

LAMAR AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST



Preacher Man.....Patrick Cannon

Lays® Potato Chips uses the slogan "You can't eat just one." They know a secret: most of us will lose self-control and give in to temptation if they can get us to just eat one. One gives in to two; two in to five; and before you know it, you've eaten an entire bag of chips!

Sin is like that, too. If the devil can get us to even think about something, he knows we are likely to lose self control and give into the temptation. Then he thinks he's won. That is why it is important to "take every thought captive to the obedience of Christ."

Edmund Hilary, the first man who conquered Mount Everest, was asked by an interviewer about his passions for climbing mountains. He gave this reply, "It is not the mountain we conquer but ourselves." Peter the great of Russia is quoted as saying "I have been able to conquer an empire but I have not been able to conquer myself." Hugo Grotius, the Dutch scholar, said, "A man cannot govern a nation if he cannot govern a city, he cannot govern a city if he cannot govern himself, and he cannot govern himself unless his passions are subject to reason."

God's Word says it like this: *"Like a city whose walls are broken through is a person who lacks self-control."* Proverbs 25:28. There has never been and never will be a great life without self control.

From a Biblical perspective, self control is really Christ-control. The more we give ourselves to him the more strength we are given to control those parts of our lives that need to be controlled. So, as you take inventory of your life, what areas are you controlling that you need to give up? Remember, God wants control of all areas of our life.

Give it up and let God reign!



To Our Guests...

We are blessed to have you here with us for worship today. Our prayer is that your time with us will be a blessing, and that you will find the worship uplifting, the message encouraging, the Lamar Avenue family friendly and the atmosphere welcoming. For families, we have a staffed nursery (*ages birth-24 months*) located in the back of the foyer. We also offer Children's worship for children ages 2 through Kindergarten. They will be dismissed during our assembly. Please stop by the Welcome Center (located in the middle of the foyer) for more information about our church family and the many different ministries we are involved with. We are so glad you are here and hope you will join us as we seek to know God and His vision for His people and the world.

Our Vision is ...

CONNECT WITH GOD

Our Vision is ...

UNITY OF BELIEVERS

Our Vision is ...

RESTORE ALL THINGS

FAMILY NEWS



YOUNG @ HEART—will be taking a trip to Greenville on **December 10th** to hear the 2016 Christmas Show of **Vocal Majority**. (a men's chorus group) Cost is \$27.00 per person. You can pay Kim at the office. Mark your calendars now! Sign up sheet is on the bulletin board by Room 6. **SIGN UP TODAY!** *We still have a few tickets left – space is limited.*

CONGRATULATIONS—to Shannon & Kristen Boyd on the birth of their little girl, Ellington Kate, on 11/2/16. She weighed 7.8 lbs and was 19 inches long. **Sherrie & Alan Boyd** are the very proud grandparents!

THANK YOU—for the Croton plant you sent as an expression of kindness to my family.

~ Anna Zant & the Mashburn family

FAITHFUL READERS—will be meeting next Sunday, November 13th at 3:30 PM in room 17 to discuss the book, Waves of Mercy by Lynn Austin. The discussion will be led by **Linda Vickers**. Anyone is welcome to come.

HELP NEEDED—Your help is needed in putting out our flags!!! **Veteran's Day** is coming up **NEXT** week on November 11th. If you can help, please meet just outside the Elder's Conference Room on **Wednesday, Nov. 9th @ 4:45PM**. It is indeed a beautiful sight to see so many flags proudly displayed on our front lawn! Thanks in advance to those that make this happen.



FAMILY RETREAT

November 11th–13th

This is our annual church family weekend together at Beaver's Bend State Park. Mark your calendars now and make plans to come for the weekend or just for the day on Saturday. Everyone is welcome to come enjoy being surrounded by God's beauty and His people. **SIGN UP TODAY** at the Welcome Center. **Kyle Jones** can answer any questions you might have.

YOUTH & FAMILY NIGHT

Families welcome to join our youth **TONIGHT** starting at 4:30PM and ending at 7:00 PM. We will be eating pizza together here at the building and then watching "God's Not Dead 2" in the youth room.



KIDS FOR CHRIST & YOUTH ACTIVITIES

KIDS FOR CHRIST

Nov. 11th–13th—Family Retreat @ Beaver's Bend

JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

Nov. 6th—Dinner & Movie @ LACOC. Watching God's Not Dead 2. 4:30PM -7PM

Nov. 11th–13th—Family Retreat @ Beaver's Bend

Jan. 13th–15th—HS Winterfest Weekend in Dallas.

PRAYER

CHURCH MEMBERS: Naomi Bassett, Johnny Bassett, Pete Taylor, Sarah Smith, Marjorie Clem, Carol Murphy, Wanda McFadden, Horace Johnson, Webber Woodall, Sherrie Boyd, Roy Jones, Paul & Carol Helton, Carl Melton, Joel Casey, John Figgins, Louise Peace, Kristi Anthony, Lance Johnson.

FRIENDS & FAMILY: Sierra Faulkner, family of William Rolen, Aubrey Erwin, Tommy Patterson, Frankland family, Patricia Crawford, Larry Hyman, Vicki Schaff, Linda Francis, Betty, Todd Warren, Bruce & Victor Herbert, Aubrey McNutt, Jillian Ingram, Dr. Chris Manschreck, Vanderpools.

MILITARY DEPLOYED OVERSEAS: Stephen Mass, Donny Shaffer, James Crimmin.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please contact the church office or e-mail: mollywoodall@suddenlink.net
www.lamaravenueprayerrequests.blogspot.com

SERMON NOTES

WORSHIP

WORSHIP LEADER —Keith Bollman

129 Amazing Grace

WELCOME/CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING PRAYER—Caleb Keele

31 Be Still and Know

116 God Will Make a Way

315 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

COMMUNION — Derald Bulls OFFERING

180 Jesus Is Lord

DISMISSAL FOR CHILDREN’S WORSHIP

(Sheridie D./ Kathy D./ Gibson / Daniel / Grayson)

23 Our God He Is Alive

MESSAGE—Patrick Cannon

683 I Am Mine No More

SHEPHERD’S PRAYER—Richard Peace

*Songs marked with *** will be displayed on the screen.*



Sunday Evening Patrick Cannon



Responses

Prayer —Felicia Williams



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



- Nov. 6th—Daylight Savings Time Ends*
- Nov. 7th—Divorce Care meeting*
- Nov. 11th—13th—Family Retreat @ Beaver's Bend*
- Nov. 13th—Faithful Readers*
- Nov. 22nd—Thanksgiving Praise & Worship*
- Dec. 10th—YAH Trip*
- Dec. 11th—Christmas Talent Show*
- Jan. 13th—15th—Winterfest (high school only)*

****Anything in red is NEW to the calendar.*



WEDNESDAY SIMPLE SUPPERS

Poppysseed Chicken

SHEPHERDS

Kyle Jones
 Wayne Kerby
 Richard Peace
 Jay Spencer

MINISTERS

Patrick Cannon, *Preacher*
 Jared Baggett, *Youth & Family*
 Keith Bollman, *Involvement*

STAFF

James Hanley, *Latch Key Director*
 Jill Faires, *Kiddie Kollege Director*
 Kim Hanley, *Administrative Assistant*
 Tanya Welch, *Secretary*

DEACONS

Greg Beckmon	James Hanley
Alan Boyd	Don Lawrence
Derald Bulls	John McGee
Mike Erwin	Clay Spencer
Heath Fowler	Clint Spencer
Brad Francis	Shane Welch
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MEETING TIMES

SUNDAY
 Bible Class.....9:00 a.m.
 Worship.....10:00 a.m.
 Worship.....6:00 p.m.
 (Small Groups meet in various locations.)
WEDNESDAY
 Ladies' Bible Class.....(Sept.-May).....10:00 a.m.
 Bible Classes.....6:30 p.m.

SERVING NEXT SUNDAY (11/13/2016)

Usher:	Shackleford/Team 5
Sound Booth:	Troy Ashby
Opening Prayer:	Rusty Booker
Communion Prayer:	Glen Barnett
Communion Servers:	
Dwayne Parson	Harvey Slawson
Curt Poore	Clint Spencer
Kevin Russell	Larry Taylor
Nathan Ryser	Jimmy Thielman
Responses/Closing Prayer:	Jay Spencer
Children's Worship:	Stacy & Ty Prestridge
	Chloe/ Madison / Katey

October 30, 2016 Report

Bible Class.....	140
Worship Services.....	288
Evening Worship.....	
LIFE Groups.....(most meet 1st & 3rd Sundays).....	17
Total Evening Services.....	17
CONTRIBUTION.....	\$ 11,166
BUDGET	\$ 12,653
YTD BUDGET.....	\$ -18,583

Pantry Needs:

Dish soap; Deodorant
 Spaghetti sauce

Rainbow Room Items:

Jeans & Tennis shoes of ALL sizes