



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

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

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SUNDAY EVENING SPRING YOUTH NIGHT

SUNDAY, MARCH 19TH
5:00 PM DINNER
6:00 SERVICE

PLEASE TEXT BRICE VAN HOOK
AT 636-639-0153 OR SEND AN
EMAIL AT
BRICEVANHOOK@GMAIL.COM
WITH AN ESTIMATE OF HOW
MANY ARE ATTENDING DINNER

TOPIC:
DISTRACTED

SPEAKER: CARTER
HOOVER



LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST
HOHENWALD, TENNESSEE

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.

HENDERSON FORERUNNERS HOST

Senior Adult Rally

2 BUSES GOING

Leaving at 8:00

Growing Up: Essential

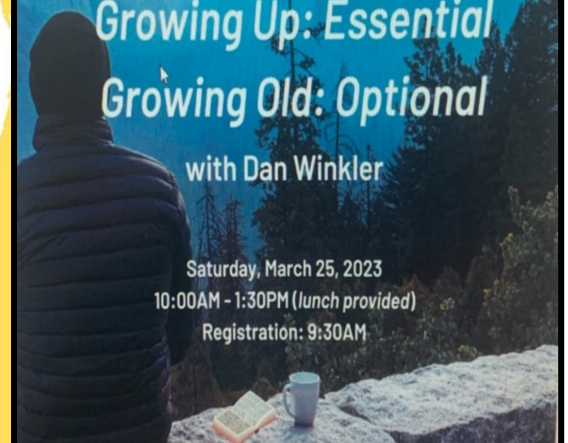
Growing Old: Optional

with Dan Winkler

Saturday, March 25, 2023

10:00AM - 1:30PM (lunch provided)

Registration: 9:30AM





Sick: *Alice Ammons* is now at home but will have heart valve procedure and more tests. Will meet with a specialist on Thursday. **Sammy Brooks**, the brother of Betsy Tiller will have liver surgery at Centennial Hospital on Monday, March 13th. **Jane Simmons**, the mother of Karen Eglinton and sister of Jerry Roberson is at home after falling this past week. **Carlos Howard**, the brother of James Howard has double pneumonia. **Claire Mayberry**, the granddaughter of Darrell Mayberry will have surgery March 20th. **Larry "Lighting" Devore** was hit by a vehicle and had a broke kneecap. He is in a heavy brace and confined to home.

Sympathy to the friends and family of

Continue to remember: *Tom Alford, June Bates—Life Care of Centerville, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Faye Chandler, Spencer Clark, Jean Curry, Sheila Dean, Christy Dickey, Mark Dillahay, Dustin Flowers, Peggy Flowers, Verlin George, John Green, Ophelia Green, LaFon Griner, Betty Hinson, Bill Judkins, Gene Kilpatrick, Ginger Kilpatrick, Claire Mayberry, Terry McDonald, Doug Miller, Howard Miller, Joe Morton, Claudine Nutt, Debbie Pierce, Al Pogue, Sandra Pogue, Johnnie Faye Skelton, Mike Tatum, Leona White, 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), *Jon Lower* (friend of the Robersons) and *Austin Pierce* (grandson of Rocco & Debbie Pierce).



We Welcome to the Lomax Family

**Steve & Denise Skelton
1748 New Kimmins Rd.
Hohenwald, TN**



March 15th, **Ryder Ward** responded to the invitation and was baptized into Christ. We rejoice with Ryder in this great decision and want to encourage him in this new walk with Christ.

**Address:
203 Downey St.
Hohenwald, TN 38462**



**Food For Friends:
March 23rd**

Team 4 (Betsy & Bonnie)
If anyone can help deliver meals, be at the CSC at 10:30 am

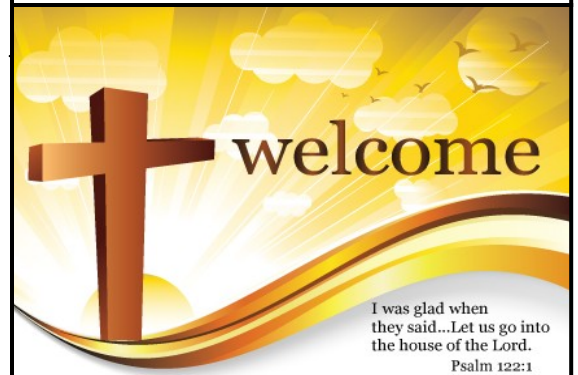


Food for Families

Our monthly Food for Families distribution is

Thursday, April 20th

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



I was glad when they said...Let us go into the house of the Lord.
Psalm 122:1



March 19—Youth Rally "Distracted"

March 25—Senior Rally @ FHU

March 25—Nashville Predators Game

March 31—Singing at Etheridge

April 2—Friends/Family Day—L2L Boys do Evening Services.

April 6-9 - Lads to Leaders Convention

April 9—Easter

April 14-15—Makin' Music @ FHU

BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:

Who said, "I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me"? On what occasion?
(answer next week)

KNOW YOUR BIBLE



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This week the Primetimers attend the Senior Rally at FHU. It



sounds like something our Youth Group would do at a Youth Rally. But do we ever get too old for encouragement? Do we ever get too old to be reminded of God's blessings? We need to rally around being a Christian, whether we are 12 or 92 we should all be inspired and focused for the Lord.

Romans 8:5-6 “⁵ For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit set their minds on the things of the Spirit. ⁶ For to set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set

the mind on the Spirit is life and peace.”



Getting the Most Out of Sermons and Bible Lessons

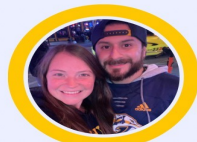
Have you ever left a Bible class or worship service and thought, “I just didn't get much out of that.” I daresay we all have at one time or another. Let me offer some suggestions that may help us.

- I know it's not always possible, but come to worship or Bible class well-rested. If you're tired, it's going to be difficult to pay attention and stay awake.
- Before you arrive at the service, prepare yourself to be a good listener and have your mind on God. Some read their Bibles or pray. Others may watch, “A Bible Answer” or “In Search of the Lord's Way” on TV. Whatever helps you get your mind focused, do it.
- Remind yourself of how important it is to hear God's Word proclaimed. There is always something new for us to learn or be reminded of.
- When it comes to Bible class, come prepared to participate. If you have some insight on the topic being discussed, share it so that all can benefit from it.
- Don't be afraid to ask questions in Bible class.
- When it comes to listening to the sermon, have a positive attitude – decide that you're going to hear something that will help you or someone else. Don't focus on the mispronounced words or the unintentional errors. Instead, focus on the overall message and what you can learn from it.
- Follow along with the Scriptures, or, if so many are used that you can't turn to them quickly enough, write the references down and look at them later.
- If taking notes helps you stay focused, then take notes.
- If the lesson being taught reminds of something you need to be doing, do it, because we're not supposed to be just hearers only, but doers of God's Word (James 1:22).

Are you getting as much as you can from the Bible class and the sermons? Let us all be “swift to hear” and “doers of the Word” (James 1:19,22).

R.W. McAlister

Lomax Student Ministry



Youth Ministers

Saul Calderon

Phone: 817-905-5324



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Camp Sign-ups

There are funds available to help pay for camp. Talk to one of the elders or Brice if you or your child would like to attend a camp

Horizons (7th-12th grade)

July 2nd-7th
Leadership camp on Freed-Hardeman's campus

Mid-South Youth Camp (Ages 9-18)

Multiple different weeks to go. Bible Summer Camp in Henderson, TN

Camp Meribah (Centerville)

Day Camp (Ages 4-9)
Mini-Meribah (K-5th)
Youth Week (1st-5th grade, Teen Week (6th-12th grade)
Sign-ups start in April
Centervillechurchofchrist.org/Summercamp

Come Join Us!

March 19th (Today!)
Sunday Evening Youth Service
Carter Hoover Speaking

March 25th
Preds Game

April 2nd
Easter Egg Hunt- in-between services Bring a basket for each child and filled eggs

April 2nd
Young Men Led Service

April 5th
Family Meal Night at 5pm

April 11th
Makin Music Trip at Freed Hardeman University
Event at Freed Hardeman see Brice or Saul for more information

Sign-up sheet for VBS in foyer

BY THE NUMBERS
For the week of 03/12

A.M. Bible Class	141
A.M. Worship Service	221
P.M. Worship Service	111
Wednesday PM	143
Contribution:	\$8,026.00
Weekly Budget	\$8,000.00

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



Nashville Predators
Hockey Game
Saturday, March 25th
See Brice and Saul for
details

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Lomax Christian Day
School
796-7373

Last week's Know Your
Bible Answer:

Andrew
John 1:41



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,
Audio Visual)
Chris Hunter
(Visitation)
Greg Mullinicks
(Missions, Bulletin)
Jeff Spears
(Education)
Marty Spears
(Finance)

BE SAFE
From COVID-19



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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