

## THE LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

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## LOTS HAPPENING AND LOTS TO DO

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**PRIMETIMERS SCHEDULE –** The new schedule is in foyer. We are excited for the 6-16 FFF Day. Be sure and sign up! Lots of opportunities each month for us to be together and remember we have WPT class Wednesday 10AM.

**VBS'S –** We have some fun opportunities this summer note the VBS's listed in bulletin under Up Coming Events. The bus will be traveling to the Linden VBS. It is full; if you missed signing up follow them over. Our VBS is June 19-22, if you are not participating see Brice or Saul to find an opportunity to help.

**FAMILY MEAL NIGHT JUNE 8<sup>rd</sup> –** I just recently heard of a member using this as an opportunity to introduce folks to our Wednesday classes. What a great idea a time we can gather for fellowship and then attend Wednesday class.

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



TODAY, —June 5th, is our Friends & Family Day. Services will be 9:00 Sunday School - 10:00 Worship. We will have a meal following morning services and afternoon service around 12:45. Please invite your friends & families for this great day.



Sick: Jerry Ammons will have skin cancer surgery on June 6th. Emily Schorr will have arm surgery on June 7th. Gwen Hinson fell this week and broke her foot. Barbara Eglinton, the mother of John Eglinton is now at home following surgery and recovering. Calvin Harris had his complete body scan and no cancer was found. Christy Dickey, the daughter of Janice Sublett is now in Stallworth Rehabilitation at Vanderbilt to continue her rehab. after suffering a stroke. Vickie Skelton, the cousin of Lee Ann Alford, has now finished her cancer treatments. Greg McCann, the brother of Molly McCann, suffered a seizure and fell and injured his shoulder. He is now at home recovering. Please keep Michael McCann (husband of Melissa McCann who works at the Elementary school) is preparing for bone marrow transplant in July and Kerri Anthony (daughter of Patsy Ellison) who are both dealing with cancer and in need of our prayers. Benji Watson, the cousin of Jodi Inman Denton requests our prayers after having a double liver and kidney transplant and that his body doesn't reject the transplants. Please remember all those who have been or are currently dealing with the COVID Virus.

Sympathy to the friends and family of

<u>Continue to remember</u>: Jerry Ammons, Barbara Baker, June Bates—Life Care of Centerville, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Jean Curry, Barbara Eglinton, Rochelle Ely, Dustin Flowers, Calvin Harris, Bill Judkins, Faye Kilpatrick, Gene Kilpatrick, Freida Lewis, Jennie Martin, Becky Mears, Michael McCann, Thomas McMillian, Danny Milam, Howard Miller, Joe Morton, Connie Nolin, Gary O'Brien, Chuck Oppermann, Scott Phillips, Rocco Pierce, Rex Riley, David Roth, Roy Sharp, Betty Story, Nadine Turnbow, Charles Williams, 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.

**<u>Remember our military:</u>** *Dustin Brugmann* (grandson of Jim & Sharon Grinder), *Kerry Conkle* (grandson of Ralph & Sue Conkle), **Jacob Fite** (nephew of Tommy & Sandra Clayton), **Brindan Jancuska** (son of Dave & Tammie Tranovich) and **Austin Pierce** (grandson of Rocco & Debbie Pierce).



There will be a family meal night Wednesday, <u>June 8th</u> at 5:00 pm in the CSC. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the food, fun and fellowship. Picnic style is the theme. Bring sandwiches, chips and desserts. See Brice, Saul or Kara for any details.





# Who Cares?

David once lamented, "no man cared for my soul" (Psalm 142:4). Have you ever felt that way? Do you think anyone really cares? There are those who are greatly concerned about you.

**Christians care.** The Bible says we are "to do good unto all men" (Galatians 6:10). To love our fellow man with an eye to being a good neighbor is an ideal much needed in a day when loneliness is the great problem of many (Matthew 22:32-39; Luke 10:29-37).

**Preachers especially care!** Paul said that Timothy cared for others (Philippians 2:20). Paul himself was a caring preacher of tender sympathies (1 Thessalonians 2:7,8).

**God cares most of all!** With unbounded love He sent His Son to die for you (John 3:16; Romans 5:8). 1 Peter 5:7 says, "he careth for you."

Maybe the real question isn't "Who cares?" but "Do you care?" The best way to exercise care for your eternal wellbeing is to trust and obey God (Acts 16:30-34). Today, be thankful that God and His people care.

Bill Dillon (1949-2020) Gospel Gems Vol. 1

## **Lomax Student Ministry** SIGN UP SHEETS IN THE FOYER!

For VBS. Sign up for those and be involved! **Today!** After afternoon services we will be hanging out and playing games in the CSC and outside. All are welcome!!

As soon as possible notice: Mid-South 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 of elders for more information. If you have a kid that can go to camp please consider sending them to camp.

\*Wednesday, June 8th, Family Meal Night at 5pm. Picnic style is the theme. Bring sandwiches, chips and desserts.

#### Save these Dates:

\*Sunday, June 12th through Wednesday June 15th- Linden Church of Christ VBS. Sign up for the bus is in the foyer. Our plan is to go Monday.

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

If you learn of any VBS that other churches are putting on please let us know!

## **Promises to Make to Your Child**

There are some very interesting promises that God, as our heavenly Father, has made to each of us. And since He has made such promises to us, we as parents ought to use them as an example of the promises we should make to our children all through their lives.

I promise to be there for you. God promised Jacob to always be with him (Genesis 28:15). That promise continues to all Christians today (Matthew 28:20). We should promise to always give our children the emotional support they need.

I promise to comfort you when you need it. God has promised comfort to His children (2 Corinthians 1:3-4). We should always be available when our children need a shoulder to cry on, an arm to lean on, or a heart to tug on.

I promise to love you unconditionally. God loved us even while we were still sinners (Romans 5:8). Our children must always know that we love them regardless of what happens in their life.

**I promise to listen to you.** One of the great things about God is that He is always willing for us to talk to Him (Psalm 34:15). We should be no less as a parent. We should always want to hear what our children have to say. Their words and opinions must be important to us.

I promise to forgive you. When God makes such a promise, He not only forgives the sin, He remembers it no more (Jeremiah 31:34). Our children need to know that when they come admitting their mistakes, we will always be there with open hearts and arms to forgive anything and everything.

Make and keep these promises to your children and you will always have a godly home.

Edd Sterchi Broadway church of Christ Campbellsville, KY

## BY THE NUMBERS For the week of 5/29

A.M. Bible Class	124
A.M. Worship Service	183
P.M. Worship Service	91
Wednesday PM	90
Contribution:	\$7,258.00
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

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FFF Party (Food, Fun, Fellowship) June 16th 4:30—5:30 in the CSC Food by Betsy Tiller Fun by Kara Farr Fellowship by All Must sign up to come.



Lomax Family 4th of July Celebration Saturday, July 2nd Eating at 7:00 Fireworks and Games to follow

If you would like to donate to the fireworks, please see Matthew Farr or Derrick Staggs. See Kara Farr about food. Ice Cream is welcomed.

There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby. PLEASE signup before Wednesday, June 29th so we know how much meat to cook.

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Last week's Know Your Bible Answer:

The multitude, in Christ's triumphal entry Mark 11:9

Reminder

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)



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