

Opportunities for MULTIPLYING Disciples

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

THE ANNUAL MEETINGS of Lenoir Presbyterian Church and LPC, Inc. are called by the Session and the Board of Trustees for Sunday, February 3, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary. The nursery is available all Sunday morning. Part of our business will be to vote on a proposal from the Officer Nominating Committee. The ONC believes a smaller session will serve the needs of the congregation well and reflect better the size of our congregation and pool of elders. It recommends to the congregation:

That the congregation elect 5 elders and 5 deacons for the class of 2021, but only 4 elders beginning with the election of the class of 2022, and continuing with all Session classes thereafter, thus reducing by the class of 2024 the Session to 13 members (12 elders and pastor) while maintaining the Diaconate at 15 members.

The Session has unanimously concurred with this recommendation.

A HUGE THANK YOU FOR THE CHILI COOK-OFF! To all of you who brought food and made donations! We raised over \$2000 to help underwrite Family Camp!! Thanks to the Christian Ed. and Nurture Committee for great planning! Congratulations to our cookoff winners - Austin Hoffman, Justin Oxford and Adam Sterken!

WANT TO JOIN LENOIR PRES? If you'd like to take the step into covenant partnership with LPC, call/text Pastor Rob (828-292-2508), or Jonnie Laws at 828.754.5351 or jonnie@lenoirpres.org

**ISRAEL IN DEPTH
STUDY TOUR**
with Ray Vander Laan
September 13-28, 2019



RVL has offered 28 spaces on this Study Tour to Israel. Spaces are being spoken for and I can only hold unfilled spaces for a few more weeks. The cost of this trip is \$5495 from New York (Newark). A \$500 deposit holds your seat. This is an amazing, though strenuous opportunity to walk Scripture and understand the Word as never before.

Contact Pastor Rob at 828-292-2508 or rob@lenoirpres.org

Opportunities for SHEPHERDING

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

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

JOIN THE STAFF AS WE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Kathryn McKee; Tommy and Lillie Ruth Melton; Jim and Phyllis Miller; Danny and Linda Morgan; John and Nancy Morgan Bowen; Barbara Myers; Guy and Patty Myers

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; Michael Matis, Afghanistan (Susan Stalheim's nephew); Tylor Moore (Cissy Kepper's nephew); Andrew Odell (Laura Easton's nephew); Derrick Petett (Rob and Ginger Hinman's friend); Nathan Summers; Alex Whisnant; Patrick Zeller and Bailey Zeller (grandsons of Dave and Sylvia Jackson)

EXPECTING BABIES: Joseph and Brooke Delk (June)

UPCOMING SERMONS:

2-3-19 - Ps. 13, 96; Col. 3:12-17; **Sing!**

2-10-19 - Lk. 22:7-20; 1 Co. 11:23-26; **Covenant Life: Communion!**

2-17-19 - Lk. 24:13-35; **Covenant Life: As the Gospels Offer Him**

2-24-19 - Psalm 103; 2 Cor. 5:14-21; **Covenant Life: New Life Effects**

3-3-19 - Psalm 103; Col. 2:8-15; **Covenant Life: New Life Fullness**

Worship songs for the 8:45 Service

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

Blessed Be Your Name: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PnWKehtOXu8>

Enough: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=87lg-lnWjzQ>

Come People of the Risen King: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MJsizuCKq9k> (This is a great new hymn that the whole congregation will be learning as we focus on congregational singing.)

I Love To Tell The Story: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wpfsZ79X5n8>

All the Earth Will Sing Your Praises: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d8rY7dwwqYs>

Opportunities for PRAYER

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

Home

Paxson, Tom
(John Paxson's brother, Ohio)

Brookdale

Cloer, John (Anna Josey's dad)
McKee, Anyce
Setzer, Juanita
(Keith Setzer's mother)

Old Knox Commons, Huntersville

Clark, Jo

Others

Adkins, Joey (Teresa Larson's dad)
Adkins, Patty (Teresa Larson's sister)
Beall, Harper
Boaz, Brenda (Ben's mom;
metastatic breast cancer & chemo.)
Bowen, Jean (John's mother)
Bowen, John
Brown, Larry (Betty's son)
Buss, Betty
Chambers, Brent
(Sue McKee's brother)
Chase, Rahn (LeNora's brother)
Collins, Wes
Creger, Mark
Crisp, Stephen Alex
(Jonnie Laws' nephew)
Crosland, Dave and Anne (Anne-
cancer, Miriam Fullam's parents)
Doyle, Kathy
(recent shoulder surgery)
Dupuis, Ressie (Cissy Kepper's mom)
Eller, Tericia (broken foot)
Farringer, Trace
Foster Parents
Fullam, Miriam
Funderburk, LaVerne
Gatlin, David
(Brenda Stevens' brother)
Good, Henry
Good, Maury
Greene, Jake
(Tiffany Ostwalt's brother)
Henry, Jake & Julie (Melanie Blair's
brother-in-law and sister)

Herman, Jeff (cancer)
Israel, and Jews everywhere
Jackson, Sylvia
Jenkins, Elizabeth
(recovering from surgery)
Kingdom multiplication growth!
Laws, Ruby
(Ruby's daughter, Ashley)
Livingston, Nancy
(hip replacement surgery)
Marley, Larry
(Jeannie Corriher's brother)
Mayne, Larry (Leroy's brother)
Meade, Lynn & Herb
(Phyllis & Jim Miller's friends)
Myers, Barbara's grandchildren
Myers III, Guy
Our ministry partners
Overcash, Betty
(Cris Bayne's stepmom)
Pate, Maureen
(Kathy Proctor's sister)
Persecuted Christians worldwide
Porter, Carrie Ross
(Patty Myers' daughter)
Procter, Kathy
Prongay, Lou (Ginger's mom)
Reynolds, Anita
(Susan Shores' mother)
Safley, Betty Sue (spot on lung)
Shanks, Deb
(Martha's daughter-in-law)
Shanks, Taylor Elizabeth
(Martha's great-granddaughter)
Shores, Steve (foot injury)
Shores, Susan (Shingles)
Smith, Keith (recent surgery)
Syria and persecuted Christians
Temple, Jack
Tilley, Doug
Unsaved friends and family
Victims of natural disasters; those
affected by Hurricanes Florence
and Michael.

SERVING THIS WEEK

GREETERS	8:45	Mike Bayne, Debbie DeBaeremaeker
	11:00	Sherri Bogdan, Dottie Darsie Teresa Larson, Jim Thompson
NURSERY	8:45	Davidson
	10:00	Stalheim
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	8:45	Wright/Kardol
	11:00	Hinman/Chase
ACOLYTE	11:00	Kayanna Larson
LAY READER	8:45	Cissy Kepper
	11:00	Tommy Melton

MidWeek TuneUp Menu: baked potato and salad bar, dessert

YOUTH GROUP SERIES!

By God's grace we have His Word; by God's grace, and His grace alone, we are drawn to love His Word. Join us in our Crucial Questions series on Sunday nights as our thoughts and affections are stirred to know and love Jesus more fully!

February 10th Are People Basically Good?
Part II: The Effect

Y O U T H N E W S

TONIGHT!

Youth Group!
5:30-7:30

Crucial Questions Series:

Are People Basically Good?
Part I: The Cause

COMING UP!

Please be sure to RSVP for
our upcoming,
rescheduled ski trip!

Deadline: This Wednesday!

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GET INVOLVED IN MINISTRY

January 27 - February 3

Sunday (1/27)

8:45 a.m. Hunger Offering
8:45 a.m. Worship - Fellowship Hall
9:40 a.m. Fellowship - Fellowship Hall
9:55 a.m. Sunday School
9:55 a.m. Confirmation Class - Library
11:00 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary
4:30 P.M. Youth Adult Leaders Meeting
5:30-7:30 p.m. Youth Groups

Monday (1/28)

11:30 a.m. Staff Meeting
5:15 p.m. Coordinating Council
5:45 p.m. Supper - Deacons serving
6:15 p.m. Committee Meetings
7:15 p.m. Worship: elders and deacons
7:30 p.m. Diaconate and Session meetings

Tuesday (1/29)

Noon Men's Bible Study - the Baynes' house
Noon Men's Bible Study - Library
6:45 p.m. BSF - Fellowship Hall

Wednesday (1/30)

8:00 a.m. Bible Study - Chick-fil-A
6:00-6:30 p.m. Supper
6:30-7:20 p.m. Pre-K through 5th grade
6:30-7:20 p.m. MS-HS Boys & Girls
6:30-7:20 p.m. Adults - AOP Session 4: Building Relationships
6:30-7:30 p.m. Chancel Ringers
7:30-8:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday (1/31)

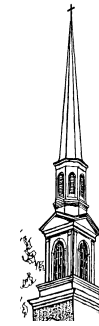
9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Praise Band Rehearsal

Saturday (2/2)

3:30-11:00 Youth - Charlotte Checkers Game

Sunday (2/3)

9:00 a.m. Sunday School
9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class - Library
10:00 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary
11:30 a.m. Covered-dish Luncheon (the church is not providing any additional food; drinks and paper goods only!)
6:00 p.m. Youth Half-time Super Bowl Party - Studio 102



The Steeple

January 27, 2019

God's Witness in the Church

2 Peter 1:20-21

Next Sunday

9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

10:00 a.m. - Worship and Annual Meeting
(Sanctuary)

Covered Dish Luncheon following worship!

Bring entrees, side dishes and desserts to share!
Drop them off at the kitchen on your way in!
Please mark if your dish is gluten-free!