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Pastor's Corner: Hello Church family from Pastor Michael & Billie!



We've just come through my favorite time of the year... Easter. This event covers the crucifixion of our Savior and His resurrection. I am still elated in knowing that we have that blessed hope. Hope in knowing that Jesus Christ died for our sins and when we die our life only just begins! Praise God! Scripture in **Revelation 14:13**... tells us... and I heard a voice from Heaven saying... write this, "blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on... blessed indeed says the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them"...

Knowing that our lives do not end with the death of this body should give everyone hope, amen?? Hope in knowing what lies ahead. Hope in knowing that one day we will be joined with our loved ones. Hope in knowing that Heaven is a place of "no mores!"

Revelation 21:4... has to make your aches and pains sing hallelujah! John writes these words... vs4.. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away... we shall suffer no more Church!!

With us as the Church "knowing" what lies ahead, I guess my question to you as a congregation is... why aren't our pews filled with people who need that very hope we possess as a child of God? Why aren't our friends, our family and our neighbors waiting to get in? Do we really believe that we have that blessed hope? Has the fire drawn down? Have we in fact cooled off as a church that used to burn brightly for the Lord. Has the Spirit been quenched at Liberty Hill?

We preach and testify about the love, mercy and grace of our Savior but did you know He has one thing against us? Hear the words of our Savior that the Apostle John wrote in **Revelation 2:4**... Jesus says this... But I have this against you, you have left *your first love....* That's frightening.

## MUSICNOTES: Nancy Johnson,

Worship Leader

Rehearsal 7:00 p.m., Wednesdays



### SENIORS OF LIBERTY HILL The Seniors of

Liberty Hill met on Friday, April 18th, at 12:00 noon for their Monthly Lunch. The food was fellowship was enjoyed by all. After our meal, we were led us in a devotion by Pastor Doug and afterwards, we had fun with our Coloring Pages. led by Jane Dubson. Next meeting: May 16th12:00 noon.

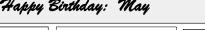
Nan Burke, reporting



Breakfast @ McDonough Cracker Barrel: 2nd Thursday of each month. This month: May 8th 9:00 a.m.

Join in the Fellowship

# Happy Birthday: May



- 3: Sharion Barnard 7: Patricia Walker
- 15: Billy Howell 16: Iordan Montgomery
- 22: Stephanie Shadden
- 23: Jason Shadden
- 24: Darryl Glass
- 25: Grayson Shadden 27: Ashley Hood
- Glenda Hunt 29: Brooke Lowery
- 30: Betty Chumbley



#### Happy Anniversary: May

16: Mr & Mrs Les Killion 20: Michael & Nicole Lloyd 27: Larry & Carol Phillips 31: Selby & Brenda Hull





VBS 2025 "Scuba." Plan to be part of this exciting week: June 23-27, 6-8:30 p.m., nightly. Register now! Denise Hood, VBS Director

=> In the coming days, the coming weeks and the coming months, let us as a Church that loves Christ our Savior, believes what we preach and holds fast to that blessed hope, rekindle that fire, recapture that zeal and return to what matters most.... Having and sharing that love of Christ.

If you have that blessed hope, bring someone to Church.

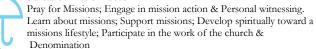
If you read this and agree me... when we pass, smile and say "amen, Pastor!" Let me know that you care.... We love you Church family. See you Sunday.....

Rev. Michael Flournov Acts 20:24

#### **WOMEN'S ENRICHMENT & MISSIONS MINISTRY**

.under WMU umbrella:

6 areas of Mission focus:



- Pray daily for missionaries.
- Women on Mission: Sunday, May 4th, June1st, 3:30 p.m., led by Jane Dubson.

#### **Mission Groups:**

Pray for leaders, workers & children. . .

> Mission Friends: "Learning About, Praying For, and Doing Missions

Because we believe God is Who He says He is and can do what He says He will do, we are empowered to engage a lost world through prayer, ministry and witness

missionary where God has placed you . . . Woman's Missionary Union is a missions

organization which exists to promote the fulfillment of the Great Commission.

that will be modeled, taught and nurtured among future generations." Be a

- > Girls-in-Action
- > Royal Ambassadors (Willie Walls)

Mission Vision Statement:

Thank you for collecting \$\$

in your baby bottles for our

local Pregnancy Resource

again for supporting this

Center. "Thank you"

mission endeavor.

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Doug Johnson, Pastor to Senior Adults

Nancy Johnson, Worship Leader

Jorge Godines, International Pastor

Collected: \$ 976.00







Flowers for Mother's Day were placed by John & Donna

Bartlett & family in memory of their Mothers, Hazel Bartlett &



4:00 p.m. -Emmett Shack.leford

May 4th, 8:00 a.m.

Men's Breakfast



8-Ball "Pool

Ministry"

Wednesdays,

LHBC Food Ministry "Thank you" for supporting this Ministry. It is the goal of this ministry to care for those who need it both physically & spiritually. We are currently serving 12-14 families each month.

Below is a <u>list of items needed</u> in the pantry: Mustard & Ketchup Relish & BBQ Sauce

## Volunteers needed for Distribution Day: May 24th

Denisse Carter



Katie Queen,



VISIT THE CHURCH LIBRARY

Join us for Worship Sundays:

9:45 a.m. Sunday School International Worship 11:00 a.m. Worship



Wednesdays: 6:00 p.m. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Vacation Bible School 2025: June 23-27 - Denise Hood, Director

"Find a place in your Church to serve, and go all in."

> Who's Your One?



Glass & family upon the death of her mother.



VBS 2025 "Scuba." June 23-27, 6-8 p.m., nightly.

## VBS Workdays

upon the death of her husband, Henry; to Bonnie Little & Donna

Bartlett & family upon the death of their uncle, Johnny Little; to

family upon the death of her son, Kevin Kline; to Darryl & Sheila

the family & friends of Jennifer M Meaney; to Jane Dubson &

## 11:00 a.m. in Children's Ctr.:

May 3 May 17 May 31

June 14

June 21 (12 noon: Worship Center & FH)







Congratulations to our from High School & College: Samantha Carter Noah Jackson Trenity Jackson Caroline Lloyd

Please submit the names & school of those omitted.

**Graduate Sunday** May 18th

"Thank you" for your gifts to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

"Thank you" for all the kind expressions of sympathy that were extended to me and my family upon the homegoing of my on, Kevin. It was truly a blessing. Your prayers were felt and greatly appreciated. In Christian Love, Jane Dubson "Thank you" for helping make the Easter Weekend a blessing to all. We serve a Risen Savior!







"This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it" Psalm 25:21.



# The Beacon



Be the Church: Be actively involved in all the programs, activities & opportunities for service.



Visit
www.libertyhillbc.org
for further
information
& on-line
Giving



Sunday, June 8: Widow/Widowers Lunch following 11 a.m. Worship Fellowship Hall

Sponsored by Deacons
Prepared by Doug & Carol Johnson



Vacation Bible School 2025 "Scuba" Monday-Thursday, June 23-27, 6-8:30 p.m.



Friday 27th, Family
Night
Denise Hood, Director
Register now!



5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper RSVP May 7th Teresa Moore & Brenda Hull



## May 18 Graduate Sunday

Special Recognition for our Graduates from High School & College Deacon Teams: John Bartlett & Russell Whipple Bradley Gray & Dewell Barnard Willie Walls & Gary Vineyard Russell Whipple & Darryl Glass