

# THE LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST

MESSENGER

A place to <u>belong</u>. A place to be <u>loved</u>. A place to <u>serve</u> God and others.

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## **POWER FOR TODAY**

Jon Hackett Pulpit Minister

#### **PETTING**

Did you ever go into a home where a pet dog was allowed to roam freely in the house? In order to get along better with the owner, you more than likely petted the dog, and then discovered that you



had started something that was hard to stop. The dog then demanded your full attention and would not stop demanding that you continue to pet him or her.

We need to be careful that in the Church we don't adopt the "need to be petted" mentality. The person who has to be petted continually never accomplishes much in the services of the Lord. The Christian who is anxious to do the Lord's will doesn't even desire to be petted. Paul said, "When I was a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man, I put away childish things."

Let us put away things that brand us a children and resolve to conduct ourselves like men and women in the service of God. Then, and only then can God use us in the fullest capacity for His service.

In Him, Jon Hackett

## Welcome to Lomax4

# 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.

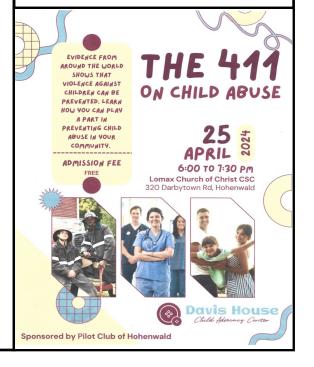
At Lomax we want to be the church we read about in the Bible. Our goal is to glorify God with our worship and with our lives and to point people to Jesus Christ.

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.







<u>Sick:</u> Tom Iverson is Maury Regional Room 678. Lovada Burklow will be meeting with her doctors this week about her recurring cancer. Jeffrey Hinson is in Maury Regional Hospital in the step down unit.. Nell Bunch is back in the hospital dealing with congestive heart failure. Darrell Hinson is in Maury Regional in the step down unit. Keith Baker, son of Pittman and Barbara Baker dealing with heart issues in St. Thomas-Murfreesboro. . His address is 2718 Almaville Rd. Smyrna, TN 37167. Jeff Tatum, the cousin of Wesley Carroll & Tommy Clayton is now home.

Continue to remember: Kasey Baker, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Christy Dickey, Dustin Flowers, Peggy Flowers, Ophelia Green, LaFon Griner, Darrell Hinson, Jeffrey Hinson, Wanda Holloway, Gene Kilpatrick, Claire Mayberry, Terry McDonald, Howard Miller, Lillie Mitchell (NHC/Columbia), Gary O'Brien, Judy Turner Pickler, Debbie Pierce, Al Pogue, David Riley, Johnnie Faye Skelton, 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).



WE WILL BEGIN TAKING UP MONEY FOR OUR SENIORS STARTING TODAY.

The Lomax Christian Day School is now taking applications for the 2024-2025 school year.
Applications may be found in the foyer. We try to place children attending the Lomax congregation first so please make sure you

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return your application by April 30th.



# Food For Friends: <u>April 25th</u>

Team 2 (Alice & Wilma)

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



Our monthly Food for Families
distribution is
Thursday, May 16th
If you have not brought your grocery
items in, please do so by Wed. morning
if possible.

## VON HANKSTROM OU

The Lomax
Congregation
has received an anonymous
donations this past week which go to
the Food for Friends program
in the memory of Faye Chandler



May 1—Family Meal Night

May 4—GYIDE Fish Fry

May 5—Senior Night

May 10—Singing @ Brushy

May 12—Mother's Day

May 20-21—Day School Graduation

May 26—Primetimer Sunday Morning

Social @ CSC—8:00 am

May 27—Memorial Day

June 5—Family Meal Night

June 7-9—Buffing in the CSC

June 14-15—Diana Singing



Who said, "Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife"?

(answer next week)

KNOW YOUR BIBLE



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This is the month Food for Friends began. April 2012 we prepared 12 meals to be delivered. Today we are preparing and delivering between 60 to 70 meals. That is 50 weeks a year taking off Thanksgiving and Christmas weeks, while COVID & the kitchen remodel skewed our



numbers we know we are well over 25,000 meals delivered during the 12 years. The Food for Friends program has not only blessed the recipients who have been most appreciative, it has also benefited the ladies preparing the meals. The fellowship and coming together to help others is such a blessing. By the way if you are not a part of this program we invite you to join us on Thursday each week or join a team. We have 7 teams with an average of 9 ladies. They bake or provide items or money to help with that



week's meal. We also have men & women who make deliveries each week, no cooking skills needed. Thanks to everyone that has helped to make this program a success.



# SUMMER CAMPS

Please consider sending your child to one of these camps. **These** camps are filling up fast, so please look at the camps below and see which camp or camps you are intrested in. See Brice for more details about these camps.



#### Horizons

July 7th-12th

Horizons is a Bible and leadership camp held on Freed-Hardeman University's campus for 7th-12th graders.



#### Mid-South Youth Camp

Week 4: June 16 – 24th

MSYC is an overnight Bible camp in Henderson, TN for 3rd-12th graders. Camp runs weekly from May 26 - July 19, but most of our Lomax youth will attend week 4.

The church helps to sponsor all students who attend a summer camp. Talk to any of our ministers or elders for more information.

Don't hesistate to register your student for camp!





## Day School Graduation

Our Lomax Day School graduations will be, Monday, May 20th & Tuesday, May 21st @ 7:00 in the Lomax auditorium A reception will follow in the CSC. We are always grateful for the attendance of the members of Lomax. If you can serve or help in any way, please see Jan Hill.

## BY THE NUMBERS For the week of 4/14

A.M. Bible Class	142
A.M. Worship Service	226
P.M. Worship Service	107
Wednesday PM	181
Contribution:	\$7,870.00
Weekly Budget	\$9,000
April	Karen
Lord Supper	Eglinton

## **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 Friends Fellowship Fun

There will be a family meal night Wednesday, May 1st.
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, or Kara for details.

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Lomax Christian Day School 796-7373

Last week's Know Your Bible Answer:

> Adam Genesis 2:24

## 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 Rilev

(Men's Ministry, Education)

**Jeff Spears** 

(Visitation)

Marty Spears

(Finance)

Dan Toft

(Maintenance)

**Brice Van Hook** 

(Social Media, Directory)

Jake White

(Lads to Leaders)



Saturday, May 4th from 4:00 – 6:00 pm at Yogie's offices.

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