

Opportunities for MULTIPLYING Disciples

(*Multiplying: each of us should serve in order to bring others to Christ.*)

MIDWEEK TUNEUP begins Wednesday, September 12. Come connect over a good meal. Laugh and learn as we do life together. The menu for 9/12 is “Breakfast for Dinner” (\$4/person; \$10/max family)! Each week we’ll have fun Scripture learning for all ages.

WHO NEEDS US? Many people do. There are so many hurting and lonely people who would be blessed by the care and support of being a part of this fellowship. Who can you invite to be part of LPC? And how can we take the joy of our life together out to touch others?

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN the Eleanor Harper Circle on Wednesday, September 5, at 9:45 a.m. as we seek to affirm our faith through a powerful 12-week Bible study, *THE APOSTLES’ CREED* by Matt Chandler, pastor of The Village Church. The Apostles’ Creed was born from the apostles’ teachings. If you are interested, contact Ann Hancock at 758-8790 or, annhancock@charter.net.

CALDWELL PREGNANCY CARE CENTER thanks you for your support of the *Change for Life/Baby Bottle Campaign*. With your help, the center raised at total of \$21,627.01. Our church contributed \$689.93.

WALK FOR LIFE 2018 - Join in the Walk for Life sponsored by Caldwell Pregnancy Care Center on Saturday, September 22 at 9:00 a.m. for registration and the walk at 10:00 a.m. Before the walk, participants will surround the new facility located at 210 Ridge Street and pray for the lives of all unborn children and their families who enter their doors. For more information call 757-9555 or caldwellpregnancycare.org

CONCERNED ABOUT SAFETY? It’s our concern too. Join us Sunday morning September 9 at 10:00 a.m. or Wednesday, September 12 at 6:00 p.m. to learn all we are doing to keep you and your family safe.

UPCOMING SERMONS:

9-2-18 (Labor Day)
James 3:3-12; “**What Do You Say?**”

9-9-18
Ps. 1; Jn. 15:16; “**Blessed to Bear Fruit**”

9-16-18
Mk. 5:1-20; “**What Is Your Name?**”

9-23-18
Mk. 10:32-45; “**Not So with You**”

Opportunities for CONNECTING

After-hours pastoral crisis, call/text Rob Hinman, 828-292-2508.

STAY IN TOUCH FROM YOUR PHONE! My Church App is Lenoir Pres’ smartphone application. It can be easily downloaded: Text LENOIRPRES APP to 77977 (note the space between the S and the A!). Contact a staff member and we’ll be glad to help you download and learn this easy-to-use app.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH COMES THROUGH SERVING OTHERS. Jesus modeled that we follow Him best when we are serving others. Is life weighing you down? Volunteer to help make your church run even better. Contact any staff person for ways you can help others and build God’s Kingdom through Lenoir Pres.

Opportunities for SHEPHERDING

(*Shepherding: leading and caring as Christ, the Good Shepherd, leads us*)

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JOIN THE STAFF AS WE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Pam Steuer and Garrett Hamby; Jeff, Brenda, Caroline, Rose, Jack, Shane and Aedon Stevens; Nancy Stevens; Robbs, Melinda and Sydney Strange, and Kadie and Hayden Ross; Steve and Connie Strange; Steve and Cindy Strickler

MILITARY: George Bernhardt; John Church IV, (Afghanistan); Brian and Jennifer Corley (Jan Nash’s nephew and his wife); David Drake (Miriam Fullam’s nephew); Jake Henry (Melanie Blair’s brother-in-law); Jason Jenkins; Devon Lord (Darcy Evans’ nephew); Tylor Moore, Afghanistan (Cissy Kepper’s nephew); Andrew Odell (Laura Easton’s nephew); Derrick Petett (Rob and Ginger Hinman’s friend); Nathan Summers; Alex Whisnant; Patrick Zeller, Brenden Zeller and Bailey Zeller (grandsons of Dave and Sylvia Jackson)

EXPECTING BABIES:

Jonathan and Stephanie Walters, (boy, October) (The Maynes’ family)

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11am service on Spectrum 191 at 4 pm Sundays (1 week delay).

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Opportunities for PRAYER

Help keep this list current. To update, contact jonnie@lenoirpres.org or 754-5351.

Home

Brown, Bud (Hospice care)
and Betty
Paxson, Tom
(John Paxson’s brother, Ohio)

Brookdale

Bernhardt, Jean
Clark, Jo
Cloer, John (Anna Josey’s dad)
McKee, Anyce

Others

Adkins, Joey (Teresa Larson’s dad)
Adkins, Patty
(Teresa Larson’s sister)
Beall, Harper
Blair, Melanie
Bowen, Jean (John’s mother)
Bowen, John (home)
Brown, Cheryl (SYC teacher,
recovering from surgery)
Chambers, Brent
(Sue McKee’s brother)
Chase, Rahn (LeNora’s brother)
Clark, Candie
Collins, Wes (home)
Creger, Mark
Crisp, Stephen Alex
(Jonnie Laws’ nephew)
Crosland, Dave and Anne (Anne-
cancer, Miriam Fullam’s parents)
Dupuis, Ressie (Cissy Kepper’s
mom)
Easton, Nick
(neck injury)
Eller, Brice (Scott’s father)
Foster Parents
Fullam, Miriam
Gatlin, David
(Brenda Stevens’ brother)
Good, Maury
Graeber, Jim

Greene, Jake
(Tiffany Ostwalt’s brother)
Henry, Jake & Julie (Melanie Blair’s
brother-in-law and sister)
Herman, Jeff (cancer)
Israel, and Jews everywhere
Kingdom multiplication growth!
Laws, Ruby
(Ruby’s daughter, Ashley)
Lee, Stephanie (Donald Lee’s wife)
Marley, Larry
(Jeannie Corriher’s brother)
Mayne, Larry (Leroy’s brother)
Myers, Barbara’s grandchildren
Myers III, Guy
Nash, Jan
Nelson, Doug (colon cancer)
Our ministry partners
Overcash, Betty
(Cris Bayne’s stepmom)
Pate, Maureen
(Kathy Proctor’s sister)
Persecuted Christians worldwide
Porter, Carrie Ross
(Patty Myers’ daughter)
Prongay, Lou (Ginger’s mom)
Raines, Carol
Raines, Jason and Nancy
Raines, Jeni (Jason and Carol’s
daughter)
Reynolds, Anita
(Susan Shores’ mother)
Safley, Betty Sue (spot on lungs)
Shanks, Taylor Elizabeth
(Martha’s great-granddaughter)
Sullivan, Louise (home, recovering
from a heart procedure)
Syria and persecuted Christians
Those without a church home
Tilley, Doug
Unsaved friends and family
Victims of natural disasters



Ray Vander Laan
at Lenoir Presbyterian Church
 (2018 Bernhardt Lecture)
September 28-30, 2018

Reservations for childcare (birth to 5th grade) must be made no later than Monday, Sept. 17!

Lecture Schedule (all talks in the Sanctuary):

Friday: 6:30-9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. and 1:30-4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00-10:00 a.m.; 10:15 a.m. Worship (Singing and prayer); 10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

I sincerely thank each of you for your prayers, cards, visits, and meals during my recent hospitalization and recovery. Your love and care was felt deeply, and I am blessed to call the LPC congregation family.

Melanie Blair



Dear friends:

It is with love and gratitude that I thank you for all your acts of kindness and concern given me during my recent illness. Your faithfulness to pray for me means so much and I have felt those prayers through the healing process. Thank you with all my heart.

Jonnie

Y O U T H N E W S

THIS WEEK!

Have a great first day of school! Praying for you all!

NEXT WEEK!

**Sunday, September 9
 5:00-8:00 p.m.
 Fall Kick-Off with
 Replanted Ministry**

Brian Kane, Youth Director
 (717) 404-7192 (call/text)
 828-754-5351 ext. 104 (office) brian@lenoirpres.org

GET INVOLVED IN MINISTRY

August 26 - September 2, 2018

Sunday (8/26)
 10:00 a.m. **RALLY DAY**
 11:00 a.m. **Worship & Communion - Chapel**
Worship & Communion - Oak Hill Park
(followed by a covered-dish picnic)

Monday (8/27)
 1:00 p.m. **Staff Meeting**
 5:15 p.m. **Coordinating Council**
 5:45 p.m. **Supper - Personnel**
 6:15 p.m. **Committee Meetings**
 7:15 p.m. **Worship: elders and deacons**
 7:30 p.m. **Officers' meetings**

Tuesday (8/28)
 Noon **Men's Bible Study - the Baynes' house**
 Noon **Men's Bible Study - Library**

Thursday (8/30)
 7:45 a.m. **Men's Bible Study - Library**
 6:00 p.m. **SYC Open-House and orientation**
 6:30 p.m. **Praise Band Rehearsal**

Friday (8/31)
 10:00 a.m. **SYC Open-House and orientation**

Sunday (9/2)
 8:45 a.m. **Worship - Fellowship Hall**
 9:40 a.m. **Fellowship - Fellowship Hall**
 9:55 a.m. **Sunday School**
 11:00 a.m. **Worship - Sanctuary**

Worship songs for the Oak Hill Service

When you receive *The Steeple* by email or read it on the website, you can click on the link to hear the song in preparation for Sunday worship.

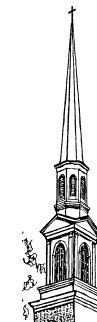
Step By Step: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ve720TWDZdg&t=1m40s>

To God Be The Glory: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-15v9iworAU>

Trust and Obey: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JjWV_Kuxd2s

Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jbe70ruLk8I>

Shout to the North: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ctc3GqWaV3U>



The Steeple

August 26, 2018

"Summer Suppers"
Rob Hinman

Luke 14:15-24

RALLY DAY 2018
AUGUST 26

11:00 am - 3:00 pm
Oak Hill Park

Bring food to share for lunch and folding chairs and yard games! The church provides drinks and paper goods.

* 10am - worship and communion in the Chapel for those who cannot attend at Oak Hill Park.