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## MINISTER'S MESSAGE

Other churches may be “slowing down” for summer, but we are shifting into overdrive! We plan for all sorts of things to be going on here all summer long, and I have no doubt that our Lord will make things happen that are “immeasurably more than we could ask or imagine”(Ephesians 3:20)! He has a way of doing wonderful things that we had no idea were coming!

Here are some things that, Lord willing, are coming and coming right now:

Josh and Ashley Cox and their children will join us in June! We are excited about the beginning of Josh's ministry to our teens and pray that dynamic and powerful things will be happening here, to God's glory!

VBS is June 3-7! LCC has always loved VBS, and Allison and her crew (a huge number of volunteers!) are ready to serve children and lift up Jesus! There will be Bible lessons, music, drama, crafts, food, and fun. Sign your kids and grand kids (and those in your neighborhood!) up.

Our Wednesday Night program will continue roaring along (with meals, activities for children, youth, and adults, Choir and Orchestra rehearsals, and our Grief Support Group) throughout June.

- We have some special messages coming in June! Our 1 Corinthians series, “*A Hot Mess > His Holy People*”, is continuing, but on June 16, Father's Day, Clark Creggar is planning to join me for a “Double Header”—I pray 2 preachers will be better than 1! And Josh Cox will be preaching his first message for us on June 24!
- Classic Sunday Night is coming at 5pm July 1! Terrific music, our all-time favorites, and we will have homemade ice-cream and hot dogs afterward! Can't beat that!

Join me in prayer, and let's all ask our Lord together on our knees to bring people in to hear the Gospel and have their lives changed as ours have been! Thanks for helping me share “Words of Grace”!

I love you all—thanks for being a part of LCC—

Tony

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by the **23rd of each month!!**

# SERMON SERIES

## MAY MESSAGES

### ***A Hot Mess > His Holy People*** ***1 Corinthians***

Our series from 1 Corinthians,  
Continues:

June 3: "1 Big (Un)Happy Family", 1  
Cor 6:1-8

June 10: "Past Tense!", 1 Cor 6:9-11

June 17: "My Body As a Sacred  
Place", 1 Cor 6:15-20

(Clark Cregger will be preaching with  
Tony on this one!)

June 24: Josh Cox, preaching his first  
message with us at LCC!

## Wednesday Menu

### JUNE

- 6 VBS
- 13 Hosted by Youth Group
- 20 Hosted by CTO
- 27 Hosted by Upper Room Class

### Pictorial Church Directory

Directories are now available.  
Black & White directories are in the  
Welcome Center and are free. If  
you would like a directory in color,  
which are \$2.00 each, please  
contact Kandy in the church office.

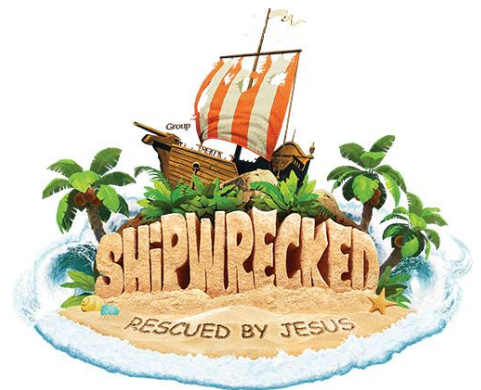


## Missions Spotlight



## NORTH GEORGIA CHRISTIAN CAMP

The mission focus for this month is North Georgia Christian Camp and Lilburn Christian Church's Vacation Bible School. Please remember all the children attending these events that seeds are planted and the those kids that may not have an opportunity to hear about Christ in their home has the ability to learn about our Savior and the blessings that come with knowing and having a relationship with Him. Please pray for these kids all this month that they have a desire to learn more about Christ. Please go to the website if you would like to sign our child or grandchild up for camp this year. Go to [Lilburnchristianchurch.org/kids](http://Lilburnchristianchurch.org/kids)





### Did you know .....

that LCC has a group of older folks (age 50+) that have been meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month for some kind of activity or outing for over 25 years???

This group is called the Goodfriends. We have gone to museums, botanical gardens, plays, movies, assisted living facilities, historical sites, etc... We have met together for game night, special speakers and good food. We have also done various service projects. We have laughed together, eaten together, and helped others. Most of our events are during the day; however, we have done events in the evenings, as well.

### Here is our plea.....

**Without participation and suggestions, this group will be dissolved.** Whether you are new to LCC or have been around for a while, we need your comments. If you are interested in getting together and being involved with this group on a regular basis, please contact Rosie Bengtson at 404-403-5765.

# *Interested?*

Any questions can be directly to:

Rosie Bengtson 770-978-7774 or 404-403-5765;

Glenda Middleton 770-614-5972;

Betty Hubbard 678-446-7926;

Janet Curtiss 540-819-3846.

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Children's Ministry of Lilburn Christian Church



We are gearing up for Vacation Bible School. June 3<sup>rd</sup> to the 7<sup>th</sup>. Please be in prayer for this. We are hoping to have 100+ kids for this event.

Sundays:

The Elementary class started a new series on loving each other. The toddler and pre-k to 1<sup>st</sup> grade classes are continuing their series on essential Old Testament bible lessons.

Wednesdays:

The pre-K to 5<sup>th</sup> grade classes are doing a series on Friends. Their Bible Memory Verse is:

"A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity." Proverbs 17:17

The toddler class is doing a bible alphabet series. Their Bible memory verse is:

" I serve God with my whole heart." Romans 1:9a





# LCC Music Ministry

When the Choir, Orchestra, and Tech Crew come together – amazing things happen, whether it's a worship service, a special program, or an evening of fun. An evening of fun is what we all had on Saturday, May 5 – when there was "Murder Among the Mateys." People dressed up like pirates, serving wenches, and townspeople to solve a "murder" that happened right before our eyes. We looked for clues, talked to lots of people to find out what they knew about the affair, and examined the evidence. We shared a meal with swashbuckling sides and dastardly desserts. Check out some of the pictures. A great big "thank you" to all who helped clean up. Many hands make light work, and it seemed like we were done in no time at all. And, thank you to Byron Davidson for taking all the photos.

It's never too late to join the choir, orchestra, or tech team to be part of the fun! Contact Dwayne Wylde or talk to any of our members. We would love to welcome you!

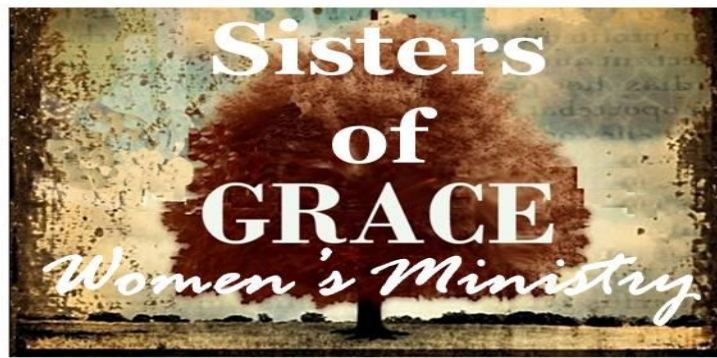


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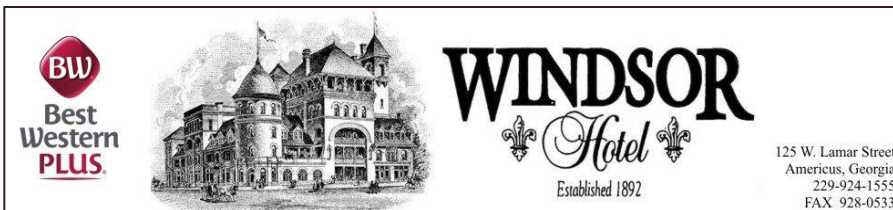
## B.A.S.H. (Book and Salad Hour)

July 16      Time to Embrace by Karen Kingsbury (Fiction)  
July 30      Hiding in the Light by Rifqa Bary (Non-fiction)

Books will be read ahead of time and discussed on the above dates. If you would like for Cathy Wade to order a book for you on Amazon.com, please let her know.

Book discussions will take place in the FLC at 7:00 pm. Sign-up sheets are in the foyer.

## Gal 's Get-Flray



The famous Windsor Hotel in  
Americus, GA  
September 28 & 29, 2018  
Watch for more information.

If you are interested in the Women's Ministries, or even if you're just curious, call:

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Pat Ferguson	770-466-5212	Dixie Grimm	404-932-5990
Betty Hubbard	678-446-7926	Pam Morgan	404-697-4293
Cathy Wade	404-867-6102		



# Prayer Requests

Geraldine Coleman  
Bob Collier  
Jim Gurr  
Jamila Coleman  
Russ Burchfield  
Barbara Johnson &  
Family  
Donna Anderson  
Diane Shelton  
Beverly Underwood  
Betty Hubbard  
Grace & Norah Nguyen  
June Strobino

June Strobino  
John Panuska  
Gensie McDonald  
Sandra Denton  
Augustus & Mary  
Lakpor  
Mary Huppuch  
Dorie Botteicher  
Jim Moore  
Loetta Benton  
Kathy Moore  
Mahmoud Sam  
Steve Simon & Family

If any of these listed on our prayer list need to be taken off, please contact the church office. We appreciate your help.

## **Betty Hubbard – prayer beeper number is 770-929-5114.**

Here is the message you will hear –  
Hello, you have reached the prayer beeper for Betty Hubbard. Please pray for physical strength to return and for complete healing after her surgery. Thank you for your prayers on Betty's behalf. Please press 1 and the # sign. Your prayer beep will be sent to her. Thank you.

**Join us in Welcoming our New Youth Minister and his family, Josh, Ashley, Judson, Memphis and Jenson Cox. Their first Sunday with LCC will be June 3.**



## Prayer Beepers:

**Prayer Beepers** – Did you know that LCC has several 'prayer beepers'? When requested, we assign one of the beeper numbers to an LCC member who is ill or needs prayer for a specific reason or time period. Basically, after assignment, we notify the congregation via e-mail with the name, beeper number and prayer request. When you pray for that person, you call the beeper number and it signals them. That way, they know someone just prayed for them. If you would like to receive a prayer beeper or just want more information about them, please contact Paul Bengtson. Many people who have used a prayer beeper in the past found great comfort and encouragement from them (even when they go off in the middle of the night!). Currently, we have three prayer beepers out.

## **Kevin, Grace and Norah Nguyen -prayer beeper number is 770-929-5115.**

Here is the message you will hear –  
Hello, you have reached the prayer beeper for Kevin and Grace Nguyen. **We are grateful that baby Norah has received a partial liver transplant. Please pray for complete healing for both Norah and Grace. Thank you for your continuing prayers on Norah's behalf.** Please press 1 and the # sign. Your prayer beep will be sent to them. Thank you.

## **Gensie McDonald – prayer beeper number is 770-929-5130.**

Here is the message you will hear –  
Hello, you have reached the prayer beeper for Gensie McDonald. She has been diagnosed with bone cancer in her lower back. The doctor is pleased with the treatment she has undergone so far. Please continue to pray for complete healing. Thank you for your prayers on Gensie's behalf. Please press 1 and the # sign. Your prayer beep will be sent to her. Thank you.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## June

3-7 VBS  
11 Lifeline Screening in the gym  
17 Father's Day  
24 CTO practice 2:00 – 3:30 pm

## July

1 Classic Sunday Night at 5:00 pm  
4 Independence Day Holiday  
8-13 Summer Camp for 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Graders at NGCC  
16 Ladies B.A.S.H. at 7:00 pm in the gym  
22 CTO at Antioch Christian Church, 5:00 – 7:00 pm  
24 Primary Special Election if needed  
30 Ladies B.A.S.H. at 7:00 pm in the gym



Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at Lilburn Christian Church on 6/11/2018. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit [www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle) or text the word circle to 797979**

## Every Week

### Sunday:

9:30 am Sunday School Classes  
9:30 am KUC Sunday School Class  
10:15 am Coffee & Fellowship  
10:45 am Worship Service  
10:45 am KUC Children's & WEE Worship

### Monday:

7:00 pm Men's Bible Study

### Tuesday:

9:45 am Ladies Bible Study – currently off for the summer

### Wednesday:

5:45 pm Meal  
6:30 pm KUC, CAYAC, C&O practice  
7:00 pm Adult Bible Study - **Balm from Psalms**

## CLASSIC SUNDAY NIGHT at Lilburn Christian Church

July 1, 2018

5:00 pm

**Favorite Hymns,  
Hot Dogs and Homemade Ice Cream**

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