

The Livingston Lamplighter

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A Slow Death

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Take a leaf from a branch, and lay it down and watch. Slowly, the color fades and the leaf curls up and dies. Take a hot ember out of a fire and lay it down, and watch. Soon, the red glow dims and the ember becomes cool to the touch and the fire dies. Take a fish out of water, and lay it down and watch. The fish will flip and flop, but soon it quits struggling and dies.

Take a Christian away from the assembly, and watch him. Soon he quits praying and it doesn't take long until he begins criticizing people who are attempting to live godly lives. Finally, he finds himself opposing Christianity and he dies.

Give it some thought.

To Have a Winning Day

- ♦ We must listen more than we talk
 - ♦ We must smile more than we frown
 - ♦ We must give more than we get
 - ♦ We must think of others more than we think of ourselves
 - ♦ We must agree more than we disagree
 - ♦ We must laugh more than we cry
 - ♦ We must clean up more than we mess up
 - ♦ We must be more positive than we are negative
 - ♦ We must be fascinated more than we are frustrated
 - ♦ We must walk the walk more than we talk the talk
 - ♦ We must accept more than we reject
 - ♦ We must see the cup half full more than seeing it half empty
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Elders

Dale Flatt	823-5477
Philip Gunter	823-6717

Deacons

Dale Mabry	823-7177
Buckie Parsons	498-2266
Jason Brown	823-0823
Ralph McDonald	823-4107

Treasurer

Rusty Robbins	823-2764
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Minister

Jon Ledbetter
931-214-2121

Radio Broadcasts WLIV 920 AM or wlivradio.com

Sunday: Worship service 10:00 a.m.
Thursday: Sowing the Seed 8:15 a.m.

Church Office

Monday-Friday (9:00-1:00)

Works Supported

Latin American Missions
Happy Haven Children's Home
Florida School of Preaching
Joey Treat— South Pacific Islands

Weekly Record:

Sunday School	81
Worship	141
PM Worship	59
Wed Bible Study	72
Contribution	\$3402

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

Family and Friends–Prayers

Nursing Homes

OCNH

George Cannon—Doug Cannon’s brother
Linda Hagood-Requests visits, room 262

Shut–In

Geraldine Cannon	Ina Poston
Doretha Flowers	Winnie Worley
Marie Pryor	Terry Neal

Bobbie Sells

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

DAILY BIBLE READERS
WEEK OF FEB. 24
23

Luv Diapers and Wipes-Baker James Hutchi-
son will be making his debut in April. A box
has been placed in the foyer for Luv Diapers and
wipes. Congrats to Jamie, Andrea, Bailey and
Briar!

In the midst of trouble, God is still...love! “*We
have known and believed the love that God has
for us. God is love*” (1 John 4:16)

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

- 11-Linda Mahaney
- 14-Earl Carwile
- 15-Merl and Leigh Smith
- 16-Marlene Colbert
- 17-Callie Masters



We Continue to Remember ...

*(Names in **Bold** print are Livingston members)*
Leon & Reba Flatt, Leigh Smith, Allan Terry,
Marlene Colbert, Earl Carr, Kay Thomas, Evelyn
Brown, Trisha Wilson, Linda Mahaney, Diana
Webb, Barbara Carwile, Jewel Turner, Dale
Flatt, Geraldine Cannon, Mary Helen Apple

Vivian Walker, Ray & Bea Taylor, Randall (Bear)
Mathis, Addie Underhill, Bobby Coley, Glen Wil-
liams, Betty Southerland, Bobby Smith, Glenard
Hogue, Riley Boles, Scott Bilbrey, Mandy Lay, Rita
Hargis, Barbara Stevens, Joyce Ramsey, Ed Mead-
ows, Bobby Dale, Leann Duke, Ralph Sells, Gail
Duke, Phyllis Duke, Gary Walker, Kathy Sullivan,
Cindy Martin, Rose Collins, Dallas Sullivan, Jona-
than Fisher, Sarah Thornburg, Jean Keller, Scott
Mullins, Shirley Key, John Smith, Jr., Denise Gross,
Chris Ashlock, Shawn Moffitt, Clint Cannon, Rhu-
veda Cross, Bob Roberson, Edie Williams, Mary
Garrett, Linda Sells, Rita Martin, Logan Hargis, Ben
Walker, Krystal Rose

Prayer Requests

Marlene Colbert is awaiting approval from her
insurance to be readmitted to the hospital to
check on the functioning of her shunt which was
placed in the past.



In the midst of trouble, God is still...able! “*to
Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly
above all that we ask or think, according to the
power that works in us*” (Ephesians 3:20)

Week of March 10, 2019

SUNDAY:
Bible School:
Song Director: Daniel Flatt
First Prayer: Ralph McDonald

A.M. Worship:
Song Director: Daniel Flatt
First Prayer: Dale Flatt

Scripture Reading: Doug Cannon

Lord’s Supper: Presiding: Josh Cantrell

Serve Robert England Will Brown
David Cantrell Daniel Flatt
Doug Riggins Jimmy Smith
Ralph McDonald Curtis Long
(Please meet in the library before service begins)

Announcements: Clay McDonald

Dismissal Prayer: Jerry Lancaster

Count Contribution: Phil Gunter
Buckie Parsons
Mark Sells

Communion Ware: Joan Masters
Jane Parrott

Bus Driver: Connie Brown

P.M. Worship:
Song Director: Daniel Flatt
First Prayer: Henry Colbert
Read Scripture Will Brown
Lord’s Supper: Ralph McDonald
Dismissal Prayer: Bernie Winningham

WEDNESDAY
Song Director: Daniel Flatt
First Prayer: Doug Riggins
Dismissal Prayer: Will Brown

GREETERS- Charles and Linda Anderson
(Please give all visitors a Visitor’s Packet)

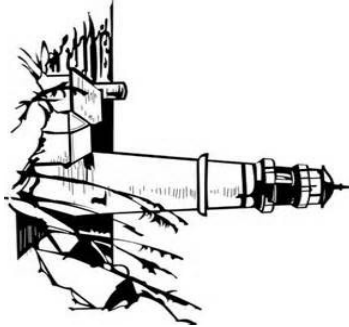
BUILDING LOCK-UP David Dickerson
Ralph McDonald

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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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MARCH CALENDAR
10-Daylight Saving Time Begins
10-Nursing Home Services
10-Ricky McWhorter P.M. service
24-4th Sunday Singing Neely’s Crossroad
28-Happy Haven Banquet 6:30 p.m.
30-Teacher Appreciation Dinner
31-Fifth Sunday Challenge Night!

Ladies Day-Crossville church of Christ, Sat., Mar. 16. Speaker Donna Faughn. Flyer posted.

Happy Haven Banquet-Thur., Mar. 28 at 6:30 at Leslie Town Centre. Please sign-up if you plan on attending by Fri., March 15th.

Teacher Appreciation Dinner-An appreciation dinner for our bible class teachers, *PAST and PRESENT*, along with their spouses Sat., March 30 at 5:30 p.m. **This also includes all our VBS teachers and their assistants!** Last day to sign up is Sun., March 17th.

Ladies’ Day-Our Ladies’ Day is scheduled for Sat., Apr. 13th. Speaker will be Shanna Anderson, Norah’s mom.

Life Line Screening-On April 22, Life Line Screening will be using the Windham Bldg. to perform carotid artery screening, abdominal aortic aneurysm screening, peripheral artery disease screening, atrial fibrillation screening and osteoporosis screening. Information is located in the foyer on the PINK papers. A package of the first four listed procedures costs \$129 and a package for all five procedures is \$139. Preregistration is **required**. Also, five discount coupons are available and will be first come/first serve. A sign-up sheet is provided for our members. Questions-see Jeanetta.

Pantry Items Needed-
Ravioli. Ketchup. Can pinto beans.
Cream style corn.
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.

Wednesday Night Meals-Don’t forget 5:30 p.m. before Bible study.

Ladies Class-Ladies Bible class each Wednesday at 10 a.m. in the library.

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

Wednesday Night Invitation-Any of our men who wish to offer the invitation after Wednesday evening Bible study, please sign up to do so.

Jon’s sermons can now be heard on our Website: **churchlivingston.com.**

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- ◆ We must help more than we hinder
 - ◆ We must believe in ourselves more than we doubt ourselves
 - ◆ We must work more than we whine
 - ◆ We must do more than we do not
 - ◆ We must act more than we react
 - ◆ We must save more than we squander
 - ◆ We must care more than we ever have
 - ◆ We must love more than we ever have
- Anonymous

Taken from Montrose church of Christ bulletin.