will be held on August 30 and 31 at 6pm in the Parlor.** The cast consists of six women. Those auditioning should come prepared to do a few cold readings from the script (provided).

For information about the show, visit King Avenue Player's website at <http://kingaveplayers.weebly.com/> or email us at [kingavenueplayers@gmail.com](mailto:kingavenueplayers@gmail.com).

## THE WALLS ARE GOING UP! by Larry Ziniel

King Avenue's first mission year with the Hilliard Adopt A House affiliate of Habitat for Humanity is off to a great start! So far nine of our fellow parishioners have donated 66 hours of their time to help build a nice new home for Sulieman and Nora Saleh and their two young sons. A rather rainy month of June hampered the construction schedule but certainly didn't dampen the spirits of our team. New friendships are being formed, new skills are being learned and gradually the house and the detached garage are starting to take shape! Pastor Colleen was on hand in late June to take part in the house commencement ceremony with clergy members from two of the other affiliate churches, representatives from Habitat for Humanity MidOhio and the City of Columbus, and several volunteers as we prayed for a joyous and safe home building season.

We expect to be working on the house well into November and we look forward



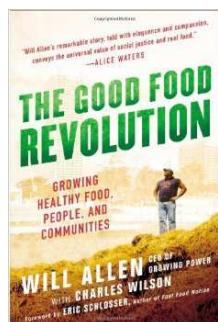
*King Avenue member and Habitat for Humanity MidOhio volunteer, EBeth Scott, with Nora Saleh, the home's future owner.*

to welcoming more volunteers from KAUMC to the job site to share in this wonderful ministry of sharing and caring. For more information on how to get started, please contact Larry Ziniel at (614) 282-8371 or [larry\\_ziniel@yahoo.com](mailto:larry_ziniel@yahoo.com).

## August Birthdays

If a birthday has not been listed, please contact the church office, 424-6050, ext.100.

<b>1st</b> Evan Bender	<b>11th</b> Ellen Betz	<b>20th</b> Tim Bechtol
<b>2nd</b> Megan Adelman	Mike Mitchell	Kathy Clevenger
Marc Aiello	John O'Connor	Luke Fox
Sherry Swartzel	Tom Wallace	Emily Grazier
<b>4th</b> Adam Richmond	Willa Young	<b>21st</b> John Wooden
<b>6th</b> Maisy Adams	<b>13th</b> Beth Aiello	<b>23rd</b> Timothy Boucher
Trisha Knapper	Carly Bedinghaus	Abbey Carpenter
Halsten Sukosd	Misty McVay	Karen Krupa
<b>7th</b> Pete Kengeter	<b>14th</b> Lucy Chappell	Luke McDevitt
Bob Leutz	Christina Hummel	Annabel Newsom
<b>8th</b> Maxton Cole	Megan Shelton	<b>24th</b> Ted Welch
Matthew Johnson	<b>15th</b> Garrett Guillozet	<b>27th</b> Dennis Chew
Steve Shipp	<b>16th</b> Sherri Higgins	<b>28th</b> Larry Fugate
<b>9th</b> Christy Davis	<b>17th</b> Michael Billups	Lori Morris
Elizabeth Grazier	<b>18th</b> Jude Rupp	<b>29th</b> Lora Fish
<b>10th</b> Hillary Billups	Alek Shymanski	Dirk Orr
Lynda Mahaffey	<b>19th</b> Michael Hicks	
Phoebe Ramming	Stephanie Hummel	
Eb Towne	Jennifer Tower	
Benjamin Wright		



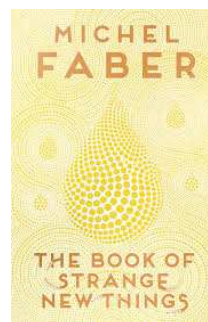
### Lit Club

August 30 at 7pm in the Logos Lounge

*The Good Food Revolution* by Will Allen

September 27

*The Book of Strange New Things* by Michael Faber





# Mission Partnerships

## **NNEMAP** by Anne Nelson

### **Ohio State Fundraiser**

This fundraiser runs Wednesday, July 29 thru Sunday, August 9. We need a total of 108 shifts to cover three shifts per day with three on each 4-hour shift for 12 days. We will be closed at the pantry for those days. Please email, Roy Clark, [director@nnemappantry.org](mailto:director@nnemappantry.org), if you can volunteer with the time and contact info. He will contact you with the times.

### **Grooming Kit Project**

King Avenue is ask to collect 1500 deodorants. Dead line is August 23. Please place the deodorant in the NNEMAP cart or box. We are hoping that moving this project out of the busy 4<sup>th</sup> quarter is helpful to our church.

### **Now Hiring**

We will have an *Operations Manager position* open in August. It is a paid position, and part time. Any interested candi-

dates should send their resume to [director@nnemappantry.org](mailto:director@nnemappantry.org). I will send them a job description.

### **Homeless Items Needed**

*Faith On 8<sup>th</sup>* is a homeless shelter just a short walk from NNEMAP. In the first few weeks we were not seeing our normal homeless population. However, when we took flyers to the shelter that changed quickly. Homeless items are again needed along with the items listed.

### **Items for August**

Cereal, canned vegetables, toothpaste, toothbrushes, diapers, sugar and detergent. Homeless needs include pop top meet, chili and fruit.

Visit our website [www.nnemappantry.org](http://www.nnemappantry.org) to see urgent needs and the latest opportunities to volunteer.

[nnemappantry.org](http://nnemappantry.org)

## **NEW LIFE UMC** by Sharon Poole

### **Special Needs**

Cereal

Men's clothing of all kinds

Hygiene products such as body lotion, toothpaste, and toothbrushes

[newlifeunitedmethodist.org](http://newlifeunitedmethodist.org)

## Summer Office Hours

The church office is closed **on Fridays** through August 31.  
It will be open Monday – Thursday, 9am – 3pm.

## Fair Trade Coffee & Chocolate Sales

On sale the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month  
between/after services in the Milling Area  
and/or Fellowship Hall



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Open hearts, Open minds, Open doors.

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## Mission Statement

*We invite, welcome and honor all people  
and nurture them to grow in service with Christ.*

## Worship Services

9am Morning Blend in the Fellowship Hall  
11am Traditional Service in the Sanctuary

## Sunday School

10am Children's Sunday School and Choir  
10am Adult Sunday School

Senior Pastor  
Associate Pastor  
Stone Village Church Pastor  
Director of Children's & Youth Ministries  
Children & Youth Education Coordinator  
Student Pastor of Young Adult Connections  
Building Manager  
Director of Music  
Organist  
Carillonneur  
Finance Manager  
Office Manager  
Director of Online Communications  
Sunday Hospitality Coordinator

John Keeny  
Colleen Ogle  
John Wooden  
April Olt  
Jim LeVally  
John Henderson  
Bill Meadows  
Chris McManus  
Andrew Willis  
Jeff Wyckoff  
Diana Sells  
Rebecca Naas  
Rhonda Luetje  
Marlene Wagonrod