



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,"

EASTER SUNDAY - a day many remember Christ resurrection. It is traditionally a time folks think of coming to church. We hope if you are visiting Lomax you will **make a decision to come all the time**. It is also a time for families to get together. We hope each of you have a wonderful Easter. Lomax had the children's Easter egg hunt last week for the very purpose of letting this day be for family get together.

READER'S CHOICE - We are honored that the Lewis County Herald contacted us that their readers had voted us an award. Thank you to all who voted for Lomax.



FOOD FOR FRIENDS - Be sure and see page 2 picture. I am sure this program along with our other community benevolence & Food for Families had a significant part in the votes for the Reader's Choice.

PRIMETIMERS PROGRESSIVE LUNCH - We have a time change. It is now 11:00 to 1:00 April 23rd. Appetizers at the Parkers, Meal at Mia's, Ice Cream at CSC - what could be better?



See Boo or Rose Spears if you have any questions. Please sign up if you plan to attend.

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

G.Y.I.D.E



Saturday, May 7th
from 4:00 – 7:00 pm
At Yogie's offices



Sick: **Chuck Oppermann** is home following knee surgery and doing well. He will be down for 6-8 weeks with his knee immobilized. **Rocco Pierce** got a good report from his doctors on April 11th. The upcoming surgery has been scheduled for November 17th. **Sarah Rogers** had successful back surgery and is now at home recovering. **Calvin Harris**, the great-nephew of Speedy & Joyce Gilliam has been moved from ICU to a regular room at St. Jude's Hospital in Memphis. His parents are Jerry Lee & Erin Harris. **Terry Floyd** is now home after a second stay in the hospital. Carolyn Duncan has the flu and requests our prayers. **Roy Sharp**, the minister at Linden Church of Christ who has been in the Sarah Cannon Cancer Center in Nashville has suffered a light stroke but seems to be doing well at this time. **Please remember all those who have been or are currently dealing with the COVID Virus.**

Sympathy to the friends and family of Peggy McClearan, the mother of Lisa Brewer and Trina Kilpatrick. Her funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

Sympathy to the friends and family of Nora Sue Hardy, a former teacher here in Lewis County. Her funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

Continue to remember: Jerry Ammons, Lynn Ammons, Danny Bates, June Bates—Life Care of Centerville, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Jean Curry, J. W. Curry, Barbara Eglinton, Rochelle Ely, Dustin Flowers, Bill Judkins, Faye Kilpatrick, 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, Roy Sharp, Vicki Skelton, Nadine Turnbow, Charles Williams, Gary Wanock and Jerry Yates.

Shut-ins: Michael Gray and Jimmy Griner

In Lewis County Nursing & Rehab Center: LaFon Griner, Michelle Huff, Jean Pace and Betty Stafford.

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



Congratulations goes our to all those that have participated in the Food for Friends Program for the past 10 years.



For those who like hearing the gospel on Sunday Mornings, the International Gospel Hour has a program that airs on WSM 650 AM Radio at 7:30. Please tune in to this gospel effort.



Food For Friends:

April 21st

Team 7 (Cynthia & Betsy)

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:

Baby Wipes

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

Thank you!



April 14-17—Lads2Leaders Convention

April 22—6th—12th Grade Youth Devo.

April 23—Primetimers Progressive Meal @ 11:00—1:00

April 24—Lads to Leaders Recognition

May 7—GYIDE Fish Fry

May 8—Senior Night

May 16-17—Day School Graduation

May 20—LCHS Graduation

May 26—Primetimers Trip to Mockingbird Restaurant @ 4 PM

BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:

Who advised, "Let all things be done decently and in order?"
(answer next week)

KNOW YOUR BIBLE

A Bad Obsession

In Psalms 37:1 we read, "Do not fret because of evildoers, Be not envious toward wrongdoers." It's a good warning because that is exactly what we do.

Think about it. How many times do we see folks that are beside themselves about worldly shenanigans? They obsess about the evil they see to the point they make themselves miserable.

On the other side of the coin, we have those that feel like they are missing out. They look at a world that does what it wants, when it wants, and deep down wishes that could be them. Forget about the consequences. They feel they are suffering because they can't live like the world.

Yet both of these reactions are not faith responses. Consider what is said the next few verses down: "For evildoers will be cut off, But those who wait for the LORD, they will inherit the land. Yet a little while and the wicked man will be no more; And you will look carefully for his place and he will not be there." When we fret or envy, we don't take into account that God is in control. We think somehow evildoers are getting away with it. They are not. Wickedness won't last.

Instead of worrying about the wrongdoer, let's focus on trusting in God.

*Barry Haynes
Hope church of Christ
Hope, AR*

Lomax Student Ministry

SIGN UP SHEETS IN THE FOYER!

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!

*Generous givers have made it possible for all members' kids to go to a camp for free. Please see one of the ministers or elders for more information. If you have a kid that can go to camp please consider sending them to camp.

***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. We still need one class teachers and crafts teachers.

We Welcome to the Lomax Family



**Marcia Runions
305 Hinson St.
Hohenwald, Tn**

We Wish Good Luck Austin Pierce United States Air Force



Austin left April 11th for Nashville. He flew to San Antonio, Texas then Basic Training at Lackland AF Base. Good luck Austin.

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**Katelyn Collison
112 Epcot Drive
Hohenwald, Tn**

**BY THE NUMBERS
For the week of 4/10**

A.M. Bible Class	125
A.M. Worship Service	234
P.M. Worship Service	123
Wednesday PM	97
Contribution:	\$7,847.00
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



**Day School
Graduation**

Our Lomax Day School graduations will be, Monday, May 16th & Tuesday, May 17th @ 7:00 in the Lomax auditorium. A reception will follow in the CSC. We are always grateful for the attendance of the members of Lomax. If you can serve or help in any way, please see Jan Hill.

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

**Jesus
John 10:38**



**Please continue to check out
the Visitation Notebook in
the foyer for updated
information.**

ELDERS:

Jeff Dye — 306-8463
 John Eglinton—446-5646
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 (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

**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..

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