



# THE LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

*A place to belong. A place to be loved. A place to serve God and others.*

January 30, 2022

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## “See Ya Later”

The time for change always comes. It’s time now for my work to close and for a new person to begin their work. Change can be difficult because change makes us see less certainty in the future. However, we are blessed with an unchanging God who knows the future and holds it in his hand to bend it according to his purposes. As we begin this change together, I want to leave you with some of my hopes.

*I hope you will fall in love with God every day.* Every day we get to love the Lord and every day we need to remind ourselves that we must love the Lord. God said, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. “You shall therefore love the Lord your God and keep his charge, his statutes, his rules, and his commandments always.” (Deut. 6:5).

*I hope you will love your church every day so that you love coming to be with the church for worship.* Christians are to “love one another.” The phrase “love one another” is found 14 times in the ESV. This is a pure love, not a pretend love. It is easy to pretend to love people in an auditorium. It is much better to develop relationships every day.

*I hope you will be devoted to doctrine.* The early church was “devoted to the apostles’ teaching” (Acts 2:42). Too many Christians do not care about theological truths. Too many Christians do not believe there are theological truths. The first church was “devoted to doctrine.” Be devoted to truth.

*I hope you will be devoted to the future.* John prayed “Come, Lord Jesus” (Rev. 22:20). We should be so invested in Heaven that we can’t be interested in this world. “Earth holds no treasures but perish with using...Heaven holds all to me.”

Donnie L. DeBord, Ph.D.

## Welcome to Lomax!

### A special welcome to our guests!

We are glad to have you visiting with us today! You are welcome here. We know you have a choice of where to worship, and you chose to be with us today — thank you.

At Lomax we want to be the church we read about in the Bible. Our goal is to glorify God with our worship and with our lives and to point people to Jesus Christ.

If you need anything during the service, ushers in the lobby can direct you to restrooms, the nursery, or a telephone. Please do us the favor of filling out a blue card located on the back of the pew in front of you. If you have any questions or if we can help

Lomax 2022 Youth Rally

# EXILES COME HOME

Nehemiah 1:9

Location:  
Lomax church  
of Christ  
320 Darbytown Rd  
Hohenwald  
TN 38462

For more information and  
to Pre-register: Register at  
[Lomaxchurch.com/youthrally](http://Lomaxchurch.com/youthrally)

Any questions or comments  
please contact  
Brice Van Hook (636-639-0153)  
or  
Saul Calderon (817-905-5324)

FEBRUARY 4-5 2022

# In Our Thoughts & Prayers

**Sick:** **Tom Kilpatrick** surgery has been postponed till Wednesday, February 2nd. **Laurie Green**, the daughter of Tom Kilpatrick is in Summit Hospital. She received tests that reported good news about her heart. **David Roth**, the nephew of Wilma Churchwell, new address is Room 427, c/o NHC Place at the Trace: 8353 Hwy 100, Nashville, TN 37221-44402. **Connie Nolin** had back surgery on Thursday, January 20th for an infection. She is now home recovering. **Sharon Edwards** had emergency surgery and is in Maury Regional recovering. **Allen Wayne "Porky" Dye**, the uncle of Jeff Dye is now at home from hospital on hospice care. **Martha Irwin**, the mother of Porter Irwin who is a neighbor of George & Cynthia Collison. She is in Williamson Medical with a GI Blood issue and a mass in her stomach.

*Please remember all those who have been or are currently dealing with the COVID Virus.*

**Sympathy to the friends and family of Larry Stringer**, the uncle of Greg Mullinicks. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

**Continue to remember:** Jerry Ammons, Lynn Ammons, Danny Bates, June Bates—Life Care of Centerville, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Jean Curry, Barbara Eglinton, Rochelle Ely, Dustin Flowers, Bill Judkins, Faye Kilpatrick, Freida Lewis, Jennie Martin, Becky Mears, Thomas McMillian, Danny Milam, Howard Miller, Connie Nolin, Gary O'Brien, , Scott Phillips, Rex Riley, David Roth, Janice Sublett, Nadine Turnbow, Charles Williams and Jerry Yates.

**Shut-ins:** Sharon Edwards, Michael Gray and Jimmy Griner

**In Lewis County Nursing & Rehab Center:** Michelle Huff, Melba Ogg, Jean Pace and Betty Stafford .

**Remember our military:** **Dustin Brugmann** (grandson of Jim & Sharon Grinder), **Kerry Conkle** (grandson of Ralph & Sue Conkle), and **Jacob Fite** (nephew of Tommy & Sandra Clayton).



Please mark your calendars for the change in our schedule. Beginning February 2nd, our Wednesday Evening Services will begin at 6:00 pm.



## Food For Friends:

### February 3rd

### Team 3 ( Sharon & Sue )

If anyone can help deliver meals, be at the CSC at 10:30 am



## Food for Families

Our monthly Food for Families distribution is **Thursday, February 17th**  
If you have not brought your grocery items in, please do so by Wed. morning if possible.

## Day School Donations

If you can help by supplying some of these items it will be greatly appreciated:

### Paper Towels

Please put these items in the box in the church office in the foyer.

*Thank you!*



**January 30**—5th Sun. Cont.—Youth Fund

**February 2**—Family Meal Night @ 5:00

**February 4 - 5**—Youth Rally

**February 6—10**—FHU Lectureships

**February 13**—Friends/Family Day

**February 25-27**—CYC

**March 2**—Family Meal Night

**March 11**—Family Game Night

**April 14-17**—L2L Convention

**June 19-22**—Lomax VBS

## BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:

Who said, "Wherein thou judgest another, thou condemnest thyself?"  
(answer next week)

**KNOW YOUR BIBLE**

**Church family:**  
**We will have a "See You Later" Party for the DeBords on Sunday, Jan 30th.**  
**4:30-service time**  
**Please bring finger foods. If you would like to contribute to a money tree, please see Kara**



# Boo's Belyeu

"Well it's Ground Hog Day...again," borrowing a line from the movie of the same name. For those unfamiliar with the classic Bill Murray movie it involves a man who gets stuck reliving the same day over and over and over. I'm going to do the movie spoiler, since it is so old a movie. The end result is he learns to make the most of the day. Making it better each time he wakes up to live it. We all want do-over's sometime. We would like to erase the day and just start it all over without the mistakes and messes we made. There is actually a way to do that spiritually. 2<sup>nd</sup> Cor. 5:17 "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come." 1 John 1:7; "But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin." How do you become a new creature? How do you walk in the light? By becoming a Christian Acts 2:38, Acts 22:16, Romans 6:1-4 tell what it takes to be a Christian. What a great feeling to know Christ forgives us and washes away our sin giving us the best day every day after.

## LOMAX STUDENT MINISTRY

*If you are going to CYC we will have a meeting after morning services. Also if you are planning on going to Lads to Leaders we need to know as soon as possible.*

### Upcoming Events

- \* **Wednesday, February 2nd** - Family Meal night at 5pm. We will be having breakfast for dinner. See Brice or Saul for what to bring.
- \* **Friday, February 4th through Saturday, February 5th** - 2022 Lomax Youth Rally
- \* **Friday, February 18th** - 6th-12th grade devo. Time and Location TBD
- \* **Saturday, February 19th** - Cooks in the kitchen for kids of all ages. Come learn how to cook and help us make goodies for members of the church!
- \* **Friday, February 25 - Sunday, February 27** - Challenge Youth Conference in Gatlinburg.

### Future Events

- \* **Sunday, June 19 through Wednesday, June 22** - Lomax VBS



## Birthdays

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Amy Henderson
- 1<sup>st</sup> – Greg Mullinicks
- 1<sup>st</sup> – Annette Peery
- 1<sup>st</sup> – Wayne Seaton
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Leanna Owens
- 4<sup>th</sup> – Luke Beachy
- 9<sup>th</sup> – Eli Chapin
- 10<sup>th</sup> – Amanda Odom
- 11<sup>th</sup> – Steve Lomax
- 11<sup>th</sup> – Anna Kaye Rogers
- 14<sup>th</sup> – Brock Spears
- 14<sup>th</sup> – Reagan Webb
- 15<sup>th</sup> – Corbin Carroll
- 17<sup>th</sup> – Lynn Ammons
- 17<sup>th</sup> – Mann Nutt
- 18<sup>th</sup> – Rodney Lomax
- 19<sup>th</sup> – Jagger Richards
- 22<sup>nd</sup> – Jim Grinder
- 23<sup>rd</sup> – Jimmy Morton
- 23<sup>rd</sup> – Susan Parker
- 25<sup>th</sup> – Tom Iverson
- 26<sup>th</sup> – Nell Bunch
- 27<sup>th</sup> – Gary O'Brien
- 27<sup>th</sup> – Rocco Pierce
- 28<sup>th</sup> – David Riley
- 29<sup>th</sup> – Kayla Spears



## Anniversaries

- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mann & Betty Ann Nutt
- 12<sup>th</sup> – Pittman & Barbara Baker
- 18<sup>th</sup> – Gene & Faye Kilpatrick
- 23<sup>rd</sup> – Josh & Stephanie Carroll

**BY THE NUMBERS**  
**For the week of 1/23**

A.M. Bible Class	119
A.M. Worship Service	187
P.M. Worship Service	116
Wednesday PM	117
Contribution:	\$10,170.00
Weekly Budget	\$6,000.00

**Schedule of Services**

Sunday Bible Study — 9:00 am  
Worship Services — 10:00 am  
Sunday Evening — 6:00 pm  
Wednesday Primetimers - 10:00 am  
Wednesday Bible Study — 6:00 pm



Calling all Secret Sisters (and those that would like to be one), it's not too late to participate in the 2022 Secret Sisters. Please fill out your form and give it to Kara Farr. Drawing will take place very soon so keep looking for updates.

**Lomax**  
**Church of Christ**

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info@lomaxchurch.com

**MINISTERS:**

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Jeff Spears—306-1362  
Saul Calderon—817-905-5324  
Brice Van Hook—636-639-0153

**Lomax Christian Day**  
**School**

**796-7373**

**Last week's Know Your**  
**Bible Answer:**

**David**  
**Psalms 16:6**



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**the foyer for updated**  
**information.**

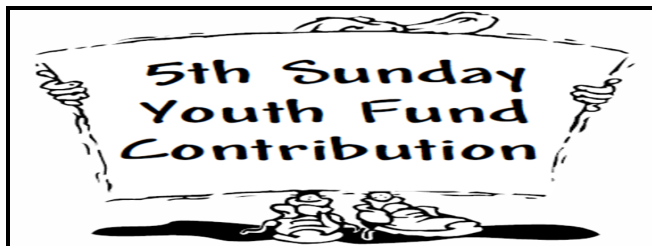
**ELDERS:**

**Jeff Dye** — 306-8463  
**John Eglinton**—446-5646  
**Rick Morrow** —615-430-6663  
**Mike Parker**—628-2961  
(Please leave a message)

**DEACONS**

**Matthew Farr**  
(Special Events, CSC Scheduling)  
**Colby Hamm**  
(Young Families Ministry)  
**Chris Hunter**  
(Visitation)  
**Greg Mullinicks**  
(Audio/Visual, Bulletin)  
**Chuck Oppermann**  
(Missions, Correspondance Courses)  
**Jeff Spears**  
(Education)  
**Marty Spears**  
(Finance)

**BE SAFE**  
From COVID-19



**TODAY, January 30th is our**  
**5th Sunday Special**  
**Contribution.**  
**This will go to our Youth**  
**Fund.**

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