



# THE LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

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

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## POWER FOR TODAY

**Jon Hackett**  
Pulpit Minister

### Quiet Time With God



Excessive use can cause a piano to go out of tune. The constant and violent striking of the strings loosens them. So, occasionally they have to be adjusted to stay in tune and produce harmonious sounds.

Similarly, the demands of life exhaust us. We are drained by the pressures of business, the raising of children- even by church activities. It is imperative that we seek solace in the presence of God, allowing Him to align our lives and fortify us for continued service.

"Those who wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength!!!" (Isaiah 40:31)

In a fast-paced and demanding society, maintaining a sense of tranquility can be challenging. Waiting is harder than working. We're not accustomed to quietness. It makes us uneasy. We've got to "get with it" if we want results.

In our feverish negotiations and frantic planning, we have acted as if God has nothing to do with what's going on in the world. What does it take for us to learn?

Well, we're not going to learn it nationally. But we'd better learn it personally.

Religion has a passive as well as an active side. God draws near in the stillness when the voices of the world are hushed. Waiting on God is not wasting today's time; it is generating tomorrow's power!

Jon Hackett

## 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, or the nursery.

Please fill out a blue attendance card located on the back of the pew in front of you or scan the QR Code to the right. If you have any questions or if we can help you, please let us know while you are here or call our church office at (931) 796-5381.



## A Time For Every Season

**Scribner's Mill  
Church  
of  
Christ  
Ladies Day**

**March 2, 2024**

**9:00am**

**Speaker: Kara Farr**



**Charcuterie brunch will be served**



**Sick:** *Kay Parrish* got good news from her procedure and will start treatments this week. *Gary Hinson* will have hernia surgery on Thursday, February 22nd at Maury Regional. *Marcia Runions* is now at home and recovering—No Visitors at this time. *Sue Conkle* is now home following by-pass surgery. *David Riley* is now at home recovering from surgery. *Mann Nutt* is in local nursing home for rehabilitation. *Wanda Holloway* is dealing with more medical issues and is in need of our prayers. *Darrell Hinson* meets with surgeon about more tests and is in need of our prayers. *Marian Dugger* is in St. Thomas Hospital with pneumonia. Doing better and hopes to go to LC Rehabilitation and Nursing. *Lillie Mitchell* is in St. Thomas Midtown in serious condition but is improving and hoping to be moved for rehabilitation in Columbia.

**Sympathy:** *To the family and friends*

**Continue to remember:** *Barbara Baker, Kasey Baker, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Faye Chandler, Spencer Clark,, Christy Dickey, Dustin Flowers, Peggy Flowers, Ophelia Green, LaFon Griner, Jeffrey Hinson, Wanda Holloway, Gene Kilpatrick, Claire Mayberry, Terry McDonald, Howard Miller, Collin O'Brien, Judy Turner Pickler, Debbie Pierce, Al Pogue, David Riley, Johnnie Faye Skelton, Dan Spears, Jeff Tatum and Jeannette West.*

**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), *Ian Clement* (grandson of Hershel & Sherrie Anderson), *Kerry Conkle* (grandson of Ralph & Sue Conkle), *Jacob Fite* (nephew of Tommy & Sandra Clayton), *Brindan Jancuska* (son of Dave & Tammie Tranovich), *Jon Lower* (husband of Paige Roberson) and *Austin Pierce* (grandson of Rocco & Debbie Pierce).



Congratulations to Eli & Kristen Dye on the birth of their son James Daniel Dye Born February 10, 2024. He was 7 lbs—14 ozs.—21.5 in. long Proud Grandparents are Jeff & Sherri Dye



Congratulations to Brice & Emily Van Hook and big sister Lily on the birth of their daughter Martha Jo Van Hook Born February 16, 2024. She was 6 lbs—4 ozs.—19 in. long Proud Grandparents are John & Karen Eglinton



**Food For Friends:**  
**February 29th**

**Team 1 (Betty & Betty)**

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, March 21st**

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



**March 2**—Ladies Day @ Schribner's Mill

**March 6**—Family Meal Night

**March 8**—Singing @ Flatrock

**March 10**—Time Change—Spring Forward

**March 16**—Over 60's Banquet

**March 24**—Friends/Family Day/Easter Egg Hunt

**March 24**—Primetimer Trip—Grinder's Creek Gospel Meeting w/ Jon Hackett

**BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:**

Of whom did Christ say, "I have not found so great faith, no, not in Isreal"?

(answer next week)

**KNOW YOUR BIBLE**



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## Birthdays

February  
29  
Leap Day



This is a "leap year." You know what a "leap year" is we get an extra day 366 days in 2024 instead of 365. A "leap year" occurs every 4<sup>th</sup> year in the Gregorian calendar. The leap day is necessary to keep our calendar/year on tract. If we did not adjust by using a "leap day" every 4<sup>th</sup> year we would gain 5 hours, 48 minutes, and 56 seconds each year, thus over time changing the seasons. I would tell you more, but my head exploded trying to read about it. Hey, on the bright side babies born on a "leap day" February 29<sup>th</sup> don't age like the rest of us for instance my daughter in-law Kayla Spears turns 10 this February 29<sup>th</sup> 2024.

What will you do with your extra day this year? Psalms 39:4 "O LORD, make me know my end and what is the measure of my days; let me know how fleeting I am!" It is important for us to get all we can out of every day. Psalms 90:12 has some great advice "So teach us to number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom." Of course the greatest wisdom is to know God through his son Jesus Christ. Jesus told Phillip in John 14:9 "Whoever has seen me has seen the Father." Let us use our time to know Jesus Christ.

- 1st—Jan Ammons
- 4th—Alfred Kelley
- 4th—Marcia Runions
- 4th—Sawyer Seiber
- 5th—Kensley Kilgore
- 6th—Dennis Johnson
- 6th—Lauren Reese
- 8th—Donna Hinson
- 8th—Taylor Hinson
- 8th—Lennox Riley
- 10th—Wesley Carroll
- 12th—Jasmine Chapin
- 12th—Katrina Everett
- 12th—Betty Hinson
- 12th—Betty Anne Nutt
- 13th—Aleah Carroll
- 13th—Rose Spears
- 14th—Drucilla Spears
- 15th—Desi Ammons
- 15th—Paul Chandler
- 17th—Sarah Rogers
- 20th—Matthew Farr
- 22nd—Bob Burklow
- 23rd—Catherine Hackett
- 24th—Greg Jones
- 24th—Rylee Roberson
- 26th—Olivia Hinson Trull
- 26th—Mike Tatum
- 28th—Rawlin Carroll
- 28th—Ava Jones
- 28th—Simone Hinson
- 29th—Rachel Hackett
- 30th—Brooklyn Carroll Howard
- 30th—Ian Carroll
- 30th—Jan Hill

## Lomax Youth Group

### News and Updates:

- If you want to host a youth devotional in 2024, see Brice or Emily.
- If you have not paid for CYC yet pay Brice as soon as possible. 120\$ per person. See Brice with any questions.
- All middle & high school students need to see Brice for a Lomax Youth Handout. It includes a few forms that Brice would like filled out and returned, including liability and insurance information. See Brice with any questions.
- The bowling trip on March 2nd is postponed to a later date.

### Events:

- **March 6th:** Family Meal Night at 5pm see Kara to sign up, Spaghetti is on the menu.
- **March 24th:** Easter Egg Hunt after morning services

## Anniversaries

- 2nd—Chuck & Kathy Oppermann
- 5th—Chris & Lindsey Himes
- 5th—Gary & Bonnie O'Brien
- 10th—Chad & Katrina Everett
- 20th—Elgie & Kay Parrish
- 20th—Rocco & Debbie Pierce
- 31st—George & Cynthia Collison



**Brice Van Hook**

Youth Minister  
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**BY THE NUMBERS**  
For the week of 2/18

A.M. Bible Class	136
A.M. Worship Service	209
P.M. Worship Service	79
Wednesday PM	153
Contribution:	\$9,724.00
Weekly Budget	\$9,000
January	Lauren Hamm
Lord Supper	Hamm

**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

There are many dishes left in the Christian Service Center. If you have missing dishes, please come by and pick them up.



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**796-7373**

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

**Peter**  
**Acts 10:34**

**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)

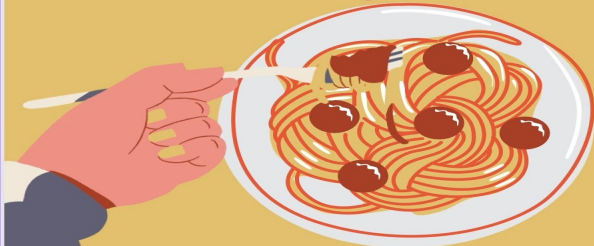
**DEACONS**

**Lynn Ammons**  
 (Worship Assignments)  
**Wesley Carroll**  
 (Transportation)  
**Matthew Farr**  
 (Special Events, CSC Scheduling)  
**Colby Hamm**  
 (Young Families Ministry, Audio Visual)  
**James Howard**  
 (Security)  
**Greg Mullinicks**  
 (Missions, Bulletin)  
**Lee Riley**  
 (Men's Ministry, Education)  
**Jeff Spears**  
 (Visitation)  
**Marty Spears**  
 (Finance)  
**Dan Toft**  
 (Maintenance)  
**Brice Van Hook**  
 (Social Media, Directory)  
**Jake White**  
 (Lads to Leaders)

**FAMILY MEAL NIGHT**

**Food Friends Fellowship Fun**

Lomax Family Meal Night  
 Wednesday, March 6th  
 @ 5:00



Spaghetti is on the menu! Please see Kara Farr to sign up for food.

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