



The Weekly News of the Lapeer Church of Christ

Our Purpose

The Lapeer church exists to glorify God through effective evangelism in our community first and then abroad, and to stimulate all to become more like Christ through loving unity, involvement, worship, meeting the needs of others, and spiritual edification.

We're here to meet your needs!

Times When We Meet

Sunday:

Early Service	8:30 a.m.
Youth Bible Class	8:30 a.m.
Bible Classes	9:45 a.m.
Second Service	11:00 a.m.
Youth Bible Class	11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

Bible Classes	7:00 p.m.
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2009 Scripture Theme

"Pursue the things which make for peace and building up of one another"

Romans 14:19

MINISTERS

Pulpit

Kent Hoggatt

Family

Jerry Brackney

SHEPHERDS

Jerry Brackney
Kent Hoggatt
Bob Norton
Jack Slater
Dave Wright

DEACONS

Don Jamison
Steve Kurschat
Terry McCarthy
Jim Sornig
Ron Weiss

OFFICE SECRETARY

Freda Wright

Statistics for May 24, 2009

Attendance

8:30 a.m. Service	52
Bible Class	137
11:00 a.m. Service	148
Total Worship	200
Evening Worship	55
Mid-week	83

Finances

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Year-to-date</u>
Budget	\$ 4,756.74	\$ 95,135.07
Actual	\$ 3,229.58	\$ 91,416.05
Diff.	- \$ 1,527.16	-\$ 3,719.02
Restricted Income		\$ 144.47

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Honor to Whom Honor is Due



This week we honor our members who have been working on the reconstruction of our fellowship hall. **Tim Bahan, Dallas Mozader, Kent Hoggatt, Bob Norton, Jack Slater, Art White, Gary Beadle and Warren Edwards.** You will notice there's a lot of work going on to enhance the fellowship hall and it will be a great blessing for our congregation. *Thank you everyone!!!*

Softball Schedule

This week's schedule:

Men

Monday, June 1 6:00 p.m.
Free Methodist field

Women

Thursday, June 4 7:30 p.m.
Our field

Graduation Open Houses

Some of the graduates have sign up sheets on their table in the lobby. Please sign up if you plan to attend their open house. Thank you!

Erin Booth 12-5 p.m.

Sunday, June 14
Mayfield Township Hall

Amy Jamison
Saturday, June 20 1-5 p.m.
Lapeer church bldg.

Andrew Sornig 1-5 p.m.
Saturday, June 20
At his home

Zack McCarthy 2-6 p.m.
Saturday, June 27
At his home

Susan Dillard
Saturday, July 11 2-5 p.m.
At her home

The Shepherd's Staff

Praise The Lord

Psalms 52:9 "I will praise you forever for what you have done; in your name I will hope, for your name is good. I will praise you in the presence of your saints."

It is right that we praise God for all the good that He provides and praise Him for answered prayer. We want to give you an opportunity to share your praise with the saints. Today, we will begin a new section on our prayer list page to request prayers for praise. If you want to share your praise just write it on a blue card in the prayer request section and just add the word PRAISE. Drop the card in the mailbox in the back of the auditorium.

Philippians 4:8 "Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things."

You sharing your praises to God with us will allow us to think on the way God has blessed you and we can share in that blessing and all praise God together.

Jack Slater
For the Elders

Teachers Needed

We are in need of the following teachers for the Summer quarter which begins next Sunday.

Sunday morning

- 3 & 4 year old class
- 5th & 6th grade class

Please contact Don Jamison TODAY.

No Potluck

Due to the busy month of June with graduation open houses, etc. we will not be having a monthly potluck next week.

Teen Mission Trip Committee

There is a meeting today at 4:00 p.m.

Email Address Change

Please make the following change in your email address book:

Jim Woodard
woodardjim@att.net

Parenting Seminar

There will be a free Parenting Seminar sponsored by Shults Lewis Child & Family Services at the Plymouth Church of Christ next Saturday, June 6. See Kent Hoggatt for more information.

God's Helping Hands Fundraisers

For more information on these events see the flyers posted on the bulletin board near the café.

Guest servers at

bd's Mongolian BBQ

Tuesday, June 9 6-7:30 p.m.
 Auburn Hills location
 Tuesday, June 16 6-7:30 p.m.
 Sterling Heights location

Pins for Pounds

Bowling fundraiser
 Saturday, August 8 6:0 p.m.
 Classic Lanes in Rochester Hills

Touch A Truck & Car Show

Sunday, September 20 4 p.m.
 Avondale Middle School in Rochester Hills

Birth

Congratulations to **Jesse and Darcy Seguin**, the proud parents of a baby boy, Carson Allen born last Wednesday, May 27. He was born six weeks early, weighing 5 lb. 3 oz., 19 inches long and spent a few days ICU. *A special congratulations to Carson's grandparents, Jeff and Susan Bishop and his aunt Julie and uncle Jace!*

Blood Drives

Sunday, June 7

Bishop Kelley School - Lapeer
 9am - 2:45 p.m.

Thursday, June 18

Trinity United Methodist Church in Lapeer
 1:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

VBS WISH LIST

It's time to start putting together supplies for our Vacation Bible School.

If you have the following item we could borrow or can help in any of the areas listed below, please contact Katy Weiss.

BUG FOGGER

This is needed every evening for the game area so the children don't get bit by mosquitoes. We will purchase the liquid refill.

WORKS FOR THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

- Incentives Coordinator
- Time Keeper
- Daily Clean up Crew
- Clean up Crew
- Coordinator for the Friday after VBS
- Pre-school Coordinator

TEENS

Burger King Office Hours

Chase's Burger King office hours will continue through the Summer. He will be at the Burger King in Lapeer every Thursday from 3:30 to 5:3 p.m. Stop by!!

Mission Trip Classes

As our mission trip creeps closer and closer, we will be starting our preparation classes shortly. Stay tuned for details.

7/10

We will be having "7/10" next Friday. This is the final one before the summer break. Chase Pratt and Michelle Smith will be chaperoning. *See you there!!*

Crim 5k Race

The Crim Festival of Races will be Saturday, August 22 in Flint. A few of us are training to run in the 5k race (3.1 miles.) If you would like to join us, you can register at www.crim.org/race/. We will be trying to find some warm-up races throughout the summer as well.

Class Input & Teen Forum

For those on the Teen Forum on the church website, Chase started a topic which allows you to suggest ideas and subjects you would like to discuss in our classes. It's your class. You should have some say in what we do. (Of course, you can always tell Chase in person as well.) While you are on the church website, click on community forum to go to the church message boards. There are several different message boards to post and share with other members of the church, including one just for teens. This forum is only visible to members of the teen group. All you need to do is register on the forum page and let Jeff Bishop know that you need to be given teen "clearance." This is a good way to share random thoughts, Bible class reflections, videos, or anything else you deem worthy.

Calendar

A teen calendar has been posted on the church website (www.lapeerchurchofchrist.com). This will be used to post all group activities as well as events that our members have going on, birthdays, and any other important dates for our teen group. If you have anything to add or see something we missed, please send the information to Chase and he will put it on the calendar.

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MINISTRIES

A ministry to meet everyone's needs and a ministry for everyone to be involved in.

Adult Worship
Audio/Visual Jim Sornig
Benevolence Ron & Katy Weiss
Bereavement Dinners & Meals on Wheels ... Ladies
Bridal/Baby Showers
Building Interior Dave Wright
Bulletin Boards Paula Garrett
Counseling & Mission Outreach Steve Ennis
Education Don Jamison
Family Jerry Brackney
Fellowship Mark Dillard
Finances
Grounds Steve Kurschat
Jail & Prison Phil Dillard, Carl Ogar

Lads to Leaders & Leaderettes
 Don & Tracy Jamison
Library Tina Dinnan
Marriage and Family Jerry & Rita Brackney
Missions Terry McCarthy
Nursery Debi Hoggatt
Office Freda Wright
Preaching and Teaching Kent Hoggatt
Pre-Teens (12 years - under) Committee
Secret Sister Donna Kurschat
Soup Kitchen Various Members
Teens Jim Sornig / Committee
World Bible School Brian Crowley
Young at Heart Jerry Brackney

Weekly Prayer List

Niki Kirkpatrick

Niki has been experiencing quite a bit of pain and is undergoing tests for a possible herniated disc in her neck. We ask that you keep her in your prayers and please be an encouragement to her.

Janice Brannon

Janice will not have to have surgery, but did undergo a spinal tap last Wednesday to remove fluid from her brain. Doctors are testing her for MS. Continue to keep her in your prayers.

Luther Warren

Please pray for Luther, the father of Geneva Breeze. He had surgery last Thursday after falling recently and breaking his hip.

Remember those who are looking for work: Carol Speirs, Steve Borst, Deborah Gale, and Michelle Smith.

The following ladies are expecting and would appreciate your continued prayers: Rachel Tanis, Misty Hoggatt and Christine Brackney.



Please pray for our leaders and the men and women in the armed forces.:

- Joe Abbey
- Derek Dietrich
- Ryan Clark
- Sam Wood
- Ben Houtekier
- Chip Atkinson
- Max Slater
- Curtis McCoy
- Stephen Kang
- Jim Lish
- Jeff Farwell
- Bill Rogers
- Tim Smith
- Allan Moor
- Jeff Sparks
- Mark Terry
- Brian Wood
- Jim Tingay
- Pat Keenan
- Justin Cooney
- Mike Dix
- Andy Zwack
- Scott Stugill
- Casey Kern
- D.J. Belcher
- Chris Crow
- Brad Willett
- Matthew Messenger
- Mike Overby
- Andrew Ellis
- Niles Czekiel
- Richard R. Cole
- Aaron Jamison
- Damian Salmond

UPDATING OUR PRAYER LIST

If you have a prayer request, know of someone who should be on a specific prayer list, or if you have a praise and thanksgiving to share, please write it down on the blue card and place it in the mailbox at the rear of the auditorium. If you know someone we can remove from a list, please let us know that too. Thank you!

Those Needing Continuous Prayers and Encouragement

Emit Adkins, Don Haddix, Ernie Maness, Sharrin Baird, Joshua Quinlan, Yvonne Ogar, Loreina Adkins, Sherrie White's parents, Virginia Edwards, Margaret Whitsett, Sue Johnson, Janice Brannon, The Hall & Raper Families, Cyndi Pratt, Charlene Garrett, Thelma Hoggatt, June Pigg, Mamie Gentry.

Praise and Thanksgiving

Don Wright - recent test results show no cancer.
Louise McCarthy (Terry's mother) - she continues to show improvement.

Those Who Lost Loved Ones Recently

Jason Hook, Rich English, Warren Edwards, Cheryl Booth, Mike & Tina Dinnan, Niki Kirkpatrick, Sara & Kevin Nelms, Debi Hoggatt, Bruce Nettles.

BIRTHDAYS

Stephanie (Groomes) Hamlin June 3

ANNIVERSARIES

Chuck & Cyndi Pratt . . . June 3

EVENTS

Today Teen Mission Trip Committee Meeting 4:00 p.m.
 June 7 . Teen Cmte. Mtg. 5 p.m.
 June 14 Erin Booth's Open House
 June 20 Amy Jamison's Open House
 . . Andrew Sornig's Open House
 MCYC Daddy/Daughter Hay Ride & Horseback Ride
 June 27 Zack McCarthy's Open House
 July 11 Susan Dillard's Open House

Shepherd's Care

This Weeks Schedule:

Today:
 8:30 a.m. Jack Slater
 Bible Class Dave Wright
 11:00 a.m. Dave Wright
 6:00 p.m. Bob Norton
Wednesday Bob Norton