



THE LOMAX CHURCH OF CHRIST

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*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



TRAINING OUR YOUTH

We are excited about the kickoff of our Lads 2 Leaders (L2L) program, designed to equip and empower our young people for leadership and service in the church. As we invest in training our children for leadership, we are sowing seeds for a vibrant and flourishing community of faith.

The importance of nurturing young leaders cannot be overstated. Just as the disciples were called to follow Jesus and become fishers of men, our children are called to step into their own roles of leadership and service within the church. By providing them with opportunities to learn, grow, and lead, we are preparing them to carry on the mission of spreading God's love and truth in the world.

Through the L2L program, our young people will receive mentorship, training, and practical experience in various aspects of church life and ministry. This investment in their development will not only benefit them individually but will also contribute to the strength and vitality of our entire congregation. As we launch this program, let us pray for God's guidance and blessing on the journey ahead, knowing that our children have the potential to become the leaders and legends of tomorrow.

How can you help? First, praying for our young people daily. Second, showing up and supporting them with encouragement and praise. Third, volunteer to help train our young people. We are blessed to have so many with great talents and much to offer. Help pass that along. Finally, lead by your example. That is the best way to help train our young. Let them see it in us.

Tonight we will be starting up our "Young Men's Night" where several of our young men will be leading our worship. Take this opportunity to come and support them. Exciting things are continuing to happen here at Lomax. I praise God and continue to ask Him to bless the efforts here. To His glory!

JH

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.



GYIDE

THE BEST BBQ EXPERIENCE



September 28th

4:00 - 6:00

at Yogie's offices

\$10:00 a plate

Come & Enjoy



**Our Thoughts
and Prayers
are With you**

Sick: *Barbara Hinson* is now at home recovering from surgery. *Marsha Runions* will have surgery on Wednesday, September 25th at Centennial Hospital. *Larry Rogers*, the son of the late Bill & Dolene Rogers began chemo treatments.

Sympathy: *To the family and friends of*

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

Shut-ins: *Michael Gray and Jimmy Griner*

In Lewis County Nursing & Rehab Center:
Wilma Harris, 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:
September 26th**

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, October 15th

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

Day School Donations

If you can help by supplying some of these items
it will be greatly appreciated:

Ritz Crackers

Please put these items in the box in the church
office in the foyer.

Thank you!



September 27—Lomax Singing @ 7:00
Eating at 5:30.

September 27-29—RUSH @ FHU

September 28—GYIDE BBQ

September 29—5th Sun. Cont.—Youth Fund

October 2—Family Meal Night

October 5—Wedding Shower for Whitney
Goode, bride-elect of Scott Mullinicks

October 10-13—Couples Retreat

October 12—Primitimers trip to Amish Village
& flea market—Leave at 10:00 am

October 30—Fall Festival

October 31—Halloween

Annual Singing
Lomax Church of Christ
320 Darbytown Rd., Hohenwald



*Emcees: Casey Rogers
and William Tankersley*

*Please join us for a great night of singing.
Breakfast will be served at 5:30.*

CROSSROADS

RUSH 2024 · SEPT. 27-29, 2024

FREED-HARDEMAN UNIVERSITY

RUSH



BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION:

Of whom was it asked in
astonishment whether he also was
among the prophets?
(answer next week)

KNOW YOUR BIBLE



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This Friday night is our singing night. We are hosting the anytime singers and eating together prior to the singing. Psalms 96:1-3 "Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth. ² Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day. ³ Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples." What a great a marvelous time to blend our voices in song. Hope you are able to be there to join in the fellowship.



YOUTH UPDATES

Upcoming Events

- Today, 9/22- Lads to Leaders kick-off. Dinner provided. Please bring drinks and desserts. This is for anyone wanting to participate or help with it.
- Friday-Sunday 9/27-9/29 - RUSH at FHU for 7th-12th graders and any parents/chaperones. The cost is \$40 per person. Sign up in the lobby.
- Saturday, 10/5- Youth Devo at the Pavilion with the Farris



Brice Van Hook
Youth Minister
636-639-0153

Sign up to host a devo! See the Van Hooks for details.

I Know It's Not Dead

One of the marks of New Testament Christianity is that on the first day of the week, we give of our means, (our money) to help with the work of the church. Several passages of scripture teach us this (Acts 2:45, 1 Cor. 16:2). We are also taught the attitude in which we are to give according to 2 Cor.

9:7, "Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." During times when our financial resources may be in short supply, we may be tempted to cut back or even stop giving to the Lord but before we do that, maybe the following story can help us understand why giving to the Lord's work each Sunday is so important.

The story is told of one lady who complained that the church was always asking for money. Another woman responded that she and her husband could not have children and adopted a child, a baby boy. It took a lot of money: money for food, clothing, education, toys, etc. As the child grew, he cost the husband and wife more money. But they were glad to do it because they loved their son very much. He went off to college and that cost even more. But one day as he was traveling home from college for spring break, he was killed in a tragic car wreck.

The mother with tears in her eyes said, "Our son does not cost us a thing now because he is dead." She went on to say, "I am more than willing to give to the church because I know that money is needed to help the church grow. If the church did not need money, then I know that it is dead."

Church, thank you for being cheerful givers, and giving what you can. Today you will have an opportunity to give to the Lord's work. Besides fulfilling a command of God to give (2 Cor. 9:7), it is also a reminder that the church is not dead.

Mark T. Tonkery
Norval Park church of Christ
Zanesville, OH

THANK YOU

The Lomax

Congregation received a donation to go to Lomax Church in the memory of Danny Goodman.

BY THE NUMBERS
For the week of 9/15

A.M. Bible Class	163
A.M. Worship Service	238
P.M. Worship Service	86
Wednesday PM	156
Contribution:	\$ 7,967.00
Weekly Budget	\$9,000
September Lord Supper	Rose Spears

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

Coming
ANOTHER SWEET VERY soon!
BOY!
LAUREN & BILLY REESE
If you would like to contribute to a money tree, please see Kara or Rose

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Last week's Know Your Bible Answer:

“Enter into his gates with thanksgiving.”
Psalms 100:4

REMINDER

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

ELDERS:

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(Please leave a message)

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(Worship Assignments)
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(Visitation)
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(Finance)
Dan Toft
(Maintenance)
Brice Van Hook
(Social Media, Directory)
Jake White
(Lads to Leaders)

Bridal
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honoring
WHITNEY GOODE & SCOTT MULLINICKS
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10:00 am
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