



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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LOTS HAPPENING AND LOTS TO DO

Col. 3:23 "Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men,"

PREACHER WILL BE HERE NEXT WEEK – May we all with open arms welcome Jon, Rachel, and Catherine Hackett. We look forward too many years working together.



FAMILY MEAL NIGHT THIS WEEK – What a great time to commit to Wednesday Bible Study join us for the meal prior to our study and make it a habit to attend Wednesday Bible Study.



CHURCH DIRECTORY – Don't forget to get your picture made for the new church directory. Look for Tammy Toft she will be upfront making pictures most Sundays for both services. Also, the church directory sheets are in the foyer, we need your information. The church directory is so helpful to contact each other by phone or mail.

THANK YOU FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT – This will be my last front-page article. You can still find me under Boo's Belyeu on page 3. I wanted to say thank you for so many who have helped in the transition of preachers. John Eglinton spelling me on Sunday & Wednesday auditorium classes has been so helpful. Jeff Dye scheduling preachers for Sunday morning allowed me time to adjust to all the new things to do. All our Sunday PM preachers what a wonderful help. The folks who stepped up to Wednesday night devo. Greg Mullinicks who helps with all kinds of things. Lastly the many words of encouragement and prayers are so appreciate

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



TODAY is our 5th Sunday Contribution which will go to the Day School Fund. Please keep this in mind as we prepare to give.





Sick: *Gene Kilpatrick* has been moved to NHC Maury Co. Room 1313 for rehabilitation for a couple of weeks. *Mann Nutt* had successful surgery to place a watchman filter to help with blood clots on Thursday, July 21st. *Larry Tatum* is home and will continue there till the end of August for his recovery. *Claire Mayberry*, the 2 1/2 year old granddaughter of Darrell Mayberry is in Vanderbilt Childrens Hospital surgery to remove a cancerous tumor. Was able to remove part of the tumor but still in need of our prayers. *Danny Bates* suffered a massive stroke and is now in Centerville Life Care Hospice Unit.

Please remember all those who have been or are currently dealing with the COVID Virus.

Sympathy to the friends and family of *Jerry Ammons* who passed away Monday night, July 25th. Funeral services was held Thursday, July 28th.

Continue to remember: *Kerri Anthony, Barbara Baker, Danny Bates—Life Care of Centerville. June Bates—Life Care of Centerville, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Jean Curry, Christy Dickey, Dustin Flowers, LaFon Griner, Greg Hankins, Calvin Harris, Gene Kilpatrick, Freida Lewis, Michael McCann, Howard Miller, Joe Morton, Gary O'Brien, David Roth, Roy Sharp, Nadine Turnbow, Charles Williams, and Jerry Yates.*

Shut-ins: *Michael Gray and Jimmy Griner*

In Lewis County Nursing & Rehab Center: *Michelle Huff, Jean Pace, Dinah Poore, 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).

RESTORED

Jacob Odom met with the elders Sunday morning following services and asked for prayers to be restored to the church. We rejoice with Jacob on this great decision along with his family.



There will be a family meal night Wednesday, **August 3rd** at 5:00 pm in the CSC. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the food, fun and fellowship. Please bring desserts and drinks. Please see Brice, Kara or Saul for details.



Jon Hackett will begin with the Lomax congregation on August 7, 2022. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Communications from University of South Alabama and a Master's degree in Organizational Development with a Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution and Reconciliation from Abilene Christian University. Jon has worked in ministry for over 30 years at various churches in Alabama, Ohio, Texas, and Tennessee. Since 1993 Jon has been active with the mission work in Nairobi, Kenya, E. Africa. In addition to E. Africa he also leads mission campaign groups to Central America and Eastern Europe. Jon and his wife, Rachel, have been married since 1996, and have two beautiful daughters, Emily & Catherine



Food For Friends:

August 4th

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, August 18th

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:

Animal Crackers

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



July 31—5th Sunday Contribution—Day School

August 3—Family Meal Night

August 13—Kayak Trip

August 14—Summertown Back to School Youth Rally @ 5:00 pm

August 19—Grinders Creek Singing

August 25—Ladies Mental Health Forum @ Heritage Christian from 6:00—8:30 pm

September 11—Friends & Family Day

September 17—Buffing Floors in CSC

September 30—Lomax Singing

BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:

Finish Paul's saying, "Look not every man on his own things——." (answer next week)

KNOW YOUR BIBLE

What Will Your Checkbook Tell About You?

Some time ago I read about a man who had written many biographies. He noted that it was easy to find out what a man said and what he had done, but when it came to finding out what kind of man he really was, the biographer was up a stump. Then he discovered that the surest way to get the truth was to look at the stubs of old check books.

What a man gives his money for- that tells the tale. Why not stop before you read any further and get your checkbook for the past year? What does it say about you? It might say:

1. "This man cares more about entertainment-football, hunting, fishing, golf, tennis, and movies than he does the church."
2. "This man cares more about his personal appearance-clothes, grooming, haircuts, etc., than he does the church."
3. "This man cares more about civic interests-club, community projects and the Red Cross than he does about the lost."
4. "This man cares more about vacations and traveling (just look at those gas bills) than he does about the expansion of the Kingdom of God."
5. "This man cares more about temporal security-bonds, stocks, and investments than he does about treasures in heaven."

Would you be ashamed if suddenly your checkbook began to blab the truth about you to all your friends and neighbors?

**G.K. Wallace
1903-1988**

Lomax Student Ministry



***Wednesday, August 3rd** at 5pm Family Meal Night for All, Theme is Pizza bring some cash for pizzas, dessert and drinks or anything else. See Saul, Brice or Kara.

***Sunday, August 14th** Summertown is having a back to school youth rally on August 14 at 5:00. We will leave from here by 4:15pm. This is for the 6th-12th graders of our group. We need to know if you want to come by August 7th.

***Saturday, August 20th**, Kayak trip if you are interested please see Brice or Saul

***Saturday, August 27th** we are planning on having a baseball (Kids vs Adults) and then having a meal then a devotional.

***Saturday, September 3rd**, Parents Night Out for Kids from 2 years old to 2nd grade.

***We will also start planning fall events and devotionals so if you have any ideas please tell Brice or Saul.**



Birthdays

- 2nd—Tammie Tranovich
3rd – Sherrie Anderson
4th – Boyd West
5th – Parker Carroll
13th—Hilda Durham
14th – Crystal Swinea
16th—Dave Tranovich
18th – Lisa Amacher
18th – Alice Ammons
19th – David Sloan V
20th – Greg Amacher
20th – Devan Pierce
21st- Janet Johnson
24th – Sherri Dye
25th – Debbie Pierce
26th – Gene Kilpatrick
26th – Sandy Tatum
26th – Luke Roberson
27th – Jared Long
29th—Chad Everett
29th – Angie Hunter



Anniversaries

- 2nd – Greg & Anna Jones
4th – Jeff & Sherri Dye
11th – Brian & Simone Hinson
20th – John & Karen Eglinton
30th – Mike & Susan Parker
31st— Jon & Rachel Hackett

BY THE NUMBERS For the week of 7/24	
A.M. Bible Class	124
A.M. Worship Service	220
P.M. Worship Service	153
Wednesday PM	107
Contribution:	\$7,677.05
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

Baptized



July 24th, Rafael Marte responded to the invitation after services Sunday morning and was baptized into Christ. We rejoice with Rafael in this great decision and want to encourage her in her new walk with Christ.

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796-7373

Last week's Know Your Bible Answer:

Christ, to his mother, with reference to John.
John 19:26



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)

adopt a STUDENT

We need to have the blue adopt a student sheets turned in today, July 24th. Please get these sheets to Brice, Emily, Saul, Bethany or Kara so these can be passed out to our adopters. This is for our kids in kindergarten through college.

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