



# 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

### 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, 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.

(Scan QR Code with your phones camera and follow the link)



Welcome to



## FRIENDS AND FAMILY DAY

**Everyone is invited to join us this morning after worship for our fellowship meal and our afternoon time of worship in the Christian Service Center.**



### Family Meal Night November Birthday



**Tom Kilpatrick, Emberlee Casias, Reagan Clayton, Libby McClain, & Matt McClain**



**Our Thoughts  
and Prayers  
are With you**

**Sick:** *Gwen Spears* is scheduled to come home this week. **Gene Kilpatrick** will have knee surgery on November 5th at Williamson Medical. **Gary O'Brien** in Veterans Hospital in serious condition. **Vick Nichols** is dealing with issues with his back. **Carla Thomas**, the sister of Cynthia Collison is Meharry Medical Center following surgery and in need of our prayers.

**Sympathy:** To the family and friends of **Alfred Kelley**, the father of Vickie Halfacre passed away. His funeral was held Sunday, November 3rd.

**Sympathy:** To the family and friends of **Tom James**, the son of B.B. James who formerly preached here in Hohenwald. His funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

**Continue to remember:** *Barbara Baker, Kasey Baker, Tina Bores, Janie Spears Brewer, Nell Bunch, Lovada Burklow, Dustin Flowers, Peggy Flowers, Ophelia Green, LaFon Griner, Wilma Harris, Awny Jadon, Gene Kilpatrick, Terry McDonald, Howard Miller, Lillie Mitchell, Brenda Nance, Gary O'Brien, Judy Turner Pickler, Al Pogue..*

**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), **Brindan Jancuska** (son of Dave & Tammie Tranovich), **Jon Lower** (husband of Paige Roberson) and **Austin Pierce** (grandson of Rocco & Debbie Pierce).



**Food For Friends:  
November 14th**

**Team 2 (Alice & Wilma)**

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

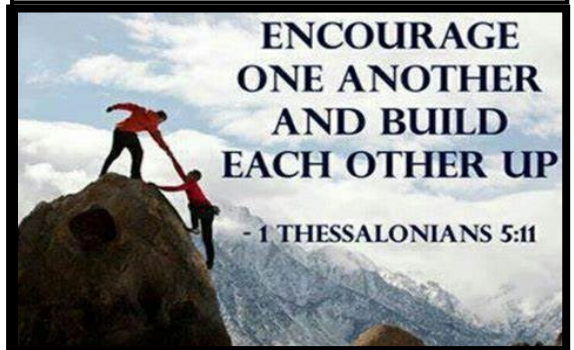


**Food  
for Families**

**Our monthly Food for Families  
distribution is**

**Tuesday, November 19th**

**If you have not brought your grocery  
items in, please do so by Mon. morning**



**November 10**—Friends & Family Day honoring Veterans

**November 11**—Veterans

**November 17**—Baby Shower for Olivia Hinson Trull

**November 22-24**—Buffing in CSC

**November 28**—Thanksgiving

**December 8**—Friends/Family Day

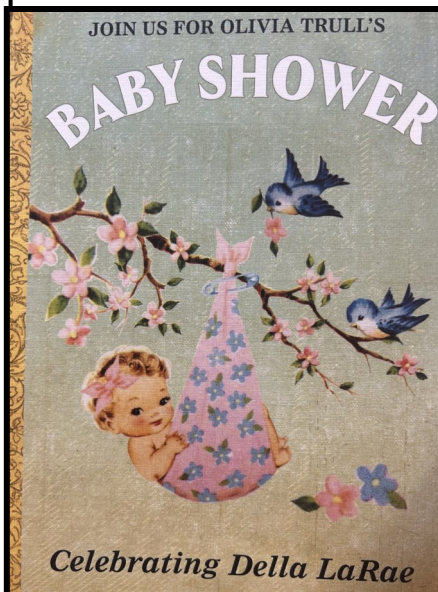
**December 14**—Community Christmas Meal

**December 18**—Primetimers Brunch at Boo & Rose @ 4:00 PM

**December 25**—Christmas

**December 29**—5th Sun. Cont.—Building Fund 2025

**January 11**—Leadership Planning Breakfast



Join us in celebrating  
a new chapter for  
Olivia Hinson Trull  
Sunday, November 17th

1:00-2:30

Lomax CSC

Registered at  
Amazon and Target

You may bring a book  
for baby Della LaRae  
instead of a card if you would like.

**BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:**

Who said of God that he is "of purer eyes than to behold evil," and that he cannot look on iniquity?  
*(answer next week)*

**KNOW YOUR BIBLE**



# Boo's Belyeu



This week in history November 12<sup>th</sup>, 1954 Ellis Island closed. Ellis Island was known as the gateway to America. More than 12 million immigrants were processed such a difference than the situation we have today.

The church has an open door to all who wish to come. John 6:37 "All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out." Isn't it wonderful to know Jesus wants us? He wants us to come believing in him following his will Mark 16:16 "Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned." As great as it is to be an American citizen, it does not compare to being a Christian.



## Some Things to Remember After the Election is Over

The election will soon be over, and, boy oh boy, will I be glad. I simply detest all of the political rhetoric, spinning of the issues, and the constant, incessant, irritating ads! Regardless of whether our favorite candidate wins or not, and regardless of whether we think the country is headed the right or wrong direction, there are some important things we need to remember after all of the dust has settled. We can glean them from the book of Daniel, who definitely had to endure some wicked, ungodly rulers.

**God is still in control.** No matter who is elected, always remember that God is in charge. In the book of Daniel, four times we read that "the Most High rules in the kingdom of men" (4:17, 25, 32; 5:21). Daniel 2:21 says it best, "He removes kings and raises up kings." Remember this: no election by man is going to thwart God's almighty plan! Regardless of who is in office, God's will still will be done.

**God will make it so that we can remain faithful to Him.** No matter how wicked the political leader, no matter how much the laws are changed for the worse, no matter how oppressive the government, Christians can remain faithful to God. Despite servitude and persecution, Daniel was still able to remain faithful to Jehovah God (Daniel 1:1-8, 6: 7-10). God will not let a situation happen to His people in which it is impossible for them to remain faithful to His will.

**Because God is in control and because He will make it so that we can be faithful to Him, we can rest assured that He will reward our faithfulness.** All good things come from God, and God can bring blessings into any situation. When Daniel remained faithful, God blessed him (Daniel 1:9, 15-20; 6:2:46-48; 4:29; 6:1-3, 22, 28). Regardless of who comes into political leadership and regardless of what laws are or are not created, we can have the certainty that if we remain faithful to God, He will bless us and reward us.

So, once the election is over, resolve to be a faithful Christian, a good citizen, and a caring human, and maybe it won't bother you so much just who did or didn't get elected! And always remember that God will always be God – nothing will ever change that!

*Edd Sterchi  
Broadway church of Christ  
Campbellsville, KY*

# Lomax Youth

**SUNDAY, 11/10- AREA WIDE YOUTH RALLY AT CATHEY'S CREEK. LEAVE AT 4:30 PM. SIGN-UP IN YOUTH ROOM.**

**FRIDAY, 11/15- FRIENDSGIVING (6TH-12TH GRADE) PROGRESSIVE DINNER. SIGN-UP IN YOUTH ROOM**

**SATURDAY, 11/16- TENNESSEE SAFARI PARK TRIP. SIGN-UP IN THE LOBBY. LAST DAY TO SIGN UP NOVEMBER 3RD.**

COST IS ADULTS (13 AND UP) - \$22,  
CHILDREN (2-12) - \$14

CHILDREN 1 AND UNDER - FREE

**CYC SIGN-UP IN THE LOBBY**

FEBRUARY 21ST-23RD, 100\$ DEPOSIT AND SIGN-UP ENDS DUE DECEMBER 25TH

**LADS TO LEADERS DATES  
(AFTER EVENING SERVICES)**

NOVEMBER 3RD

NOVEMBER 17TH

ANY STUDENT PRE-K THROUGH 12TH  
GRADE ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.  
PRACTICING SONG LEADING AND SPEECH.

☎ 636-639-0153

Brice Van Hook-Youth Minister

*Welcome  
Glad you're here!*

**BY THE NUMBERS**  
For the week of 11/03

A.M. Bible Class	155
A.M. Worship Service	234
P.M. Worship Service	100
Wednesday PM	150
Contribution:	\$8,660.25
Weekly Budget	\$9,000
November Lord Supper	Kara Farr

**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



**FRIENDS & FAMILY DAY**  
Remembering & Honoring our VETERANS - November 10th  
LUNCH IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING SERVICES  
AFTERNOON SERVICE @12:30IN THE CSC

**Lomax Church of Christ**

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Brice Van Hook—636-639-0153

**Lomax Christian Day School**  
796-7373

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

**Jeremiah**  
**Jeremiah 6:14**

**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 Riley (Men's Ministry, Education)  
Jeff Spears (Visitation)  
Marty Spears (Finance)  
Dan Toft (Maintenance)  
Brice Van Hook (Social Media, Directory)  
Jake White (Lads to Leaders)

**Cleaning and Buffing in the CSC**



**November 22nd - 24th**

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