



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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LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST SUMMER SERIES 2025

"GROWING A BALANCED LIFE"

Tonight



Speaker
Dale Jenkins

Co-Founder
The Jenkins Institute
Spring Hill, Tennessee

*Topic: "Cultivating Healthy
Relationships: Loving God and
Loving Others"*

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)



FISH FRY

MID-SOUTH YOUTH CAMP  4-6 P.M.

**JULY 26,
2025**



\$15 ADULTS

\$10 AGES 6-11

FREE AGES 0-5

ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT • DINE-IN OR DRIVE THROUGH



Sick: *Tom Iverson* continues to be homebound having surgery July 17th. *Martha Jo Van Hook* had surgery July 1st., and is now at home recovering. *Mann Nutt* is having some health issues and requests our prayers. *Michael Gray* is in Maury Regional Hospital with pneumonia. *Andrea Darden* begins her chemotherapy treatments this week. *Trace Beasley*, the grandson of Steve & Tracie Lomax is in ICU at Maury Regional. His parents are Cameron & Sarah Beasley.

Sympathy: *To the family and friends of Roger Banks.* His funeral was held Monday, July 14th in Centerville with burial in Memory Gardens in Centerville.

Sympathy: *To the family and friends of Van Ward,* former minister at Little Swan. His funeral was held Wednesday, July 16 with burial in Napier Cemetery.

Continue to remember: *Barbara Baker, Kasey Baker, Sharron Blake, Tina Bores, Lovada Burklow, Andrea Darden, Dustin Flowers, Peggy Flowers, Michael Gray, Sharon Grinder, LaFon Griner, Wilma Harris, Braden Hinson, Ruby Hinson, Awmy Jadon, Cynthia Kilpatrick, Gene Kilpatrick, Ann McDonald, Terry McDonald, Howard Miller, Lillie Mitchell, Brenda Nance, Al Pogue, Marcia Runions, Bill Tranovich and Sandra Zoelle*

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).



FAMILY MEAL NIGHT

WED AUGUST 6TH @ 5:00

\$5 PER PERSON FOR PIZZA

PLEASE BRING CHIPS, DESSERTS & DRINKS

Summer Series
"Growing a Balanced Life"
Concludes Next Week
with
Andy Connelly
July 27th



Food For Friends: July 24th

Team 6 (Annette & Barbara)

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, August 19th

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



Thanks to all the
women who cooked
and brought the
good food to me. I

have moved on July 12th to Athens, Alabama to live with my daughter Barbara & Larry Jones. My new address will be:

Hilda C. Durham
563 Summit Lakes Drive
Athens, Al. 35613

Hilda Durham with love and
appreciation.



July 20—Summer Series w/ Dale Jenkins

July 27—Summer Series w/ Andy Connelly

August 2—Linden Ladies Day

August 6—Family Meal Night

August 21—Back to School "Never" Dinner—
potluck in the CSC—4:00

September 3—Family Meal Night

September 7—Friends & Family Day

BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:

Finish Christ's saying, "Suffer the
little children ———?"
(answer next week)

KNOW YOUR BIBLE



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This week on July 26th back in 1775 the United Postal Service was established. Today there are over 40,000 post offices and the postal service



deliveries more than 200 billion pieces of mail. Because of the internet and email we refer to it today as "snail mail." Yet, the importance of our ability to share messages letters to send across the country a get-well card or a well wish or congratulations.

This is not to diminish your letters of encouragement, well wishes, thinking of you; rather it is to make sure you send a message to the most important source, God almighty in prayer. It is certainly not "snail mail" and it is the message we must be sure to send. Philippians 4:6-7 "do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ



Reminder: Summer Series this Sunday Night (7/20) with Food and Fellowship after PM Services

Bring 5\$ a person for pizza. Also bring chips and drinks. Hope to see you there!

Thank you!

VBS was a wonderful success because of this wonderful church family! The Son always shines at Lomax and we saw that last week as learned about victory in Jesus. Hopefully this week has been beneficial and evangelical.

Numbers for the week
Sunday: 254
Monday: 270
Tuesday: 276
Wednesday: 305

Ashamed?

There is a growing sense of embarrassment in our fellowship over what we believe and teach. Some folks, wanting to be accepted by the denominational world, cringe when preachers teach the truth on subjects like the role of women, the use of the instrument, and baptism. They no longer want their preachers to show the difference between what the Bible teaches and what the denominations advocate. In other words, some folks have become ashamed of the truth and ashamed of those who actually take a stand for truth. They want to be "politically correct" and "doctrinally neutral" in order to mingle among the modern religions without repercussions.

It's interesting to me that Timothy may have entertained some of the "don't make waves" kind of thinking when he preached in Ephesus. Paul was aware of his tendencies, so he wrote a rather strong encouragement for the young preacher to teach the truth. Here's what he said: "For God has not given us a spirit of timidity, but of power and love and discipline. Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony of our lord, or of me His prisoner; but join with me in suffering for the gospel according to the power of God" (2 Tim. 1:7,8).

Not only is "acceptance" a motivation for the present shame we are witnessing, but there is also a desire to avoid any kind of suffering that lies behind the willingness to compromise truth for error. People will leave us alone if we don't take a firm stand against the sin and error in which they have become enslaved. Timothy seems to have been tempted to exhibit this kind of shame. What about us? Are we ashamed of the gospel and those who preach it plainly?

Guy Orbison, Jr.

BY THE NUMBERS
For the week of 7/13

A.M. Bible Class	155
A.M. Worship Service	242
P.M. Worship Service	254
Wednesday PM	305
Contribution:	\$8,880.02
Weekly Budget	\$9,000
July	Kayla Spears
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



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Last week's Know Your
Bible Answer:

The Wedding at
Cana
John 2:1-11

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)
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(Young Families Ministry, Audio Visual)
James Howard
(Security)
Greg Mullinicks
(Missions, Bulletin)
Lee Riley
(Men's Ministry, Education)
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(Visitation)
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