

LAKEVIEW *life*

Week of JANUARY 6, 2020



pastor's PEN

Dear Lakeviewers,

As I pen these words, it is day three of our annual prayer week. A compelling case can be made that prayer week is the single most important week of the year in the life of our church. Prayer is absolutely essential if we are to be a healthy church. Prayer, more than anything else, reveals a church's dependence upon God. Jesus said, "*Apart from me you can do nothing*" (John 15:5). As we pray, we are declaring our absolute dependence upon the Lord. I look forward to praying with you each night beginning at 6:00 pm.

VISTAS

The next VISTAS class begins next Monday, January 13. The VISTAS class presents the biblical, historical, cultural and strategic dimensions of the world Christian movement. As your pastor, it is my heart's desire that every Lakeview member will avail himself or herself of the opportunity to learn of the redemptive work of God among the nations of the earth through VISTAS.

The VISTAS class meets on nine Monday evenings from 6:30 – 8:30 pm in room N209. You may sign up in advance by contacting Tammy McDonald at tmcdonald@lakeviewbaptist.org or calling the church office at 334-887-7094.

SUNDAY SERMONS

This Sunday morning, January 12, we will resume our journey through Paul's letter to the Romans. I will be preaching from Romans 7:1-25 on "The War Within." In this chapter, we find Paul baring his own soul regarding the battle with sin when he writes, "*When I want to do good, evil is right there with me. For in my inner being I delight in God's law; but I see another law at work in the members of my body, waging a war against the law of my mind and making me a prisoner of the law of sin at work within my members. What a wretched man I am; who will rescue me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!*" (Romans 7:21-25)

I have asked Samuel to preach this Sunday evening. Samuel works with Hal to equip the growing number of Lakeview students who are being called to take the gospel to those who have never heard the message of salvation.

Until He comes,
Al Jackson

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A MINISTRY OF

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JANUARY 6-10
6:00 PM | ROOM N209

Monday Night "Confession" Prayer Service
Tuesday Night "Thanksgiving" Prayer Service
Wednesday Night "Supplication" Prayer Service
Thursday Night Lord's Supper Service
Friday Night Covered Dish Fellowship Meal
in the Fellowship Hall

On Friday night following supper, we will gather in the Worship Center to watch the movie *Chariots of Fire*.



jim's
JOTS

GIVING UPDATE

Praise God from whom all blessings flow! When we started December, we needed \$481,979 in giving in order to meet our 2019 budget of \$3,000,000. I am pleased to report that through the Lord's blessings and your faithful giving, we received \$531,084 in December. Consequently, we finished the year at \$3,049,105. Praise the Lord!

VISTAS
MONDAYS | BEGINNING JANUARY 13
6:30 TO 8:30 PM | ROOM N209

Vistas is a 9-week mission class offered to help you understand the redemptive work of God for the nations and your place in it! A complimentary pizza supper will be served each week and you will receive a textbook for a \$40 one-time-fee. Please sign-up via email as soon as possible by contacting Tammy McDonald at tmcdonald@lakeviewbaptist.org or calling the church office at 334-887-7094.



praise
WORTHY

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CELEBRATION CHOIR & ORCHESTRA
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15 | 5:30 PM

Join us as we begin a new season of praise leadership. We would love for you to utilize your gifts and abilities with us as we praise the Lord together. The celebration choir will meet in the choir room and the orchestra will meet in the worship center each Wednesday beginning the 15th.

RE/GEN YOUTH CHOIR
THIS SUNDAY, JANUARY 12 | 4:30 PM

Calling all 7th-12th graders to the choir room as we begin our 2020 Re/Gen season. Come join us as we lead in worship each Sunday night.

JOYFUL NOISE CHOIR
SUNDAY, JANUARY 26 | 4:15 PM

Join us Sunday, January 26 at 4:15 PM in the fellowship hall for our Joyful Noise Choir rehearsal as we kickoff our spring semester. We will continue to work on our musical entitled *The Kingdom Connection*. Joyful Noise Choir is comprised of children in grades 1-6 who learn more about Jesus through the songs that are taught. If your child is new to choir, pre-registration is available online at www.lbcmusic.org.

l.i.f.e. classes
— winter 2020 —

a study on heaven

STARTING JAN 26 | 4:45 PM | Room N106
LED BY | Tom McClendon

men's study

STARTING JAN 19 | 4:30 PM | Room N103
LED BY | Ralph Henderson

ladies: "just open the door"

STARTING JAN 26 | 4:45 PM | Room N108-109
LED BY | Jenny Swaim & Melody Poole

moms in prayer

STARTING JAN 26 | 5:00 PM | Room N210
LED BY | Jennifer Morris



congregational CARE UPDATE

STUDY ON HEAVEN

What will Heaven be like? What will we look like? What will we do? Will Heaven be boring? These questions and many more will be answered during six weeks of interactive Bible study on Sunday afternoons at 4:45 PM beginning January 26. A workbook by Randy Alcorn will be our guide as we learn together some marvelous promises of God. Alcorn's book, *Heaven* and workbook along with a short video have revolutionized my thinking and have made me look forward to heaven. I pray that will be the case for you too. Please email jgreen@lakeviewbaptist.org to register. We need a count to know how many workbooks are needed.

God has put eternity in our hearts,
Tom

UPCOMING SING-A-LONGS

You are invited to join us as we visit with members from local nursing homes and sing with them.

JANUARY 21 | 9:30 AM-11:00 AM
Oak Park Nursing Home, Auburn



A NOTE FROM DICK LANE

I have been blessed by the opportunity to serve Lakeview Baptist Church for the past several years. Thank you for loving us and assisting me in the ministry of congregational care. Sandy and I look forward to our retirement and continuing to share the love of Christ as participating church members. May the Lord bless you and keep you as we continue to support and honor Him this and every year.

In His Love,
Dick and Sandy
Proverbs 3:5-6

THE HOLINESS OF GOD

BEHOLD

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

FUEL WEEKEND
2020

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**REMEMBER
IN prayer**

EAMC

Linda Walker

COLUMBUS

Linda Lashley

THE HARBOR

Vida Albert
Louise Hodge

**CAMELLIA
PLACE**

Rita Freeman
Kay Gaillard

**MAGNOLIA
PLACE**

Nancy Thornton

OAK PARK

Bobby Jones
Merle Jones
Emaleen Fagen
Libby Lay

AT HOME

Matthew Baker
Daniel Benjamin
Alice Chambliss
Ray Chambliss
Dennis Clark
Joe Denison
Jerry Ferguson
Ambers Hanson
Jennifer Morris
Jane Parker
Grace Polidoro
Matthew Richardson
Lottie Sides
Hampton Webb

fellowship MEAL

JANUARY 15

Swedish Meatballs, Rice, Veggies, Rolls, Salad, Brownies



DISCOVER LAKEVIEW

NEXT CLASS:
SUNDAY, JANUARY 12

sympathy

From the pastor, staff, and church family to:
Jeanette Riley and family in the death of her husband.

IN memoriam

RHETT RILEY
February 21, 1933—January 2, 2020

AT A glance

JANUARY 5 ATTENDANCE

Bible Study 736

Morning Worship 905

Evening Worship 510

JANUARY 5 GIVING

Budget \$51,911.33

Restricted \$8,408.83

Lakeview  **EQUIPPING STAFF
PASTOR**

Al Jackson

ASSOCIATE PASTORS

Missions & Prayer	Hal
Internationals	Jerry Ferguson
Media	Greg Key
Family Ministries	Cliff Knight
Congregational Care	Tom McClendon
Music	Adam Traylor
College	Kevin Webb
Administration	Jim Wilkerson
Youth	Aaron Wine

MINISTRY DIRECTORS

Youth Girls Director	Raxia
Missions Mobilization	Samuel
Preschool	Joan Moreman

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LAKEVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH IS TO
LOVE THE LORD GOD AND TO EXPRESS THAT LOVE BY
MAKING, NURTURING AND EQUIPPING
DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST
IN AUBURN AND THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.”**



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