

# KING'S COURIER |

Bulletin/Newsletter



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Bible Study Each Tuesday  
7:00 PM on Zoom  
6202312033  
Passcode 203354

Monday thru Friday  
Meaningful Moments with  
God on Facebook at 8:00 AM  
under  
Darrell S. Greene, Sr.

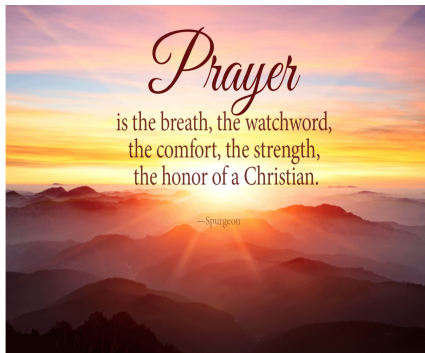
Listen for  
*God's Voice*  
*In everything you do*

## Are You Listening?

Do you remember how it was when you were a little kid. Your parents would be talking to you and you would pay them no mind. After a while, your mother would say, "Are you listening?" You would answer, "Yes, I hear You," knowing all the while that you were not listening.

That is how it is now. The question we are being asked is "are we listening?" That question can be applied to whether we are listening to the sermons on Sunday morning. Are we listening to the words we read in the Bible? Are we listening to God's voice. He speaks to us all of the time. He speaks through the clouds. He speaks through the wind and the rain. He speaks to us through people we encounter along the way. He speaks through a still small voice. The question is if God is speaking to us in so many ways, why aren't we listening?

Maybe we aren't listening because there are too many distractions. Maybe, we aren't listening because we don't have time to listen. Maybe we



## Our Prayer Concerns

Rev. Major McGuire  
 Faith Scales  
 Carol Campbell  
 Charlotte & Lafonze  
 Kim & Michael Burnett  
 Chris Kennard  
 Barbara Prophet  
 Brenda Valentine  
 Karen Valentine  
 Allen Price  
 Marjorie Price  
 Gigi safe travel  
 Charlean & Stuart Mitchell  
 Solomon Easterling  
 Denise Jenkins  
 Vanessa Davis  
 Brian Davis  
 Dwight Davis  
 Truth & Cherry Thomas  
 Hugh & Vanessa Ferguson  
 Immigration/IcE  
 Problems  
 Pastor Greene  
 MLK Church  
 Pope Leon  
 Allen Best  
 Larry Williams  
 Darrell and friends  
 traveling mercy

aren't listening because we are afraid of what God will tell us. We need to be still and know that God is everywhere and in everything. There is no escaping from the voice of God. We just need to stand still so we can hear God as He speaks. His voice gives us life. His voice gives us direction. His voice speaks peace to us in ways we cannot imagine.

Take time this week to read the Word, sit still, be quiet and listen. The old gospel hymn says "I'll be somewhere listening for my name." Let that be your mantra - be somewhere listening to God.



**Early Voting**  
**starts this**  
**week**



## This Week

**18th - Maya 's Birthday**  
**21st - Joan and Bobby's**  
**Anniversary**

*“I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord.”*

***Determined to Do the Lord’s Work***

***Order of Worship Celebration***

***Sunday, October 18, 2026***

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship and Invocation

The Morning Hymn                      “All Hail the Power”                      #     3

The Morning Prayer                      “My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me”                      #     53

The Congregational Hymn                      “No, Not One”                      #     62

The Welcome and Announcements

The Faith Offering                      “Jesus in the Morning”                      #     72

Scripture Reading                      James 1:21-25

Sermonic Hymn                      “I Really Love the Lord”                      Bulletin

Sermon                      Rev Dr. Joan Sturtevant

Hymn of Invitation.                      “Somebody’s Knocking At Your Door”                      #     370

The General Offering.                      Guided

The Hymn of Departure                      “Let the Church Say Amen”.                      Bulletin

The Benediction                      Pastor

## **I Really Love the Lord**

**I really love the Lord**

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**You don't know what He's done for me**

**Faith is the victory**

**I love Him, I love Him**

**I really love the Lord**

## **Let the Church Say Amen**

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**God has spoken, I**

**Let the church say, Amen.**

## **Special Reminder**

**Church Family Meeting**

**Saturday, November 14, 2026**

**10 AM**

**All members asked to be present!**

## Upcoming Events



**Guilford Elementary School is having a Trunk and Treat. Larae is making packets and needs candy and other items to complete that task. If you can help, bring your items in on next Sunday.**

## Thanksgiving Basket Collection

**We are asking individuals to purchase turkeys and other goods for the baskets. You can buy turkeys and hold them for us. Also purchase other items needed.**



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## Goldennaires Jazz Concert

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**Wednesday, November 18, 2026**

**7-8 PM**

**Here at the Church**

**Invite others to come**

## **Church Ministries**

Worship Celebration

Sunday Morning 10:00 AM

In Person and Virtual Worship

Communion - First Sunday Each Month

Bible Study Tuesdays

7:00 PM on ZOOM

Sign in 620 231 2033

Passcode 203354

Women's Ministry on Zoom

Second Saturday each month at 5:00 PM

Zoom 851 7676 2019

Passcode 389920

Men's Ministry Fellowship

Third Saturday as Scheduled

Meaningful Movements with God

Monday through Friday

8:00 AM

On Facebook under Darrell S. Greene Sr.

Join us daily for study from the Word of God

Don't forget to share the Blessing Bags with others!