

The Livingston Lamplighter

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Now, What's The Matter?

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Sunday: Worship service 10:00 a.m.
Thursday: Sowing the Seed 8:15 a.m.

Church Office

Tuesday-Friday (8:00-1:00)

Works Supported

Latin American Missions
Happy Haven Children's Home
Ghana West Africa Missions
Joey Treat- South Pacific Islands
International Bible Teaching Ministries

Weekly Record:

Sunday School 84
Worship 148
PM Worship 79
Wed Bible Study 67
Contribution \$3372

Have you ever mumbled the above words under your breath, or at least thought them? Sure you have. We all seem to know some people who always seem to have that proverbial "chip on their shoulder". They always seem to be mad over something. They're constantly upset or in a "huff" over some small thing that didn't quite go right in their day, and it nearly ruins them. And I mean small things...like getting behind a slow driver, getting in a slow moving checkout line, being served cold French fries or getting wet from some rain.

In fact, if we're truthful, not only do we know people who are sometimes like this, we, ourselves, may also at times find ourselves in a "huff" over nothing. Since we all know that this is not a very attractive quality when we see it in others, it more than likely doesn't suit us well either. So here's my suggestion. If you have one of those days when you just have to be mad, instead of wasting that anger on trivial things, why not spend it on real issues?

If you have to be angry, be angry about...

- ◆ The thousands of babies who are murdered in our country every year.
- ◆ Children who have to be raised without a Mom and a Dad because of divorce.
- ◆ People dying every day without the gospel of Christ.
- ◆ Illnesses that fill hospitals like St. Jude's with suffering and little children.

Get my point? Friends, there are enough legitimate reasons to be angry without having to get upset over trivialities! Maybe some of us need to adjust our attitudes and perspectives and thank God for how good he has been to us.

Welcome Visitors! Please fill out a visitor's card for our record of your visit.

Family and Friends—Prayers

Rose McDonald asks for prayers from the church for a friend in Florida, Brenda Lewis, due to problems with her eyes.

Nursing Homes

OCNH

Ina Poston

George Cannon—Doug Cannon's brother

Linda Hagood-Requests visits, room 262

Glen Webb-Susan Ashburn's father

Shut-In

Geraldine Cannon Bobbie Sells

Doretha Flowers Winnie Worley

Marie Pryor Terry Neal

Remember the spouses/caregivers of our shut-in and let them know we remember them also.

Baby Spence Jackson-A box has been placed in the foyer for Nash and Ace's soon to be new brother. Mom, Jessica, has requested Luvs diapers and wipes.

Wedding-Kendall Robbins and Andrew Pippin invite the congregation to their wedding, Sat., Oct. 5 at 4:30 at Pippin Farms, 1070 Bloomington Springs Rd., Baxter, TN. The invitation is posted in the foyer. They ask if you plan on attending the reception to RSVP by Sept. 14th for the planning of food to 397-3806 or 397-5136

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

September

8-Norah Ledbetter

18-Bernie Wunningham

20-Curtis Long

24-Diane Mabry

26-Ray and Joan Masters

28- Johnny and Betty Rose



We Continue to Remember ...

*(Names in **Bold** print are Livingston members)*

Leon & Reba Flatt, Leigh Smith, Marlene Colbert, Earl Carr, Kay Thomas, Evelyn Brown, Trisha Wilson, Bill and Linda Mahaney, Diana Webb, Barbara Carwile, Jewel Turner, Geraldine Cannon, Mary Helen Apple, Jim Sells, Boyd Smith, Janie Byers

Vivian and Gary Walker, Ray & Bea Taylor, Randall (Bear) Mathis, Bobby Coley, Glen Williams, Betty Southerland, Bobby Smith, Riley Boles, Mandy Lay, Rita Hargis, Joyce Ramsey, Ed Meadows, Bobby Dale, Leann Duke, Ralph Sells, Gail Duke, Phyllis Duke, Kathy Sullivan, Cindy Martin, Rose Collins, Dallas Sullivan, Jonathan Fisher, Jean Keller, Scott Mullins, Shirley Key, John Smith, Jr., Chris Ashlock, Clint Cannon, Bob Roberson, Edie Williams, Rita Martin, Ben Walker, Thelma Gore, Kathy Craft, Allan Terry, Carol Baker, James Sells, Carolyn Sells, Larry Misenhimer, Joe Pigg, Rachel Ellis, Bonnie Carwile, Angela Leckington, Ronald Conner, Pat Roberts' family, Connie Norris' family, Stanley Carter, Clyde Rhule, Parker Boone, Brenda Lewis

Prayer Requests

Remember Joyce Eldridge as she mourns the loss of her brother.

Brenda Coffee's back issues continue.

Continue to remember all our sisters and brothers undergoing treatments for cancer, those with chronic illnesses as well as many here still grieving loss of loved ones in recent months. Also, call, send cards or better yet visit our shut-ins at any opportunity you get.



SUNDAY:

Bible School:
Song Director: Wesley Flatt
First Prayer: Doug Cannon

A.M. Worship:
Song Director: Wesley Flatt
First Prayer: Carl Masters

Scripture Reading: Ralph McDonald

Lord's Supper: Presiding: Gary Hogue

Serve Johnny Rose Ray Masters
Ethan Rumancik Dale Mabry
Bobby Byers Henry Colbert
Jason Brown Clay McDonald

(Please meet in the library before service begins)

Announcements: Will Brown

Dismissal Prayer: Josh Cantrell

Count Contribution: Charles Anderson
David Cantrell
David Webb

Communion Ware: Jeanetta Sells
Diane Mabry

Bus Driver: Connie Brown

P.M. Worship:

Song Director: Wesley Flatt
First Prayer: Earl Carwile
Read Scripture: Doug Riggins
Lord's Supper: Henry Colbert
Dismissal Prayer: Will Brown

WEDNESDAY

Song Director: Wesley Flatt
First Prayer: David Dickerson
Dismissal Prayer: Gary Hogue

GREETERS-

TEAM # 2
(Please give all visitors a Visitor's Packet)

BUILDING LOCK-UP

Dale Flatt
Dale Mabry

SUNDAY SERVICES
Bible School 9:00 am
Worship 10:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

8-Services at nursing home

Secret Sister Reveal 4:30 p.m.

22-Fourth Sunday Singing—Flatt Creek 2 p.m.

22-Our Gospel Meeting

29-Challenge Sunday

Gospel Meetings-Pine Hill church of Christ, Sept. 8th-10th, singing at 6:30, preaching at 7. Speaker Jack Honeycutt.

Algood church of Christ, Sept 8th-13th, 7 p.m. nightly. Speaker David Dalton

Our Gospel Meeting begins Sunday September 22. Our guest speaker will be Steve Reeder from Sycamore church of Christ. Invite, encourage and make your plans to support this by being here every night. We will have a fellowship meal after Sunday services. Pray for this work.

Ladies Wednesday Morning Bible Class-Will be starting their fall class Sept. 11th with a new study book entitled *But How Can I? Improving Your Christian Attitude*. All ladies are invited. Meeting time is 10 a.m. in the library.

The impartiality of God- "Yet He is not partial to princes, Nor does He regard the rich more than the poor, For they are all the work of His hands".

Job 34:19



Pantry-Any nonperishable, **OR**, give money to Brent and Sada.

Absent-A list of those absent at Sunday worship is on the table in the foyer. Remember to check on them and let them know they are missed.

Ladies Class-Ladies Wednesday morning Bible class 10 a.m. in the library.

Help at Home-The third Saturday of each month for any member who needs it.

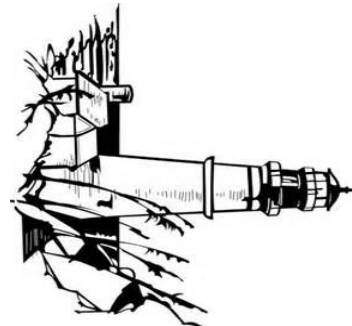
Jon's sermons can now be heard on our Website: livingstonchurchofchrist.com.

Wedding Bells

Our Doug and Shae will be married October 19, 2019, 2:00 p.m. Please let them know if you will be attending the reception on the sign-up sheet so they will know how much food to prepare.

Monthly Fellowship Meal-After our gospel meeting this month, we will be having a monthly fellowship meal the third Sunday of each month. So, our first one will be Sunday, October 20th after services. Mark this on your calendars and let's all participate and enjoy these times together.

Greeters-Please give Visitor Cards (located in the foyer) to the visitors you greet to fill out and ask them to pass them to the middle aisle after services for someone to pick up.



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