

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

A place to <u>belong</u>. A place to be <u>loved</u>. A place to <u>serve</u> God and others.

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HOW TO DEVELOP A POSITIVE CHRISTIAN ATTITUDE.

We are masters or victims of our attitudes (matter of personal choice). We need to do the best with ours.

How?

1. No matter what happens look for good and you'll find it.

2. Be and ambassador of good words to those you meet.

Proverbs 25:11 ¶A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver.

3. Fill your mind with the positive

Philippians 4:8 Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.

4. Never surrender to negative emotion

Ephesians 4:31 Let all bitterness, and wrath, and anger, and clamor, and evil speaking, be put away from you, with all malice:

32 And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.

5. Practice the principle of replacement

Romans 12:21 Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good.

6. Keep the suggestive and immoral from your mind.

Romans 12:2 And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

7. See the good in others.

John 1:47 Jesus saw Nathanael coming to him, and saith of him, Behold an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile!

8. Determine to have an attitude of love and goodwill to others.

Philippians 2:1 If there be therefore any consolation in Christ, if any comfort of love, if any fellowship of the Spirit, if any bowels and mercies,

- 2 Fulfill ye my joy, that ye be likeminded, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind.
- 3 Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves.
- 4 Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others.

9. Express appreciation and warmth

Philippians 1:9 And this I pray, that your love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and in all judgment;

10 That ye may approve things that are excellent; that ye may be sincere and without offence till the day of Christ;

10. Practice positive prayer

Mark 11:24 Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.

Jesus is the great attitude transformer

"Be renewed in the spirit of your mind."

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 you, please let us know while you are here or call 796-5381.





You are invited to a baby shower for Ashley Keath on Saturday, October 22nd from 10:00—12:00 at the Lomax CSC.

Name—Waylon James Keath.

Ashley is registered at Amazon &

Wal-Nart. See Annette Peery to donate to the money tree.



Sick: Malcom George is now at home and doing well as he is rehabbing at home. Nadine Turnbow is in the hospital with covid. Bobby Duncan, from the Flatrock Congregation, had open heart surgery Friday, October 14th. Sandra Pogue, the aunt of Tammie Tranovich received word that the tumor was benign and will have surgery soon. Cindy Cotham, the sister-in-law of Dave & Tammie Tranovich is now home following a car accident and recovering. Wayne Jones, the father-in-law of Shari Jones suffered a stroke and is in Maury Regional Room 392.

Sympathy to the friends and family of Mabel Cameron, the aunt of Sandra Clayton. She passed away Sunday, October 9th. Her funeral was held Wednesday, October 12th.

Continue to remember: Barbara Baker, June Bates—Life Care of Centerville, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Jean Curry, Christy Dickey, Dustin Flowers, Ophelia Green, LaFon Griner, Greg Hankins, Calvin Harris, Bill Judkins, Gene Kilpatrick, Freida Lewis, Claire Mayberry, Helen McCann, Michael McCann, Terry McDonald, Doug Miller, Howard Miller, Joe Morton, Gary O'Brien, Elgie Parrish, Al Pogue, David Roth, Roy Sharp, Johnnie Faye Skelton, Johnny Starling, Barbara Tatum-Life Care of Centerville, Nadine Turnbow, Charles Williams, and Jerry

Shut-ins: Michael Gray and Jimmy Griner

In Lewis County Nursing & Rehab Center: Michelle Huff, 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), Brindan Jancuska (son of Dave & Tammie Tranovich) and Austin Pierce (grandson of Rocco & Debbie Pierce.

Ladies Day 2022 "Tea Time with my Sisters"

Saturday, November 5th Registration starts at 8:30 Program begins at 9:00 with lunch to follow

Speaker: Lori Hill

If you would like to give towards the door prizes and speaker gift - please give money to Kara Farr or Simone Hinson





ERUPT Youth Rally in a Cave - October 21-23 Sign up sheets in the foyer. See Brice or Saul for details.



Trip to Country View Market in rimetimers Charlotte is planned for October 20th @ 3:00. Sign up sheets are in the foyer. See Rose or Boo for details.

Community Christmas Dinner/ Coat and Toy Gireamay

All of our toys and coats that was left from last years Dinner and Coat/ Toy Drive were delivered to Mayfield, Kentucky. We are in need of your generosity again this year. Please begin bringing in toys and coats to prepare for December 10th event.



Food For Friends: October 20th

Team 5 (Kay & Kathy)

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



Our monthly Food for Families distribution is

Thursday, October 20th

If you have not brought your grocery items in, please do so by Wed. morning if possible.

Pay School Donations

Thanks to everyone who have donated items listed each week. It is very much appreciated.

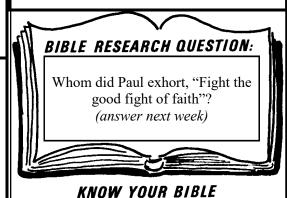


October 20—Primetimers trip to Country View Market at Charlotte, TN @ 3:00 meal and shopping.

October 22—Baby Shower for Ashley Heath October 21-23—ERUPT Youth Rally in a Cave. October 26—Fall Festival & Trunk or Treat October 29—Church Halloween Party

October 30—5th Sunday Contribution—Bldg. Fund November 2—Family Meal Night November 5—Lomax Ladies Day w/Lori Hill

November 6—Area Wide Youth Service





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We hope each of you can find your spot to participate in the things we have coming up in October. More importantly is finding your spot to be of service to God. Yes, we love to do things together as a Church family, yet never forget the light we shine in service to our fellowman. Be it our Food for Friends on Thursdays making the meal or delivering them; or the Food for Families providing the needed items for the monthly boxes; or our Disaster Relief Trips to box up care packages with a Bible to the victims of terrible incidents; or the Jail Ministry currently being organized; or assisting the Day School with the needed items listed each month. I could keep going the last list we made of being involved was 37 events long. The point is opportunities are there for you. Matt. 7:7 "Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you."









Each month our Primetimers have the opportunity to participate in an event. This year we have visited restaurants, Gospel singings, unique stores, shared a progressive dinner, celebrated our nation and ourselves. October we will visit Country View Market in Charlotte, TN. It is an Amish store very unique with some great sandwiches for our meal. While the bus is already full, please feel free to drive over with us just let Rose or myself know. October 20th is our date. We leave at 3pm from Lomax.







Lomax Student Ministry

Future Events

November 2nd: Family Meal Night

Erupt October 21st-23rd

October 26th: Fall Festival and Trunk or Treat

October 29th: Lomax Halloween Party at the Hamm's

November 6th: Area wide Youth service

December 19th: Caroling

Dates Needed: Friendsgiving, Youth Christmas party, game night,

6th-12th grade monthly devotionals want to host? Talk to Brice or Saul

Travel Events: Sign up In Foyer

CYC February 24th-26th Lads to Leaders April 6th-9th



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Flying Above the Storms

Did you know that an eagle knows when the storm is approaching long before it breaks? The eagle will fly to some high spot and wait for the winds to come. When the storm hits, it sets its wings so that the wind will pick it up and lift it above the storm. While the storm rages below, the eagle is soaring above it. The eagle does not escape the storm; it simply uses the storm to lift it higher. It rises on the winds that bring the storm.

When the storms of life come upon us—and all of us will experience them—we can rise above them by setting our minds and our belief toward God. The storms do not have to overcome us. We can allow God's power to lift us above them. God enables us to ride the winds of the storm that bring sickness, tragedy, failure and disappointment in our lives. We can soar above the storm. Remember, it is not the burdens of life that weigh us down, it is how we handle them.

Isaiah 40:31 says, "But those who wait on the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint."

Larry Davenport via Tuscumbia church of Christ Tuscumbia, AL

BY THE NUMBERS For the week of 10/09

A.M. Bible Class	137
A.M. Worship Service	202
P.M. Worship Service	114
Wednesday PM	106
Contribution:	\$7,887.00
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

Lomax Church of Christ

Evening Youth Rally

"The Ball is in your Court"

Sunday, November 6th

5:00 pm Dinner; 6:00 pm Service

Please Contact Brice Van Hook at 636-639-0153 or

bricevanhook@gmail.com with approximate numbers.

Tyler Hinson

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

Of Paul and Silas at **Thessalonica** Acts 17:6

Reminder

Please continue to check out the Visitation Notebook in the fover 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)





Kirk Haston

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