

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

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

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Pulpit Minister

Living with Reverence: Honoring God Every Day

Have you ever thought about what it really means to be *reverent*? It's one of those words we hear at church, but don't always talk about in everyday life. Simply put, reverence means showing deep respect for God—not just at church, but in every part of life.

Proverbs 1:7 says, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge." That "fear" isn't about being scared of God—it's about having a deep respect and awe for who He is. When we truly understand how holy, powerful, and loving God is, it naturally changes how we think, speak, and act.

Sometimes, it's easy to slip into treating spiritual things casually. We rush through prayer, zone out during worship, or let God's Word collect dust. But Hebrews 12:28 reminds us to "worship God acceptably with reverence and awe." That's not just about singing or listening—it's about bringing our whole hearts into every moment with Him. And reverence isn't just for Sundays. It's in the way we talk to others, how we handle our time, and the choices we make when no one's looking. Colossians 3:17 puts it perfectly: "Whatever you do... do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus."

So here's something to think about: *Are you living in a way that shows you respect and honor God?* Not perfectly—we all fall short—but is that your aim?

Reverence isn't old-fashioned or stiff. It's a powerful, personal way of living that says, "God matters. He's worthy of my best." When we live with that mindset, we grow in wisdom, peace, and closeness with Him.

Let's choose to honor Him—not just in church, but in everything we do.

-Jon Hackett

Welcome to Lomax

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)







<u>Sick:</u> Pittman Baker is back in NHC in Columbia. Annette Peery is suffering pain in her hip and leg. Joyce Hinson is in a lot of pain after a possible mini-stroke. Cynthia Kilpatrick had surgery on Tuesday, Mch 25th. Elise Skelton, the mother of Steve Skelton is in Natchez Trace Rehab. Room 201. Sharron Blake, the sister of Hershel Anderson is in need of our prayers dealing with a decision related to assisted living care.

<u>Sympathy:</u> To the family and friends of Megan Inman. She passed away in the night. No arrangements at this time.

Continue to remember: Pittman Baker, Kasey Baker, Tina Bores, Lovada Burklow, Dustin Flowers, Peggy Flowers, Ophelia Green, Sharon Grinder, LaFon Griner, Wilma Harris, Ruby Hinson, Awny Jadon, Gene Kilpatrick, Terry McDonald, Howard Miller, Lillie Mitchell, Brenda Nance, Gary O'Brien, & 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).







Frond For Friends: April 3rd Team 4 (Betsy & Bonnie)

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



Our monthly Food for Families distribution is Tuesday, April 15th

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

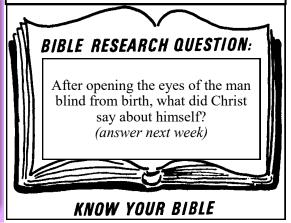




March 30—5th Sun. Contribution—Youth Fund

April 2—Family Meal Night
April 13—Friends & Family Day
April 26—Movie @ Lawrenceburg—\$15:00
includes movie ticket, drink, candy and popcorn.

May 3—GYIDE FISH FRY May 7—Family Meal Night





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Due to time constraints, I could not write about the Freed-



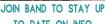
Hardeman lectures until this week. While Jon and I discussed being exhausted, we had a great spiritual feast. You may think the spiritual feast was all about the lectures we heard and you would be right, but its more. You may think it would be the wonderful singing with a large number thundering their voices in the revamped auditorium you would be correct, but its more. There is an emotional, spiritual connection to be with other Christians in fellowship. The handshakes, hugs, smiles, and

greetings as Christians connecting in love the fellowship of traveling the same road with Jesus Christ our Lord. Revelation 19:9 "And the angel said to me, "Write this: Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb." And he said to



me, "These are the true words of God."











Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Family Meal Night	3	4	5
6 Area Wide at Northview	7	8	9 Now that I am a (hristian (lass wednesday at 5pm	10 In-Depth Bible Study at 6pm	11	12
13 Easter Egg Hunt up to 5th grade	14	15	16	17	18 Lads to 1	19 Leaders
20	21	22	23 Wednesday Hang Out	24	25	26 Youth Devo at the Hunters
27	28	29	30			



Birthdays

2nd – Hershel Anderson

2nd Bill Lawson

3rd – Tammy Bigbie

4th – Derick Carroll

5th – Andalyn Himes

8th – LeeAnn Alford

8th – Lisa Mullinicks

10th – Tytus Staggs

11th – Susan Overbey

12th – Nathan Pierce

12th – Elijah Smith

16th – Billy Reese

16th – Will Swinea

17th – Garrett Ammons

17th—Stevy Odom

18th – Barbara Baker

19th – Mary Halfacre

20th – Chris Swinea

22nd – Debbie Bunch

22nd – Sue Conkle

22nd – Joyce Gilliam

24th – Tracy Lomax

25th—Tyler Seiber

25th—Lily Van Hook

26th – Joslyn Bradley

27th – Will Chapin

27th – Madi Hamm

29th – Casen Himes



Anniversaries

12th – David & Britni Sloan 14th – Wesley & Amy Carroll 17th—Dennis Reynolds & Shelly Cohen 28th – Larry & Sandy Tatum

BY THE NUMBERS For the week of 3/23 A.M. Bible Class 171 A.M. Worship 266 **Service** P.M. Worship 129 Service Wednesday PM 134 **Contribution:** \$9,100.28 **Weekly Budget** \$9,000 Lauren March Hamm **Lord Supper**

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



March 25th,

Jo Jo Alkire was baptized into Christ. We

rejoice with **Jo Jo**in this great decision and want to encourage him in this new walk with Christ.

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Last week's Know Your Bible Answer:

"And stablisheth a city by iniquity!" Habakkuk 2:12



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)



Ladies are

invited to meet every Wednesday evening at 5:30 in the Library to prepare cards for those in need. If you know of any to whom we should send cards, please meet with the ladies on Wednesday evenings.

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