



# 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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### POWER FOR TODAY

**Jon Hackett**  
Pulpit Minister

#### A GODLY MOTHER



In a world that often prioritizes achievements, success, and material possessions, it can be easy to overlook the importance and impact of godly mothers. However, the role of a mother is one of the most influential and vital responsibilities that one can fulfill.

Godly mothers play a significant role in shaping the values, beliefs, and character of their

children. They are the first teachers, caregivers, and nurturers that children have, and their influence can have a lasting impact on their lives. A mother's love, compassion, and guidance can provide a strong foundation for children to build upon as they navigate life's challenges and choices.

Proverbs 31:26-27 describes a godly mother as one who speaks with wisdom and teaches with kindness. She watches over the affairs of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness. This passage highlights the importance of a mother's role in providing guidance, love, and support to her family.

As we celebrate Mother's Day, let us take the time to honor and appreciate the godly mothers in our lives. Let us recognize the sacrifices they make, the prayers they offer, and the love they shower upon their families. Let us remember that a mother's influence goes far beyond the physical care she provides – it extends to the spiritual and moral development of her children.

So, to all the godly mothers out there, we thank you for your unwavering love, your steadfast faith, and your tireless dedication to nurturing and guiding your children. Your role is invaluable, and your impact is immeasurable. May God bless you and grant you the strength and wisdom to continue fulfilling your important calling as a mother.

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.





**Sick:** *Lovada Burklow* is at home as steps are taken to deal with the cancer. *Larry Tatum* had successful knee surgery and is now at home recovering. *Chris Malone*, the nephew of Sarah McMillian is doing better after dealing with a head injury.

**Sympathy:** To the family and friends of *Jeffrey Hinson*. He passed away Friday, May 3rd. His funeral was held Monday, May 6th.

**Continue to remember:** *Kasey Baker, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Christy Dickey, Dustin Flowers, Peggy Flowers, Ophelia Green, LaFon Griner, Darrell Hinson, Wanda Holloway, Gene Kilpatrick, Claire Mayberry, Terry McDonald, Howard Miller, Lillie Mitchell (Life Care Center/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).



***Food For Friends:***  
***May 16th***

***Team 5 ( Kay & Kathy)***  
*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.**



**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 2**—Series with Tim Gunnells  
**June 5**—Family Meal Night

You are invited to

**LOMAX**

**DAY SCHOOL GRADUATION**

Monday - May 20 th @ 6:00 pm  
Tuesday - May 21 at @ 6:00 pm

A reception will follow in the CSC.  
Join us to celebrate with the accomplishments of our graduates.

**GYIDE FISH FRY**

Thank you! Another successful Fish Fry and could not been done without all your support and help

We received several large donations to cover cost of the fish. We ended up raising a little over \$7700 less expenses, we netted \$5,700 and served over 400.

Thank you once again!

**BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:**

Finish Paul's sentence, "The goodness of God leadeth ——"?  
(answer next week)

**KNOW YOUR BIBLE**





# Boo's Belyeu



*Happy Mother's Day, celebrated the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of May it recognizes motherhood and maternal bonds in general. The first official Mother's Day was on May 10<sup>th</sup>, 1908. Exodus 20:12 "Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you."*



## News and Updates:

- Camps are filling up fast register for Mid-South (week 4) or Horizons. See Brice for any questions or concerns.

## Events:

**May 18th:** Bowling for all ages

**May 19th: Sonic Sunday-** Sonic trip before evening services. 6th-12th grade

**May 26th:** Young men led services. Young boys singing after service.

**June 3rd:** Brushy VBS Trip

**June 5th:** Brice speaking at Wayne Furnace's VBS

**June 7th:** Summer River Lot devo at the Riley's. All ages are invited.

**June 10:** Linden VBS trip

**June 11th:** Zoo day trip. All ages are invited.

**June 25th:** Kid's Day Camp up to 5th grade



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## Mothers in the Bible

The role that mothers played in the biblical story is undeniable. From the beginning pages of Genesis to the latter letters of Timothy, the influence of mothers (both good and bad) is seen time and time again. The impact that the mother has on the child can and will have everlasting consequences (2 Timothy 3:15). The godly mother will pass on a genuine faith to her children just as Timothy's mother, Eunice did for him (2 Timothy 1:5). Here's a small sample of the mothers found in the Bible:

- Eve was the "mother of all living" (Genesis 3:20)
- Sarah became a mother in her old age (Genesis 21:7)
- Rebekah preferred one son over the other (Genesis 27:5-10)
- Jochebed hid her son from harm for 3 months (Exodus 2:1-3)
- Hannah dedicated her son to the Lord (1 Samuel 1:22)
- Bathsheba lost the son of her adultery (2 Samuel 12:15-18)
- Elizabeth's son prepared people for the Lord (Luke 1:13-17)
- Mary watched her Son be crucified for the world's sin (John 19:26)

Today, we pay tribute to our godly mothers, thanking God for their love, care and guidance in the ways of the Lord.

*"Her children rise up and call her blessed;*

*Her husband also, and he praises her" (Proverbs 31:28)*

*Jay Launius  
Maud church of Christ  
Maud, TX*



**BY THE NUMBERS**  
**For the week of 5/05**

A.M. Bible Class	138
A.M. Worship Service	236
P.M. Worship Service	145
Wednesday PM	55
Contribution:	\$8,130.00
Weekly Budget	\$9,000
May Lord Supper	Lisa Tatum

**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



**Disaster Relief will be leaving on Monday, May 13th from the CSC at 7:30. Any extra help would be greatly appreciated.**

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**Last week's Know Your Bible Answer:**

**Moses**  
**Leviticus 24:20**

**REMINDER**

**Please continue to check out the Visitation Notebook in the foyer for updated information.**

**ELDERS:**

**Jeff Dye** — 306-8463  
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(Please leave a message)

**DEACONS**

**Lynn Ammons**  
(Worship Assignments)  
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(Transportation)  
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(Maintenance)  
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