

Mid-Week Informer

JANUARY 27, 2016



A COMMUNITY OF
GRACE THAT IS
GROWING & GOING

UPCOMING EVENTS:

JANUARY

- Marriage Conference Jan. 31st from 4-7:30 (Lex) - bus will leave at 2:40
- Collecting cans for Garrard Food Pantry and Parrish

FEBRUARY

- Chili (guys) and dessert (gals) cook-off on Sun. Feb. 7th at 5:00 PM
- Directory pictures rescheduled until Feb. 18-22

Food Drive



From Your Pastor

Selflessness

Do nothing from rivalry or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Philippians 2:3

I have a selfish nature. I suspect you do too. Sometimes we don't realize how selfish we are until we have to give up some of our selfish desires for the sake of others. DNow was an awesome weekend in regards to ministering to students and making a Gospel impact on their lives. It was also a good time for me to be reminded of my own selfishness.

I was just thinking about DNow weekend: UK was playing basketball at 4:00, NFL playoffs were on, I was tired and sleepy,... my fleshly appetites wanted to be fed. I wanted to watch the games. I wanted to go take a nap. I wanted everybody to be quiet at 11 PM so I could go to bed. I wanted... I wanted ... I wanted...

The theme of DNow this year was "Unselfie." So, if I wanted to see young people impacted by the Gospel, if I wanted to see young people building relations with others, if I wanted to see young people loved by the church, then I had to give up some of my selfish desires in order to be an instrument in God's hands. Jesus did that all the time (He had no place to lay His head.) In the midst of all that God was doing during DNow weekend, He was showing me some of my personal selfishness. I'm thankful for the reminder and hope that I will be more like Christ and be less concerned about my own selfish desires.

I was so encouraged by the unselfishness of so many folks at LBC again this year. Some houses had over 20 students in their homes. That's a lot of bacon (and chips, drinks, cookies, ...). Some came early and stayed late. Some helped feed while others transported students. Many helped clean up after everything was over. I am always blessed by the servant examples so many of you display on an ongoing basis. Thank you for the example and praise God for the work He did in the lives of those who participated in DNow!

Lots of love in Christ,
Bro Harold



Visit:

www.tellyourstory.today

DVDs & CDs:

We have DVDs & CDs available for our Sunday services.

Please see Chris Woolums (sound area) if you would like one (free). Donations welcomed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW DIRECTORY: Rescheduled for **Feb. 18-22.**

OUR KIDS MATTER MEETING: Nursery Team, Children's Team, KidzRock workers, Children SS Teachers, and parents of children preschool to 12th grade are invited to meet Jan. 31st at 11:15 pm in Choir Room to discuss future plans and needs. Bro. Stephen.

UPWARD BASKETBALL & CHEERLEADING: Games resume this Saturday. You are invited to come out any night and visit with parents while their child is practicing. We'd love for you to help on Saturdays in January and February. We could always use more help.

FOOD COLLECTION: We are now collecting food for our local food pantries in the month of January (through Feb. 7th).

HISPANIC CHURCH PLANT: This Hispanic Church Plant has been approved and the first service will be held at the beginning of March. Please be praying for this church plant.

VBS WORKSHOP: If you would like to go to a VBS Preview workshop on Sat. Jan. 30th please let Katie Farthing know.

MARRIAGE EVENT: There is a "Love Worth Fighting For" Marriage event in Lex. on Sun. Jan. 31st from 4-7:30pm. Please let Michael or Vonda Anderson know if you would like to attend. We will take a bus.

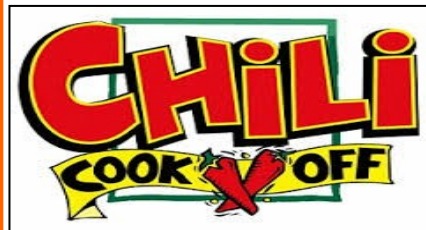
MARRIAGE RETREAT 2016: March 11-13 in Pigeon Forge, TN with Buck Run Baptist. Register by Feb. 7th for \$230 (Feb. 8-28 for \$250). Go to www.buckrun.org/event/marriage-retreat/ to register or see Vonda Anderson.

FLC POLICY: New FLC use policy took effect on January 1, 2016. Copies are available in church office

CHOIR PRACTICE: Sunday evenings at 4:00 PM.

DISCOVERY CLASS: Sunday, Feb. 28th at 9:00 AM in the library

CHILI & DESSERT COOKOFF: Sun., Feb. 7th at 5:00 PM in the FLC. We will have our evening service in the FLC and all are invited to join us for the Super Bowl afterwards.



In All Things By Prayer...

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Jack Armstrong	Nell Davis	Carl Kidwell	<p>HOME BOUND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bob Ballard • Jewell Callis • Lois Carrier • Lucian Clark (CCC) • Nellie Cole • JoAnn Grow • Juanita Gullett • Virgie Long • Della Meadows (CCC) • Anna Meadows • Marie Naylor • Dorothy Shockley • Katherine Sowder • Myrtle Stump (CCC) <p>OUR CHURCH</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bro. Harold & family • Bro. Stephen & family • Bro. Nehemiah & family • Our Deacons • SS Teachers • Church leaders • New believers • Chervens • Amanda Hubler • Tyler Woods • Michael Anderson <p>COMMUNITY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • County Judge • City Mayor • Police/Sheriff • Schools • Lost <p>NATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President • Legislatures • Armed Forces • Missionaries • Persecuted Christians • Spiritual Awakening
Rapley Armstrong	Sue Davis	Ed Land	
Betty & Buddy Arnold	Polly Dennis	Angela Long	
Blanche Ballard	Billy Denny	Jimmy Lowery	
Bob Ballard	Jo Denton	Jimmy Lucas	
Sue Ballard	Mike Doughty	Mandy Lynch	
Brent Ballew	Margaret Dunn	Molly Lanham	
Lynn Bateman	Mike Durham	Landan Maynard	
Enith Bentley	Frankie Eden	Virginia May	
Victoria Birchell	Stephanie Elam	Christi McCollum	
Randy Blevins	Wyatt Fielder	Debbie Middleton	
Juanita Bolton	Bethany Floyd	Judy Middleton	
JC Broaddus	Jimmy Flynn	Cloyd Naylor	
Bro. Jerry Browning	Jim France	Donnie Prewitt	
J.O. Burkhead	Nell Friend	Gladys Richardson	
Bud Byrd	Bro. Albert Gisler	Adriana Rodriguez	
Forrest Calico	Jesse Goins	Lisa Logan Rogers	
Morris Caudill	Barbara Hackney	Savannah	
Gordon Clark	Barb Hall	David Simpson	
Lucian Clark	Jeanne Hall	Virginia Simpson	
Paul Clark	Leland Hall	Danny Smith	
Doty Ann Clifford	Candi Hamilton	Pam Smith	
Levi Clontz	Sandy Harris	Suzie Stafford	
Junior Cox	Shavvna Harwick	Mike Sutton	
Rosa Cranfill	EJ Hasty	Sheila Taylor	
Christi Crouch	Nancy Helton	Jimmy Teater	
Brian Crumb	Amanda Hicks	Pauletta Teater	
Bonita Dailey	Dewayne Holland	Noretta Vanwinkle	
Gladys Dailey	Carolyn Hunt	Cindy Wade	
Lloyd Dailey	Cheryl Johnson	Flonnie Whitaker	
Tracy Dart	Julia Kay	Sherman Willoughby	
<p>Memory Verses: <i>As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today. Genesis 50:20</i></p>			
<p>Please contact Della Hall at 859.548.9250 to add or update prayer list or serve as Prayer Warrior.</p>		<p>Prayer Warrior Georgia Long Sun., January 27, 2016</p>	



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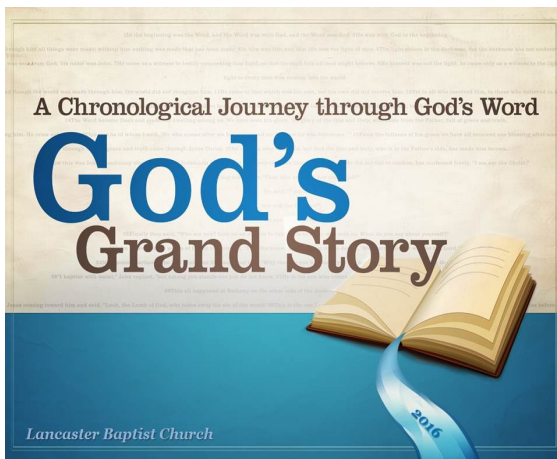
Ministerial Staff:

Senior Pastor: Harold Best
Worship Pastor: Nehemiah Wilkinson
Youth Pastor: Stephen Brogli

PLEASE BE PRAYING FOR OUR UPWARD SEASON.

Mission Opportunities

GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP:
If you are interested in working with Prince of Peace Home for Girls, we will be taking a mission trip June 11-17, 2016. Please see Bob or Carmen Miniard for more details.



DO YOU WANT TEXT MESSAGE UPDATES?

If you would like to receive text message updates (deaths, canceled services, prayer request) from the church you can text (502) 512-0276 and put @4e5fd as the message and you will be added to the list for text updates.