

THE FAMILY CONNECTION

Romans 15:7

January 23, 2022

WELCOME!

If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guests. We are very happy you chose to worship with us this Lord's day. We hope your spirits are encouraged and you find us to be a friendly congregation who love God, His Word, each other, and YOU.

We hope that you will join us again soon!

Reconnecting Through Retreats

We are finally able to resume our Men's and Ladies retreats! This is a wonderful opportunity for us to all be together in an uplifting and spiritual way! Our honored guest speakers will be a husband and wife duo Aubrey and Lisa Johnson. Together, for over 40 years, they have been privileged to have served churches in Alabama, Georgia, Oklahoma, and Tennessee. Currently, they worship at Old Hickory Church of Christ in Nashville.

Men's Retreat - Dynamic Servants

The men will meet on Friday evening February 18th at 6:00 PM in the auditorium and on Saturday morning February 19th at 9:00 AM in the old barn on the back of the property. On Friday evening the men are asked to bring their favorite Friday Night Food to share. On Saturday, the men will join the ladies in the auditorium for lunch. **Aubrey Johnson**, will discuss all the many biblical qualities of a True Servant in Christ.

Please RSVP for the men's retreat by emailing *Scott Otey* (esotey@wcrw.net) or *Kathleen Brown* (NaplesChurchofChrist@gmail.com) before February 13th.

Ladies Retreat - Waiting on God - Lamentations 3:24-26

The ladies will meet on Saturday, February 19th from 8:30AM - 12 Noon in the auditorium. Please join us for an encouraging day of Bible study, songs of praise, entertaining skits, and fellowship. We will begin our morning with a continental breakfast and end it with a combined lunch with the men. Guest speaker, **Lisa Johnson**, will present a very timely lesson about Waiting on God.

Please RSVP for the ladies retreat by texting, calling, or emailing *Kathleen Brown* 239-777-5283 (NaplesChurchofChrist@gmail.com), *Sue Macon* 239-398-9051 (sbmacon@centurylink.net) or *Diane Otey* 239-253-0460 (sotey@comcast.net) before February 13th.

Put this date on your calendars now - additional details will be released soon.

PRAYER LIST* MEMBERS

- Claude Haynes
- Linda Copeland
- Margie Rhodes
- Bonnie Stephens
- Maria Reategui
- Maggie Rodriguez
- Elvis Durity
- Marjorie Connor
- Lew Parks
- Frieda Rodgers
- Doug Fee
- Carla Sledge
- Donna Strong
- Lee & Linda Sutton
- Di Menoher
- Daniel & Elizabeth Peregrin
- Jeff Blake
- Glenn Macon

NURSING HOME / SHUT-INS

- June McCauley
- Wayne & Bonnie Bucy

FAMILY & FRIENDS

- Kathy Kock Thomas Walker
- Jon Sauer Lexi Carr
- Kasey Dudley Tania Gadbury
- Laurie & Danny Osborne
- Maddie Whitlock Amelia Larios
- Joe & Marie Lennon's son
- Mary Ryder Lynn Greer
- Linda Sutton grandson Matt & great granddaughter Jordan
- John Wallace's sister, Beth
- George Ballard Marsha Hampton
- Marco Moros Bob Stafford
- Hussey Family Sally Abbott
- Judy Sauer's g-daughter, Meaghan
- Ivonne - Maria Reategui's cousin
- Robert Champion Michael Presto
- Larry Brown Judy Brugman
- Brooke Ruppel Laubel Perez
- Ao Hotchkiss Mary Nell Shelly
- Carla Sledge's niece, Audricka
- Carla Sledge's nephew
- Danny Billingsby
- Donia Ciabuca Adrian Ivanov

MILITARY

- Christopher Lemay Lee Strong
- Darrell Martin Casandra Prokop

Order of Worship

January 23, 2022

- Call to Worship:** Joe Lennon
Screen "Shout Hallelujah"
- Welcome:** Terry Billingsby
Medley "Build My Life"
 "It Is Well, with My Soul"
- Prayer:** Larry Menoher
Scree "In Christ Alone"
- Communion:** Scott Otey
 Matthew 26:26-29
 1 Corinthians 16:1-2

Song before the Message

Children are invited to go to the worship class during this song*

Screen "We'll Work Till Jesus Comes"

Message: Tim Neal

Invitation Song: "His Grace Reaches Me"

Closing Song:
Screen "Your Kingdom Until Then"

Closing Prayer: Hugh Travis

Parents please pick up your child from class

*Children's Worship Class - 3 years of age to 2nd grade - Classroom A8

Worship volunteers - remember to meet in Classroom A-11 at 8:50

Communion bread has been placed into individual cups. Gluten Free communion has been placed within the very center ring of each tray.

Future Events

- Every Tuesday:** Men's Prayer Meeting - 6:30 AM
- EVERY SUNDAY IN JANUARY:** Melissa will take your new photo
- Jan 30th:** Livingston Academy Teacher Day
- Jan 30th:** Fellowship Meal / Baby Shower
- Feb 11th:** Adopt a Teacher Event for Livingston teachers
- Feb 12th:** Touch a Truck Event
- Feb 18 - 19th:** Men's Retreat with guest speaker
- Feb 19th:** Ladies' Retreat with guest speaker

Birthday's & Anniversaries

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| 23 - Debbie Anderson | 27 - Stacey Walker | 29 - Jorge Rhodes |
| 26 - Marie Lennon | 28 - Haris & Gusleine | |
| 27 - Wayne Neese | Domond | |

GIVING & ATTENDANCE
WEEK ENDED Jan 16, 2022

Weekly Actual \$
 Weekly Budget \$ 9,000
 Weekly Variance \$0
 4 Week Average Variance \$

Sunday Worship:
 Attendance in Building
 Attendance via views online:
 Sunday Morning Study:
 Attendance in Building
 Attendance via views online:
 Sunday Evening:
 Connection Group Attendance
 Wednesday:
 Attendance in Building/ Teens
 Attendance online:

Bible Study Times & Locations

Sunday morning classes:

Adults will gather in the Auditorium - Tim Neal
Singing Class -will meet in Classroom A8 - Joe Lennon
Cradle Roll will meet in the Training Room - Melissa Neal
2-5 year olds will meet in Classroom #2a - Nora Vitiello
K-3rd grades will meet in Classroom #7 - Susan Meulenburg
4th - 5th grades will meet in Classroom A-11 - Kristin Cipolla
Teens - meet out in the Teen House with Zak and Jordyn Dempsey

Sunday night:- See insert for locations

Wednesday night classes 6:30PM:

Adults - Auditorium - teacher - Jeff Blake
Ladies - Fellowship Room - Trustworthy - various ladies
2-5 year olds will meet in Classroom #2a - Susan Shelly
3rd - 5th grades will meet in Classroom A-11 - teachers Diana Travis
 & Pam Billingsby
Teens - Teen House - with Zak & Jordyn Dempsey

Our virtual options via Facebook & YouTube, @ the times listed above.
 We hope you will join us in one of these Bible study opportunities.

PRAYER SECTION

- Claude Haynes, June McCauley, Elvis Durity, & Scott Blake continue to have health challenges.
- Pray for the families affected by COVID-19.
- There are a couple families who have developed Covid over this past week. The Rimmer and the Macon families are self quarantining.
- Debbie Kendal is still having tests to determine her treatments.

Literacy Buddies

We are looking for 31 volunteers to become a literacy buddy with each of our VPK students. A literacy buddy selects a child and gives them a book 2 times between now and graduation in May. To help you get to know the student you have selected, they have written a letter with a few of their interest on it. Our students were very excited about the program. This program is usually an outreach of the Early Learning Coalition, unfortunately due to the current times the ELC couldn't get enough volunteers. After the student has received a book, they will write a letter to you. This will continue to show our children about giving. If you would like to have a student literacy buddy please email Becky theoffice@livingstonacademynaples.com by Feb. 1st, 2022.

Thank You!

We are very thankful for our Christian Brothers and Sisters. Thanks to your generosity, almost \$12,000 was raised for BenStell School. We will miss our family in Naples and hope that you come visit us in Ghana.

Ben and Stella Gyimah

Please Vote!

Gulfshore Magazine has announced that voting is open until Jan 30th for their annual "Best Of" contest. Please go to <https://www.gulfshorelife.com/best%2Dof%2Dthe%2Dgulfshore%2D2022/> then type in Livingston Academy under the Best Service - Daycare. Thank you for your support.

BOY, Oh Boy!

It's almost time for Massie (Massielle) & Miguel Taveras to welcome their little man to the world. Please help us shower them with love on Sunday, January 30th. We will be having a covered dish dinner / baby shower to honor the new family immediately following Bible study. They are registered at Target and Amazon

Co-Ed Wedding Shower

You are invited to attend a wedding shower honoring Barry "Baer" Brown and Caitlyn Grogan on Saturday, Feb 5th beginning at 1PM. Gift cards to bed bath & beyond, home goods, and travel websites are greatly appreciated. Please RSVP to Kathleen Brown 239-777-5283.

Children's Ministry Leader Needed

We're looking for someone (or perhaps a husband/wife) to oversee the children's education ministry. If you are interested in helping, please contact Scott Otey esotey@wcrw.net or 239-253-9640. Thank you in advance!

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Terry Billingsby: 423-943-8999
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 Scott Otey: 239-253-9640
 Hugh Travis: 239-450-1445

STAFF

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 Kathleen Brown: Office Admin

DEACONS

Jeff Blake: Adult Education
 Roberto Escobar, Jr.: Daycare Cmte.
 Alan Glazier: Worship
 Larry Menoher: Building & Grounds
 Drew Meulenberg: Finance
 Marc Rimmer: Benevolence
 Tom Wriggins: Missions

MINISTRY LEADERS

Dennis Coleman: Building & Grounds
 Haris Domond: Social Media & Ads
 George Fetzer: Security
 Scott Holden: Visitation
 David Wakeland: Involvement

LIVINGSTON ACADEMY

Becky Hartly Director

USA MISSIONS

Roberto Escobar, Sr. [Naples]
 Christian Home & Bible School
 Mauricio Yegros [Coral Springs]

GHANA MISSIONARIES

Amos, Anthony, Emanuel, Evans,
 Gideon, Jacob, James, Mark,
 Peter, Prosper, Valentine

WORSHIP SERVICES

*Streaming begins 2 minutes before the
 times that are listed below*

SUNDAY

Worship - 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
 Bible Classes - 10:15 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.
 Service in Spanish - 1:00 PM
 Evening Study - 5:30 PM

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes - 6:30 -7:30 P.M.

OFFICE HOURS

M, W, F - 10A.M. - 5:00 PM

Online Giving: 

SERVICE SCHEDULE

This Week

Welcome: Terry Billingsby
 Song Leader: Joe Lennon
 Preaching: Tim Neal
 Opening Prayer: Larry Menoher
 Communion: Scott Otey
 Servers & Ushers:
 Glenn Macon, Jeff Blake
 Scott Holden, Doug Blich
 Greeters: Faith B. Hannah Macon
 Closing Prayer: David Wakeland
 Computer: David Wakeland
 Sound: Roberto Escobar
 Media: Zak Dempsey
 Communion Prep: Amanda Coleman

Next Week

Welcome: Ben Gyimah
 Song Leader: Joe Lennon
 Preaching: Tim Neal
 Opening Prayer: Symi Neal
 Communion: Hugh Travis
 Servers & Ushers:
 Zak Dempsey, Bill Davis
 Tom Wriggins
 Greeters: Lisa Hare, Carol Hughes
 Closing Prayer: Barry Brown
 Computer: David Wakeland
 Sound: Eli Neal
 Media: Kathleen Brown
 Communion Prep: Pam Billingsby

Please meet in Classroom #11 10 minutes before services begin. If you are unable to serve, please call: Alan Glazier [Worship], Kathleen Brown [Sound]

MISSION STATEMENT

To Glorify God By:

Leading people to know God through Jesus Christ.
 Equipping members for ministry and spiritual service.
 Assisting members to grow in love, holy living and fellowship with the community of Christ.
 Declaring God in spiritual and truthful worship.

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