



LEOMA CHURCH of CHRIST

Family News

Week 17

April 28, 2024

ELDERS

Jimmy Dryden	852-4163
Dennie Hood	629-4002
David Killen	629-9592
Doug Urban	629-7799

DEACONS

Barry Bradley	Keith Clanton
Eddie Cleghorn	Tyler Cothran
Ken Ezell	Danny Lucy
Wade Slater	Gene Staggs
Matthew Urban	Micah Urban
Josh Winters	

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TIMES OF SERVICE

Sunday Bible Class	9:30 am
Sunday Worship	10:15 am
Sunday Evening	6:00 pm
Wednesday Evening	7:00 pm

MINISTRIES

Benevolence: AGAPE, Feeding Families
Edification: Care Groups, Dorcas, Bible School, Summit Service, Young at Heart, L2Leaders/Leaders, Bible Correspondence, Fishers of Men, House 2 House/Heart 2 Heart, Searching the Scriptures (6:00 a.m. Weekdays on WDXE 105.3/95.3 FM & 1370 AM), “What Really Matters for Today” (WLX 97.5 FM), Last Sunday’s Sermon at 10 AM on (WDXE 105.3/95.3 FM), TV Now on (lawrenceburgnow.com)
Domestic Missions: Apologetics Press, Heritage Christian University, North Alabama Christian Children’s Home
International Missions: Hope Children’s Home (Guyana), Jack Nelle Institute (India), Por Los Ninos (Honduras), Wayne Barrier.

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Roamin’ with Rodney...

“GOLDEN AGE”

Lord willing, as you are reading this on Sunday, we will have celebrated and honored those who have reached the age of 65 at our annual banquet. Why do we call these their “golden” years? I’ve heard many stories about the “good ole days”, and to be honest I don’t think there is anything good about no electricity or indoor toilets! Nevertheless, I understand the concept of honoring those who are older and I respect and treasure the opportunity. I am certainly appreciative to all who had a part in making the banquet a success. As a long standing tradition of the Leoma church, I am thankful to have witnessed many years of this event and the joy that comes with celebrating our “golden agers”.

We’ve heard it said that age is only a number. We realize that God is the giver and taker of life. The psalmist tells us that the years of our life are seventy, or perhaps by reason of strength eighty and that we should number our days (Psalm 90:10-12). James warns us not to get too far ahead in our schedules when he compares life to a vapor which appears for a little while and then vanishes away (James 4:14). Regardless of our ages, we should cherish each day and make the most of each year. Today is called the “present” because it is truly a gift from God – for the newborn and the golden ager alike. Our goal should be to rejoice and be glad in this day for the Lord has made it (Psalm 118:24).

In addition to those reminders from scripture, recall that one of the original commandments from God had a promise attached to it. When God established his desires for the people to Moses at Mt. Sinai, He said “honor your father and mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you” (Exodus 20:12). Honoring our parents, as well as anyone older than us, is of great importance to God. In Ephesians 6:2, Paul reminds us again of this promise. In verse 3, he says, “that it may go well with you and that you may live long in the land.”

We are often reminded that we live in a fallen world. We see bad things happen to good people. Too often, we see a life cut short due to unforeseen circumstances of the world. However, we should never allow these events to cause us to doubt God’s promise. By honoring those who are older, our days will most likely go much smoother upon this earth and we might even be allowed to live a few more days ourselves. Perhaps it’s the simple advice or attitude of respect that God is rewarding. Thank you, “golden agers”, for what you mean to us not only as a generation of people, but also as a generation of godly people! I pray that we are blessed with many more years to celebrate our golden agers as we remember those who once filled those seats and anticipate the day when the rest of us will occupy those seats as well!

For His Service,
 Rodney Livingston

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Office Hours
 Monday - Friday
 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

LEOMA CHURCH EVENTS:

- *MAY 5—BIRTHDAY MEAL/EDP MEETING
- *MAY 7– DORCAS LADIES WILL BE SEWING @ 9AM
- *MAY 14– BLOOD DRIVE
- *MAY 19– HOMECOMING WITH WILL HAMBLÉN
- *MAY 21– DORCAS LADIES WILL BE SEWING @ 9AM
- *MAY 24-26 CAMP NEYATI

AREA EVENTS (See Announcement Board For More Info)

- *APRIL 28-30– SPRING MEETING @ GRANDY WITH RANDY KERSEY. TIME: SUNDAY-10AM; MONDAY & TUESDAY 7PM.
- *MAY 8-12– TRUTH IN LOVE LECTURES @ EAST HILL CHURCH OF CHRIST IN PULASKI
- *MAY 18&19– PLEASANT VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST IN KILLEN AL. GOD & SCIENCE WITH DR. MIKE HOUTS. TIMES SATURDAY 8:30 –9 12:00 WITH LUNCH AT 12. THIRD SESSION @ 1:00 –3:00PM SUNDAY 9AM-11:00 WITH LUNCH @ 11. EVENING SESSION FROM 12:30 –1:30PM.

SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES:

Keep an ear tuned to
WDXE AM 1370 and FM 105.3/95.3 at 6:00 a.m.
 Monday through Friday for Searching the Scriptures Program. Leoma church of Christ will host the upcoming week:
April 29th — May 3rd
 Tune in.

Wedding Invitation



To celebrate Sierra Busby and Canaan Smith’s marriage we be having a Gift Card Shower for them. A basket is set up in the foyer for the cards. Cards are due by May 12th.

Lucas Kai Patterson



We want to welcome Kai Patterson, born April 19th, weighing 6lbs 11oz and 20 inches long. Proud parents are Gabe & Molly Patterson & big brother Finn. Proud grandparents are Marty & Shelley Patterson. Proud great grandparents are Leon & MaryAnn Patterson. Proud aunt Bette & uncle Nate. Mother and baby are now home doing well.

Gabe & Molly Patterson
 265 Beartown Rd.
 Loretto, TN 38469



May Birthday Meal

Will be Sunday, May 5th after morning worship. Please bring your covered dishes and eat with our honorees.

Weekly Bible Reading April 28, 2024

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| Sun –1 Chr 3-4 <input type="checkbox"/> | Wed– 1 Chr 10-12 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mon– 1 Chr 5-6 <input type="checkbox"/> | Thur– 1 Chr 13-16 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Tue– 1 Chr 7-9 <input type="checkbox"/> | Fri - 1 Chr 17-19 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sat– 1 Chr 20-23 <input type="checkbox"/> | |



You're Always Welcome

EVENTS OF THE DAY

- 5:30- Prayer Session (Back Classroom)
- 5:30-5:45pm- Caring with Cards (Room 5)
- 5:45-6pm- Sing with the Children
- 6:00pm- Evening Worship

Visitation Group Four

Group Leader: Doug Urban

- Leon & Mary Ann Patterson Shirley Brown
- Jimmy & Freda Dryden Pam Case
- Wade & Lindsay Slater Mary Lee
- Jerry & Linda Markus Wanda Urban

Micah & Jessica Urban

Chris & Anna Bowser

Matthew & Katie Urban



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OUR MEMBERS

- Ann Belew Nelle Urban
- Louie Bond

NHC Scott

- Leavel Burlison- Room 211A
- Effie Inmon- Room 209

Country Cottage Assisted Living

Gerald & Mary Nell Ezell -APT 13

Lauderdale Christian Nursing Home

Jewel Farris- Room 1

Life Care Center Nursing Home

Penny Dukes -Room 138B

FAMILY OF OUR MEMBERS

Mickey Hooker- Countryside 540



Birthday cards for:

Mary Nell Ezell (5/2), Jerry Markus (5/14), Jim Clayton (5/14) Geraldine Wise (5/26), Carolyn Leonard (5/27) are due April 28.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Shirley Brown- is now at home and doing well.

120 Kimberly Dr.
Loretto, TN 38469

Leon Patterson- had cataract surgery on Wednesday.

1604 Buffalo Rd.
Lawrenceburg, TN 38464

Thomas Andrew Word- infant grandson of Misty Word was born April 16th. He spent several days in the hospital for testing due to seizure-like symptoms. He is home doing better.

Andrew & Stephine Word & Thomas
124 Suffolk Dr.
Madison, AL 35757

Please keep all of these in your daily prayers

(Please give secretary any updates)

Members: Janice Gray, Pam Smith, Louie & Betty Bond, Clara Roberts, Ryan Hooker, Peggy Mashburn, Anthony King, & Shirley Brown.

Friends & Family:

Jim Kilburn, Dorothy Sue Hinson, Jeff Quillen, Earl Smith, Jim Land, Robbie Ingram, Mickey Hooker, Carol Belew, Randy Smith, Jeff Smith, George Piper, Walter Adams, Tim & Renee Miller, Terry Fox, David Daniels, Hazel Violet, Shawn Foley, Kade Shultz, Daveen Parish, Thomas Rosson, JoAnn Leighton, Janice Killen, Ronnie Pope, Brad Dixon & Lonnie Adams.

Others: Our elders, deacons, preacher, missionaries, our country & leaders.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study	167
A.M. Worship	249
P.M. Worship	200
Wednesday Bible Study	171
Contribution	\$7,374
Budget for 2024	\$8,200
Avg. per week for 2024	\$9,608

Thank You!

Thank you for the wedding shower that was given to us. We appreciated all of the food that was prepared. Thank you so much for the kind words & gifts.

Will Bradley & Morgan Burks

There is no words to say how much each and every card meant to me. Thank you for being such a loving congregation

*Thank you,
Kurt Brewer Family*

New Address

Gerald & Mary Nell Ezell
Country Cottage Apt. 13
469 Weakley Creek Rd.
Lawrenceburg, TN 38464

Blood Drive

Tuesday, May 14, 2024
2pm- 6pm
Leoma Church of Christ Annex



LHS Food Pantry.

LHS Food/Personal Care Pantry.

This week's items are:

Single Tooth Brushes.

Collection bins are located in both foyers.

Hearing Enhancement Devices

There are hearing enhancement devices available. If you would like to use one, please see one of the ushers.

April 28, 2024 Worship Service

Welcome.....Dennie Hood
 Song Leader.....Jeremy Hood
 Opening Prayer.....Doug Urban
 Head the Table.....Josh Winters
 Bible Reading...Habakkuk 2:2-4...Steve Leeper
 Please announce version)

Sermon..... "Live By Faith"

Announcement.....Keith Clanton
 Closing Prayer.....David Simmons

Five Talent Service Auditorium

Intro.....Terry Greene
 Song.....Mich Ridgeway
 Song.....Zane Long
 Bible Reading.....Eli Long
 Prayer.....Ike Urban

Sunday Evening Worship (Youth Night)

Song Leader.....Logan Long
 Opening Prayer.....Max Bottoms
 Bible Reading.....Callan Livingston
 Please announce version)

Sermon.....Micah Urban
 Closing Prayer.....Kabel Kelley

Wednesday Evening May 1

Song Leader.....Max Bottoms
 Invitation.....Rodney Livingston (Romans 9)
 Prayer.....Milton Boyer

Ushers: Josh Winters, Barry Bradley & Brent Thomas

Locking Building April

March 31/April 3- Keith Clanton

April 7/10- Tyler Cothran

April 14/17- Gene Staggs

April 21/24- Matthew Urban

April 28/May 1- Eddie Cleghorn

If you can't serve please call
Ken Ezell: 931-244-5150

May 5, 2024 Worship Service

Welcome.....David Killen
 Song Leader.....Dennie Hood
 Opening Prayer.....Gene Staggs
 Head the Table.....Sean Belew
 Bible Reading.....Cameron Ezell
 Please announce version)

Sermon.....

Announcement.....Ken Ezell
 Closing Prayer.....Josh Winters

Five Talent Service Auditorium

Intro.....Paxten Livingston
 Song.....Mial Ezell
 Bible Reading.....Beau Markus
 Bible Reading.....Micah Ridgeway
 Prayer.....Knox Cothran

Sunday Evening Worship

Song Leader.....Jeremy Hood
 Opening Prayer.....Brent Thomas
 Bible Reading.....Ken Ezell
 Please announce version)

Sermon.....

Closing Prayer.....Layne Dryden

Wednesday Evening May 8

Song Leader.....Logan Long
 Invitation.....Rodney Livingston (Romans 10)
 Prayer.....Joel Dryden

Ushers: Keith Clanton, Ben Markus & Ken Ezell

Locking Building May

May 5/8- Barry Bradley

May 12/15- Wade Slater

May 19/22- Jimmy Dryden

May 26/29- Josh Winters

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