



MEN'S CHALLENGE CONNECTION

August 2026

Isaiah 30:21

***Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you saying,
"This is the way; walk in it."***

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Hello, my name is Logan Avery McCall. I was born and raised in Hendersonville, NC. I will be graduating two weeks after my 28th birthday. I was raised by my single mom, with my two brothers. My mom did everything to the best of her ability. Sadly, there were several men who I would watch abuse my mom, me, and my brothers from a young age. We were on welfare, and government assistance until I was in high school. My mom kept us in church as best she could, but around 12 years old, I began seriously rebelling; refusing to attend church.

At 13, I began smoking pot and taking pills. Quickly moved into alcoholism, psychedelics, and powders. I began selling drugs at age 16. I was staunchly involved in every rebellious and sinful act I could get my body and mind into. My life was sex, drugs, and rock-n-roll; completely unhinged, irrational, and a total danger to myself, my family, and society. I was running from, and numbing the pain of abandonment from my biological father, my hatred of men from the abuse, and my internalized shame and disgust from sexual trauma I suffered at a young age and in high school.

I worked in the trades and sold drugs from ages 18-26. I've been responsible for sowing death and destruction everywhere I went. Good Friday 2025, I ended up blacking out, and ultimately got jumped and robbed; \$10,000 worth of tools stolen out of my truck, my face and body mutilated, and I woke up in jail with nothing, not even shoes or glasses. I moved to Michigan and the addiction took its final and worst turn. I was at a music festival and cried out to Christ to save me, so I can live my life for Him; that was my 27th birthday. Two weeks later, God moved mountains on my behalf through God-fearing Christians at Webster Baptist. I got my place in Men's Challenge. I got out of the Baptismal River January 13, 2026. God has restored my family to me, brought forth my intelligence, and taken my anger and replaced it with tender love and compassion. My body, mind, and soul have been renewed by God.

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Everyday I rely on Christ's strength to take the place of my weakness. The Lord has laid it heavy on my heart to get my psychology degree to work with children and parents. As I grow in my faith and trust in the Lord, I know He will provide me a good school, God-fearing Christian wife, and kids; all in His perfect timing. I have dedicated my life to Christ and I will live all my days faithful to Him.



What's Happening

Here's a glimpse of what God has been doing at Men's Challenge of the Smokies

GRADUATION



Saturday, August 15th @10AM

336 Living Hope Way-Franklin, NC

Please save the date and make plans to join us for our next graduation.

Light refreshments will be served. If you can't make it in person, you can watch live on our Facebook page.

Thank you for your continuous support of MCS!



Our men and staff have the honor of participating in a local church basketball league. We just won our first game in overtime! The men had a great time and are looking forward to the rest of the season.



Cartoogechaye Baptist



Franklin Covenant Church



Holly Springs Baptist

Thank you to Holly Springs Baptist, Franklin Covenant Church, and Cartoogechaye Baptist for having our men come and share music and testimonies. If your church is interested in having MCS come for a service, please reach out to our office. We would love to come and share what God is doing here at MCS!

Thank you to our 2026 Hope Gala Sponsors who have helped make it possible for our men to experience freedom, restoration & hope.



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