



THE LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST M E S S E N G E R

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

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LOTS HAPPENING AND LOTS TO DO

Col. 3:23 "Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men,"

SPRING BREAK - We need a break every once in a while. Even though it is good to have a break physically, we never want to take a break spiritually. Our prayer life, regular worship, and attention to being a Christian we never want to take a break.

PRIMETIMERS - sign up for March 31st trip to Bent & Dent store with meal at Yoder's Market.

BUDGET TALK - let me start by saying thank you. The budget was set at **\$6,000 per Sunday**. You have **exceeded the budget** in spite of pandemic limiting our numbers per worship service. The generosity shown by you has allowed us to help in **disaster relief efforts** in Mayfield KY, Waverly, New Johnsonville and Menifee County KY. This all while continuing our **mission work \$55,206** Bikkavoulu Church in India, Prison Ministry Eastwood Church in Paris TN, Menifee County Church, Nazareth Church, Philippines Mission, House to House Heart to Heart, Latin America Mission, Pacific Islands, World Evangelism and The Gospel Broadcasting Network. **Other efforts** we support Disaster Relief, Freed Hardeman Bible Department, Lectureship week at FHU, Heritage University, The Jenkins Institute, current local work, benevolence program, Gospel Meeting, Educational Program, and Day School. We of course **must maintain** building and grounds (handrails & lights), insurance and utilities. While **miscellaneous** might seem dismissive we have many good things in it as well Christmas Dinner, Christmas Toys, Worship Supplies, Flowers Funerals, cleaning, mowing, Ladies Day. Note we also have four **5th Sundays** with a special contribution Day School, Youth Fund, and Building Fund. In addition we receive **special donations** for the Day School, Food for Families, and Food for Friends. We just can't say Thank You enough for all the good work being done.

**Jeff "Boo" Spears
Family Minister**

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

BABY SHOWER

KARA GIRL

You are invited to a baby shower for Emily & Brice Van Hook on Sunday, March 27th from 1:00—2:30 pm at the Lomax CSC.

Name—Lillian Jane.

Emily is registered at babylist.com.

See Kara Farr to donate to the money tree.



Sick: **Chuck Oppermann** will have knee surgery on April 7th. **Rocco Pierce** will have another surgery in about a month. **Linda Smith**, the sister of Jeannette West had shoulder replacement at Centennial on Monday, March 21st and is now at home. **Vickie Skelton**, the cousin of Lee Ann Alford started chemotherapy last week and will have radiation this week and remember in your prayers. **Gary Wanock**, the father-in-law of Sarah McMillian, is now home **Roy Sharp**, the minister of the Linden Church of Christ began bone marrow transplant procedure at the Sarah Cannon Cancer Institute in Nashville. He will be isolated for 30 days as the new cells mature, divide and multiple will his immune system is compromised. He will continue in Nashville for additional 2 months after the 30 days. **Please remember all those who have been or are currently dealing with the COVID Virus.**

Sympathy to the friends and family of Byrne Dunn, who passed away Monday, March 21st. Funeral will be held Thursday, March 24th .

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

Shut-ins: Michael Gray and Jimmy Griner

In Lewis County Nursing & Rehab Center: Michelle Huff, 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).



The Lomax Congregation
has received a donation from **Nick & Anita Borski** of **Mt. Juliet** this past week to go to the Day School in memory of **Mike O'Brien**.

Primetimers Trip to the Bent & Dents store plus Meal at Yoders Grocery. @ 2 PM on March 31st. Sign up sheets are in the foyer. See Rose or Boo for details.



Lomax Day School
Applications

The Lomax Christian Day School is taking applications for the 2022-2023 school year. Applications are on the table in the front lobby or you can see Jan Hill. Please return by March 31st.



Food For Friends:
March 31st

Team 4 (Betsy & Bonnie)

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, April 21st

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:

Napkins

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

Thank you!



March 27—Van Hook Baby Shower

March 28—April 1—LC Spring Break

March 31—Primetimers Trip to Bent & Dents store plus Meal at Yoders Grocery. @ 2 PM

April 3—Bridal Shower for Amber Johnston

April 5—GYIDE Workers Mtg. @ 6:00 pm

April 6—Set up CSC

April 9—Girls Tea for L2L

April 10—Friends & Family Day

April 10—Boys lead PM Services for L2L

BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:

Who wrote, "Whilst we are at home in the body, we are absent from the Lord"?
(answer next week)

KNOW YOUR BIBLE



Birthdays

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| 2 nd – Hershel Anderson | 2 nd - Bill Lawson |
| 3 rd – Tammy Bigbie | 5 th – Andalyn Himes |
| 8 th – LeeAnn Alford | 8 th – Lisa Mullinicks |
| 10 th – Tytus Staggs | 11 th – Tyler Hinson |
| 11 th – Susan Overbey | 12 th – Nathan Pierce |
| 12 th —Jaanice Seaton | 12 th —Elijah Smith |
| 13 th – Nadine Turnbow | 15 th – Faye Chandler |
| 15 th —Billy Reese | 16 th – Will Swinea |
| 17 th – Garrett Ammons | 18 th – Barbara Baker |
| 19 th – Mary Halfacre | 20 th – Chris Swinea |
| 21 st —Sally Mercer | 22 nd – Debbie Bunch |
| 22 nd – Sue Conkle | 22 nd – Joyce Gilliam |
| 24 th – Tracy Lomax | 26 th – Joslyn Bradley |
| 27 th – Will Chapin | 29 th – Cason Himes |
| 30 th – Crews Henderson | |

Anniversaries

- 12th – David & Britni Sloan
 14th – Wesley & Amy Carroll
 17th—Dennis Reynolds & Shelly Cohen
 20th—Crews & Summer Henderson
 28th – Larry & Sandy Tatum
 29th – Jerry & Alice Ammons

Lomax Student Ministry

SIGN UP SHEETS IN THE FOYER! For girls tea and for VBS.
 Sign up for those and be involved!

Mid-South, Horizons and Camp Meribah sign up sheets are in the high school classroom. Sign up ASAP as the camps will start filling up fast!

***Saturday Morning, April 9th**, Girls Tea for Lads to Leaders. There is a sign up sheet in the foyer. (You do not have to be going to Lads to Leaders in order to participate). See Kara for food and Emily for students participating.

***Sunday, April 10th**, Boys lead afternoon Service. Please see Brice or Saul if you would like to participate.

***Sunday, April 10th**, Easter Egg Hunt after afternoon service, please see Saul or Brice if you can help.

***Friday, April 15- Sunday, April 17th** - Lads to Leaders convention.

***Friday, April 22nd**- All Age Youth Devo. Time and place TBD.

***Sunday, April 24th**- L2L recognition of student participation after evening service

Save the Date

* **Sunday, June 19 through Wednesday, June 22** - Lomax VBS, The Great Biblical Bake Off, sign up sheets are in the foyer.

Ten Ways to Love

1. Listen without interrupting (Proverbs 18).
2. Speak without accusing (James 1:19).
3. Give without sparing (Proverbs 21:26).
4. Pray without ceasing (Colossians 1:9).
5. Answer without arguing (Proverbs 17:1).
6. Share without pretending (Ephesians 4:15).
7. Enjoy without complaining (Philippians 2:14).
8. Trust without wavering (1 Corinthians 13:7).
9. Forgive without punishing (Colossians 3:13).
10. Promise without forgetting (Proverbs 13:12).

SENIOR NIGHT

Sunday Evening—May 8th
honoring our 2022 Seniors:

Luke Roberson

Jon Lower

Jaylon Howard

Please bring finger foods and refreshments for the reception following services in the CSC. If you would like to donate for the Senior Gifts, please see

Kara Farr or Rose Spears

Please send your pictures for the slide show to Emily & Brice Van Hook by April 30th..



There will be a bridal shower honoring Amber Johnston, bride-elect of Lance Nelson, on Sunday April 3rd from 1:00—2:30 in the Christian Service Center. Amber is the granddaughter of Janice Johnston. Amber and Lance are registered at Wal-Mart, Target and Amazon.

**BY THE NUMBERS
For the week of 3/20**

A.M. Bible Class	126
A.M. Worship Service	204
P.M. Worship Service	98
Wednesday PM	127
Contribution:	\$7,374.00
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

G.Y.I.D.E.

**(Giving Youth Invaluable
Devout Education)**

GYIDE Fish Fry will be held Saturday, May 7th. The GYIDE workers meeting will be held Tuesday, April 5th at Yogie's offices. We will be eating at 6:00 pm with meeting beginning at 7:00 pm. Bring your hotdogs and hamburgers, and eat with us. GYIDE is all volunteer, so we could really use anyone wanting to help. See Boo Spears or Jeff Dye for details.

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Church of Christ***

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**Lomax Christian Day
School**

796-7373

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

**Samuel
I Samuel 12:17**



**Please continue to check out
the Visitation Notebook in
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)
Jeff Spears
 (Education)
Marty Spears
 (Finance)

BE SAFE
 From COVID-19



Congratulations to Andy & Lauren Lawson
 and big sister Leighton
 on the birth of their son,
 William Reed Lawson
 Born March 15th Williamson Medical in Franklin
 He was 7lbs - 4 oz—20.5 long
 Proud grandparents are
 Bill Lawson & the late Jane Lawson and
 Steve & Debbie Broadway

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