

# LAMAR AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST



Preacher Man.....Patrick Cannon

Good morning and welcome to Lamar Avenue. We pray that your time with us today is encouraging and uplifting as we worship our God together. Fall is in the air and that means that a lot is going on. Let me remind you of a few important things coming around the corner:

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**THANKSGIVING DEVOTIONAL** Tuesday evening November 22 @ 6:30 in the Auditorium.  
No classes will meet.

**HOLIDAY CHRISTMAS PARTY/TALENT SHOW** Sunday evening December 11<sup>th</sup> @ 5:00PM  
@ Aikin Elementary. Food, Music, and lots of fun!

**CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS**—Clint & Misty Gage will be leading our Christmas Food Basket Program this year. The food list form, nomination form for families, and volunteer form for purchasing and delivering the baskets are located at the Welcome Center. We can begin to fill our baskets at any time. Deadline for nomination forms is Wed., Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>. This is a great way to involve your whole family with.

This morning we continue our Believe Series with a lesson on Patience. This will conclude the first part of the series. We will take a break during the month of December and resume the study in January. I have enjoyed the study and I appreciate your encouraging words from week to week. I look forward to the lessons remaining in this study.

This past week was a rough one as we were all shocked with the sudden passing of our sister Evelyn Perry. She was one of the “over 90’s group” that we honored back in August. She loved the Lord and loved her Lamar Avenue church family so much. She dedicated over 30 years of her life serving as the church secretary. She will be missed each Sunday as we come through the front doors where she stood ready to greet you with a smile and a bulletin. Our prayers are with her family.



### 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

**LUNCHEON TODAY** –If you are a new member or visiting with us today, please plan to join us for lunch in the outreach building. All widows and widowers are welcome to stay as well.

**SYMPATHY**—Our dear sister and friend, **Evelyn Perry**, passed away this past week at her home. Please keep her family and all her Chickenfoot ladies in your prayers.

**OFFICE CLOSED**—The church office will be closed on November 23rd–25th for the Thanksgiving holiday. There will be no bulletin next week!

**SIMPLE SUPPERS**– There will be **NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL THIS WEEK** but the meal for **NEXT Wednesday, November 30th** will be **Frito chili pie**. Please sign up on your attendance card today if you plan to eat.

**LOST & FOUND**—A ring was turned into the office that was found in the parking lot. If you have lost a ring or know of it, please call the office and describe it.

**YOUNG @ HEART** – We still have a few tickets left for the December 10th Christmas Show of Vocal Majority. Please sign up at the bulletin board outside room 6 and pay in the office by **November 23rd**. After this date the tickets will be open for other church family to purchase and join us.

**RESERVE THE DATE**—for our **annual Christmas Party**. Make plans now to join us @ Aiken Elementary on **Sunday, Dec. 11th @ 5:00PM** for food, music, fun and fellowship with one another!!

**CHRISTIANS IN ACTION**- is looking for volunteers and/or donations for it's annual holiday luncheon to be served on **November 22nd @ 11:00AM at Market Square (400 1st St. SW)**. This event offers families and individuals who might not otherwise be able to have a traditional Thanksgiving lunch a chance to gather with others in the community and share a meal. A hot meal isn't all that is needed but there will also be a Warmth Table offering hats, scarves, gloves and blankets. If you can donate any of these items or volunteer to help set up, clean up, serve or visit please text **Melissa Wickersham at 903-366-2207**. She teaches and will contact you back asap if you leave a message.

## THANKSGIVING PRAISE & WORSHIP

We will have a time of praise and worship on Tuesday, November 22nd, reminding us of all that we have to be thankful for. Please plan to bring your family and out of town guests as we fellowship together. This is in place of Wednesday night classes! Everyone will come together in the auditorium at 6:30PM. No meal will be served!

## ANNUAL HOLIDAY FOOD BASKET DRIVE

**Clint and Misty Gage** will be leading our Christmas Food Basket Program this year. The food list forms, nomination forms for needy families, and volunteer forms for those of us who can help by purchasing and/or delivering the baskets are located at the Welcome Center. Deadline for nomination forms is Wednesday, **December 7th**. We will deliver the baskets Sunday, **December 11th @ 2:30PM**. The baskets for our Benevolence Ministry will be distributed on Monday, **December 12th**. Grab your kids/grandkids and get involved in something good for the community!

## KIDS FOR CHRIST & YOUTH ACTIVITIES

### KIDS FOR CHRIST

**Dec. 3rd**—KFC/Youth & Family Party—Tailgate @ the Christmas Parade. More info to come.  
**Dec. 6th**—Rudolph Party (preschool)

### JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

**Dec. 3rd**—KFC/Youth & Family Party—Tailgate @ the Christmas Parade. More info to come.  
**Jan. 13th–15th**—HS Winterfest Weekend in Dallas.

# PRAYER

**CHURCH MEMBERS:** Joel Casey, Sherry Welch, Charlotte Cannon, Naomi Bassett, Johnny Bassett, Butch Mills, Pete Taylor, Sarah Smith, Marjorie Clem, Carol Murphy, 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:** Lisa Harroff, Joe DeNoon, Mac McCollum, Sierra Faulkner, Billy Huff, Aubrey Erwin, Tommy Patterson, Matt Welch, Jamie Parker, Carol Ward, 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](mailto:mollywoodall@suddenlink.net)  
[www.lamaravenueprayerrequests.blogspot.com](http://www.lamaravenueprayerrequests.blogspot.com)

# SERMON NOTES

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# WORSHIP

## WORSHIP LEADER —Kyle Jones

- 2 We Praise Thee O God
- 66 Doxology

## WELCOME/CALL TO WORSHIP

- 15 Step By Step
- \*\*\* Let Your Spirit Come
- \*\*\* Shine On Us

## OPENING PRAYER—Roger Bryan

\*\*\* Still

## SCRIPTURE READING—Isaiah 40:28-31

- 764 Teach Me Lord To Wait
- \*\*\* Wonderful Merciful Savior

## COMMUNION — David Beyleryan OFFERING

- 421 Sweet, Sweet Spirit
- 422 Spirit Of The Living God

## DISMISSAL FOR CHILDREN’S WORSHIP

(Jared & Kristi / Karen M. / Develon M. / Sam C.)

\*\*\* Ancient Words

## MESSAGE—Patrick Cannon

837 I Need Thee

## SHEPHERD’S PRAYER—Kyle Jones

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



# Sunday Evening

## Patrick Cannon



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR



- Nov. 20th—Visitor Luncheon*
- Nov. 22nd—Thanksgiving Praise & Worship*
- Nov. 23rd—25th—Office closed*
- Dec. 3rd—KFC/Youth & Family Tailgate Party*
- Dec. 6th—Preschool Rudolph Party*
- Dec. 10th—YAH Trip*
- Dec. 11th—Delivery of Food Baskets*
- Dec. 11th—Annual Christmas Party*
- Jan. 13th—15th—Winterfest (high school only)*

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



## WEDNESDAY SIMPLE SUPPERS

No Simple Supper  
 Thanksgiving Week

### 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  
 Alan Boyd  
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 Mike Erwin  
 Heath Fowler  
 Brad Francis  
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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 (11/27/2016)

**Usher:** Beeler / Team 1  
**Sound Booth:** Glenn Lee  
**Opening Prayer:** Glenn Burgess  
**Communion Prayer:** Mark Cowan  
**Communion Servers:**  
 Dwayne Parson Harvey Slawson  
 Curt Poore Clint Spencer  
 Kevin Russell Larry Taylor  
 Nathan Ryser Jimmy Thielman  
**Responses/Closing Prayer:** Wayne Kerby  
**Children's Worship:** Penny S. / Chancey S.  
 Cayla S. / Ashton S. / Coral S.

### November 13, 2016 Report

Bible Class.....	160
Worship Services.....	321
Evening Worship.....	57
LIFE Groups.....(most meet 1st & 3rd Sundays).....	
<b>Total Evening Services.....</b>	<b>57</b>
<b>CONTRIBUTION.....</b>	<b>\$ 9,056</b>
<b>BUDGET .....</b>	<b>\$ 12,653</b>
<b>YTD BUDGET.....</b>	<b>\$ -20,291</b>

### Pantry Needs:

1 lb. bags of beans or rice / Cornbread  
 Diapers

### Rainbow Room Items:

Jeans & Tennis shoes of ALL sizes