The Livingston Lamplighter

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Radio Broadcasts
WLIV 920 AM or
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Sunday: Worship service 10:00 a.m.
Thursday: Sowing the Seed 8:15 a.m.

Church Office
Tuesday-Friday (8:00-1:00)

Works Supported

Latin American Missions
Happy Haven Children's Home
Ghana West Africa Missions
Joey Treat– South Pacific Islands
International Bible Teaching Ministries

Weekly Record:

Sunday School	74
Worship	135
PM Worship	71
Wed Bible Study	56
Contribution	$2929

A New Year's Plan

By: Mary Fairchild

I tried to think of a clever new phrase——
A slogan to inspire the next 365 days,
A motto to live by this coming New Year,
But the catchy words fell flat to my ear.
And then I heard His still small voice
Saying, "Consider this simple, daily choice:
With each new dawn and close of day
Make new your resolve to trust and obey."
"Don't look back, caught in regret
Or dwell on the sorrow of dreams unmet:
Don't stare forward anchored by fear,
No, live in this moment, for I Am here."
"I am all you need. Everything. I Am.
You are held secure by my strong hand.
Give me this one thing—your all in all;
Into my grace , let yourself fall."
So, at last, I'm ready; I see the way.
It's to daily follow, trust and obey.
I enter the New Year armed with a plan,
To give Him my everything—all that I am.

Welcome Visitors! *Please fill out a visitor's card for our record of your visit.*

Family and Friends–Prayers

Alan Terry suffered a fall and broke some ribs.

Nursing Homes

OCNH

Ina Poston
Leon Flatt
George Cannon—Doug Cannon's brother
Glen Webb-Susan Ashburn's father

Shut–In

Geraldine Cannon	Marie Pryor
Doretha Flowers	Bobbie Sells
Ina Poston	Winnie Worley

Remember the spouses/caregivers of our shut-in and let them know we remember them also.

Upcoming Surgeries-Remember in your prayers Linda Mahaney and Diana Webb. Both will be having surgery in Nashville, Thur., Jan. 9th. Linda will have a stone removed from a gland in her neck and Diana a knee replacement.

Christmas Card-Sis. Christine Franklin sent a Christmas card to the congregation. It is posted on the bulletin board. Also, a card was received from James and Viv Sells wishing us Christmas blessings and thanking everyone for prayers offered on their behalf.

Thank you-From Arlene to all the ladies who helped with the meal preparation, serving and clean-up for the Gore/Richardson families.

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

December
30-Boyd Smith

January
2-Bobbie Sells

We Continue to Remember …

*(Names in **Bold** print are Livingston members)*

Leon & Reba Flatt, Leigh Smith, Marlene Colbert, Earl Carr, Kay Thomas, Evelyn Brown, Trisha Wilson, Bill and Linda Mahaney, Barbara Carwile, Jewel Turner, Doug and Geraldine Cannon, Mary Helen Apple, Jim Sells, Boyd Smith, Joe Pigg, Terry Neal

Vivian and Gary Walker, Ray & Bea Taylor, Randall (Bear) Mathis, Bobby Coley, Glen Williams, Betty Southerland, Bobby Smith, Riley Boles, Mandy Lay, Rita Hargis, Joyce Ramsey, Ed Meadows, Bobby Dale, Leann Duke, Ralph Sells, Gail Duke, Phyllis Duke, Cindy Martin, Rose Collins, Dallas Sullivan, Jonathan Fisher, Jean Keller, Scott Mullins, Shirley Key, John Smith, Jr., Chris Ashlock, Clint Cannon, Bob Roberson, Edie Williams, Rita Martin, Ben Walker, Kathy Craft, Allan Terry, Carol Baker, James Sells, Carolyn Sells, Larry Misenhimer, Rachel Ellis, Bonnie Carwile, Angela Leckington, Ronald Conner, Pat Roberts' family, Connie Norris' family, Stanley Carter, Clyde Rhule, Parker Boone, Brenda Lewis, Judy Thomas, Willie Roy Sidwell, Ben Threet, James Hummel, Brenda Warren, Glenda Copeland Misty Gentry, Jerry and Anita Howard, Cora Sizemore, Darrell Gulley, Debbie Holman, Genell Hummel, Larry Hicks, Rhonda Gereighty, John Sturgill, Glenda Copeland, Lynn Melton, Diane Stephens, Jonathan Sells, Paul Strong, Kayla Jenkins

Prayer Requests

Jewel Turner requests prayers for her and her family for some difficulties.

Geraldine Cannon suffered a fall breaking her hip. She is now home from the hospital.

Sympathy-To Geraldine Ferril Hester in the passing of her husband, Bob Hester.

Continue to remember Brent Gore and all his family in the loss of his sister, Junie Richardson.

Week of December 29, 2019

SUNDAY:

Bible School:

Song Director:	Henry Colbert
First Prayer:	Phil Gunter

A.M. Worship:

Song Director:	Henry Colbert
First Prayer:	Dale Flatt

Scripture Reading: Johnny Jenkins

Lord's Supper: Presiding: David Dickerson

Serve	Rusty Robbins	Wesley Flatt
	Phil Gunter	Johnny Jenkins
	Mike Sidwell	Jerry Lancaster
	Gary Worley	

(Please meet in the library before service begins)

Announcements: Buckie Parsons

Dismissal Prayer: Larry Worley

Count Contribution: Phil Gunter, Bruce McDonald, Mark Sells

Communion Ware: Kathy Smith, Minnie Willis

Bus Driver: Dale Flatt

P.M. Worship:

Song Director:	Henry Colbert
First Prayer:	Doug Riggins
Read Scripture	Wesley Flatt
Lord's Supper:	David Webb
Dismissal Prayer:	Will Brown

WEDNESDAY

Song Director:	Henry Colbert
First Prayer:	Earl Carwile
Dismissal Prayer:	Gary Worley

GREETERS- **TEAM –ALL**
(Please give all visitors a Visitor's Packet)

BUILDING LOCK-UP Jason Brown, Jerry Lancaster

SUNDAY SERVICES
Bible School 9:00 am
Worship 10:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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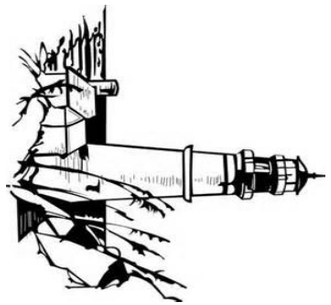

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DECEMBER CALENDAR

LOTS OF DECEMBER EVENTS

December 29– Challenge Sunday
December 31– New Year's Eve Fellowship

Bible Bowl 2020-Saturday, Jan. 4 at 8 a.m. Walnut Grove church of Christ.

CYC February 28-March 1, 2020-If you want to go to CYC, a signup sheet is in the foyer. Deadline to sign up is Dec. 28. See Jason Brown with questions.

Apologetics Seminar-At Center Grove church of Christ with Eric Lyons Jan. 30 thru Feb. 2. Topic *Is The Bible Reliable?* Fri., Jan 31. at 7 p.m. Sat., Feb. 1, 6 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Digital Discipleship Summit-At Montrose church of Christ, Carthage, TN. A workshop designed to discuss the impact of technology and social media on religion in our world today. Flyer is posted.

Ladies Wednesday Morning Bible Class
Resume Jan. 8, 2020

I've Never Known-A farmer who failed in life because he quit early to attend church on Wednesday night. Have you? Anyone who was too tired to go to worship on Sunday and also too tired to go to work Monday. Have you? A Christian to be strengthened by engaging in recreation when he should have been worshipping God. Have you? Anyone being made better by staying away from the worship because he did not like someone who was there. Have you? A strong spiritual Christian who neglected the assemblies of the church. Have you?

Pantry-Ketchup, Jelly, Shampoo **OR,** give money to Brent and Sada.

Absent-A list of those absent at Sunday worship is on the table in the foyer. Remember to check on them and let them know they are missed.

Help at Home-The third Saturday of each month for any member who needs it.

Sermons-Jon's sermons can be replayed on our website livingstonchurchofchrist.com.

A FEW IMPORTANT DATES IN 2020

March 21	Door Knocking
28	Teacher Appreciation
April 6	VBS Planning
11	Easter at McDonald's
May 16	Spring Cleaning Day
17	Homecoming
June 6	Door Knocking
June 7-11	VBS
14	Sunday night summer series begins, "*Home Improvements*"
July 25	Back to School Bash
August 1	Gospel Give Away
2	Sunday night summer series ends
Sept. 19	Door Knocking
Sept. 20-23	Gospel Meeting with Ben Smith
Oct. 9-11	Allons and Livingston Retreat
Oct. 24	Fall Festival
Dec. 12	Christmas with the Widows