

THE LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

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IT'S YOUR ATTITUDE THAT MAKES THE DIFFERENCE

A young lady who had lost her eye sight to an accident two years earlier was talking with her preacher. He was surprised by her enthusiasm and love for life. One day after services he asked her about it. She said, "Do you know what I've discovered? I have found that most unhappy thoughts come from seeing."

With her face all aglow she continued, "Before my accident I saw women wearing expensive clothes and I became dissatisfied with what I had. I noticed the expensive houses and cars that others had and I was jealous of their lives. I noticed beautiful people, and I was unhappy with my own appearance."

She added, "Then, after my accident, it came to me. Most joy producing thoughts come into people's minds in the dark! You close your eyes when you kiss the one you love. You close your eyes when you listen to soft music. You close your eyes when you talk with God. I don't really need to see to enjoy life."

Wow, the difference attitude can make in the way we look and deal with life around us. We have a choice to let the world bring us to our knees, or we can lift our head up and trust in God. Let's strive to see the beauty of the Christian life in both the good and the bad circumstances of life. As the saying goes, "When life hands you lemons, make lemonade."

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, 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.

Lomax Church of Christ Ladies, Day

TEA TIME WITH MY SISTERS



SPEAKER: LORI HILL

Movember

Registration & Continental Breakfast will begin at 8:30 a.m.

Lessons will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Lunch will be provided following our lessons



<u>Sick:</u> Malcom George is now at home and doing well as he is rehabbing at home. Nadine Turnbow is in the hospital with Covid. Sarah McMillian will have cancer surgery on October 31st. Bobby Duncan, from the Flatrock Congregation, had open heart surgery and is recovering. Terry McDonald, the father of Lorie White has been moved Waynesboro Hospital Rehabilitation. Leona White, the mother of Jake White has been moved to Vanderbilt Hospital for more testing of the infection. Sandra Pogue, the aunt of Tammie Tranovich had successful surgery Thursday, October 20th and recovering at Maury Regional Hospital. Callie Garrison, is at NHC in Columbia for rehabilitation and doing good. Johnnie Faye Skelton began cancer treatments this past week.

Sympathy to the friends and family of Lee Armstrong, the uncle of Sherri Dye and Jan Hill. His memorial service was held October 27th.

Continue to remember: 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 Yates.

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.

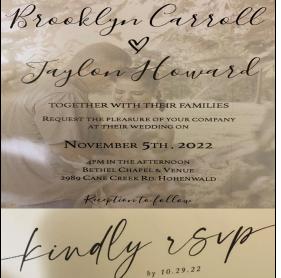


Today, is our 5th
Sunday Contribution.
The contribution will go
toward the Building
and Remodeling Fund.
Please keep this in
mind as you prepare to
give today.

Tyler Hinson Song Leader 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.
Dinner will be provided



Community Christmas Dinner/ Coat and Toy Giveanay

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: <u>November 3rd</u>

Team 7 (Cynthia & Betsy)

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



Our monthly Food for Families distribution is

Thursday, November 17th

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

Church Bus Notes

Please use the sign-out sheet next to the bus keys for scheduling events.



Located in the kitchen closet above the sink.



October 30—5th Sunday Contribution—Bldg. Fund

November 2—Family Meal Night

November 5—Ladies Day w/ Lori Hill

<u>November 5</u>—Wedding of Brooklyn Carroll and Jaylon Howard

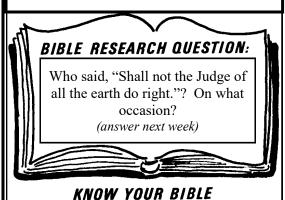
November 6—Time Change—Fall Back

November 6—Area wide Youth service

November 13—Friends and Family Day Veterans Day Celebration

November 17—Primetimer Trip to the Commodore Hotel in Linden.

November 19—Buffing Floors in CSC





Boo's Belyeu

By now we have had all of our parities Fall Festival and Halloween at the Hamm's.



The official Halloween night is tomorrow. Halloween began as a remembrance of the dead by some accounts. How we got into the costumes and trick or treat only Wikipedia knows.

The Bible speaks about remembering the dead in 1st Cor. 15:29 "²⁹ Otherwise, what do people mean by being baptized on behalf of the dead? If the dead are not raised at all, why are people baptized on their behalf?" Paul in making his point Christ was raised from the dead points out Corinth had people who were being baptized for the dead. Can we do anything for the dead to save their souls? The answer is no. Romans 14:12 "¹² So then each of us will give an account of himself to God." 2nd Cor. 5:10 "For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive what is due for what he has done in the body, whether good or evil."

Therefore let us each live with this in mind; live for Christ; be obedient to him and live that he can be seen in our lives. In doing these things Christ resurrection from the dead means we too shall be raised like him. 1st Peter 1:3 "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead," Romans 6:4 "We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life."

CYC (FEB 24TH-26TH)

LOMAX SIGN UPS END NOV 6TH!

Any questions about the conference or cost talk to Saul or Brice ASAP

NOVEMBER

Birthdays

4th – Cory Pierce

6th – Barbara Hensley

9th – Lovada Burklow

12th – Darrel Reeves

13th – Verlin George

13th – Tom Kilpatrick

14th – Tanner Carroll

14th – Blant Mayes

16th – Dennis Reynolds

23rd – Barry Bigbie

23rd – Karen Eglinton

23rd – Karley Seiber

23rd – Danny Spears

26th – Jessica Hinson

29th – Speedy Gilliam

29th—Chris Himes

29th – Kathy Oppermann



Anniversaries

3rd – Speedy & Joyce Gilliam 21st – Tom & Cynthia Kilpatrick

24th – Steve & Tracie Lomax

27th – Tom & LeeAnn Alford

30th – Darrel & Deena Reeves



Remember to move your clocks back one hour.

BY THE NUMBERS For the week of 10/23

A.M. Bible Class	120
A.M. Worship Service	182
P.M. Worship Service	109
Wednesday PM	200
Contribution:	\$8,983.00
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

FAMILY MEAL NIGHT Food Oriends

There will be a
Family Meal Night
Wednesday, November 3rd
at 5:00 pm in the CSC.
Everyone is invited to come
and enjoy the food, fun and
fellowship. See Please see
Kara, Brice or Saul for details
on food.

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Lomax Christian Day School 796-7373

Last week's Know Your Bible Answer:

Jeremiah
Jeremiah 31:3



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)





Ladies are invited to meet every Wednesday evening at 5:30 in the Library to prepare cards and have prayer for those in need. If you know of any to whom we should send cards, please meet with the ladies on Wednesday evenings or contact Betsy or Gwen.

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