

FLOWERS:

The flowers today are given by Margaret Headley, remembering the September 25th birthday of her aunt, Virginia Bush.

If you would like to put flowers in the sanctuary in October, please call Karen Cox at (804) 436-0416, or the KBC office at (804) 435-1703.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Handbells Practice – Tuesdays at 6:00pm

Bible Study – Wednesdays at 9:30am, ALL are welcome.

Choir Practice – Weds. at 6:00pm (note the new time of 6:00 not 6:30)

CONCERT:

KBC will host a Concert to benefit the Boys and Girls Club at 3:00pm, Saturday, October 11, featuring the pastor and friends. All proceeds will benefit the BGCNN Capital Campaign.



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Kilmarnock Baptist Church

Welcome to Worship!

Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

September 28, 2025

Order of Worship

Please quiet voices, hearts, and cell phones in preparation for worship.

Preparation:

I asked God for all things, that I might enjoy life. God gave me life, that I might enjoy all things. - Author unknown

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude

Have Thine Own Way

ADELAIDE

Welcome and Announcements

Edna Mason

Invocation

Edna Mason

Handbell Choir	<i>Sweet Hour of Prayer</i>	SWEET HOUR
Old Testament Reading	Amos 6: 1a, 4-7 (pg. 747)	Rick Ferrell
Hymn of Praise * 6	<i>Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise</i>	ST. DENIO
New Testament	1 Timothy 6: 9 - 12 (pg. 965)	Rick Ferrell
Pastoral Prayer		Kevin Crowder
Offertory Hymn * 71	<i>On Eagle's Wings</i>	ON EAGLE'S WINGS
Offertory Prayer		Edna Mason
Offertory	<i>All the Way My Savior Leads Me</i>	ALL THE WAY
Doxology		
Gospel Reading	Luke 16: 19 – 31 (pg. 851)	Rick Ferrell
Handbell Dedication		Kevin Crowder

Responsive Reading for the Rededication of Handbells

Leader: We gather today to rededicate these hand bells, instruments of beauty and praise, to the glory of Almighty God.

People: We give thanks to God, the giver of every good and perfect gift.

Leader: These bells ring out with joy and with sorrow, with triumph and with longing.

People: May their sound lift our hearts, call us to worship, and proclaim the presence of God among us.

Leader: We remember with gratitude our sister in Christ, Diane Gray, who loved music and served this church faithfully.

People: We give thanks for her life, her witness, and her devotion to God's music and God's people.

Leader: As these bells are rung, may they bear witness to the eternal song of heaven.

People: Let their tones remind us of the communion of saints, of lives lived in faith, and of God's unending love.

Leader: To the glory of God and in memory of Diane Gray, we rededicate these hand bells for use in worship.

People: May every note played resound with praise to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forevermore.

Leader: Let us pray.

All: Eternal God, Creator of harmony and beauty, we rededicate these hand bells to your service. May their music awaken our hearts, stir our souls, and draw us nearer to you. As they ring in memory of your servant Diane, let them testify to a life lived in faith, and to the eternal song of the saints in glory. Bless those who play them, that their ministry may glorify your name and strengthen your church. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Anthem—Handbells *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* LOBE DEN HERRE

Sermon *“For Richer, For Poorer”* Kevin Crowder

Invitation Hymn * † 180 *Jesus, Lover of My Soul* MARTYN

Benediction Kevin Crowder

Postlude *Echo of Praise* H. S. Livingston, Jr.

Chimes



* If you are able, please stand.

† If you have decided to make a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ and/or join the Kilmarnock Baptist Church family, you may signal that by coming forward to meet the minister during the final hymn.