

## MINISTER'S MESSAGE

Last year we scheduled Dennis Swanberg to come and speak for us during September. We envisioned a special time of bringing a lot of people together to hear the Gospel and be encouraged. Dennis is an uplifting speaker (who happens to be exceedingly funny!), and we planned to have him speak at a men's breakfast, and for church in the morning and come back in the evening for a night of inspiration and fun. We scheduled, we planned...Ahh, but circumstances said, "No!" Well, the pandemic is still around, but we are planning to have Dennis come and join us again! Pray for these events, and I hope you and your family will be able to come and join us. Dennis is coming, Lord willing, for a men's breakfast at 9 am on Sept 25; he will preach for us on Sept 26 at 10:45 am; and then on that night, at 5 pm, he will be here for a Church comedy night! If you need to be inspired, come and join us.

We have not been able to have our full Wednesday night program for a year and a half. And, due to our ongoing kitchen remodeling, we still are not able to have meals. But, now on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm our Choir and Orchestra are rehearsing, our Teen Youth Group is meeting, and our Children's Ministry is available for you to bring your young ones! More, at 7:00 pm we have an Adult Bible study meeting. And still more: we are forming a new Small Group for 20's, 30's, and 40's adults also at 7:00 pm! So join us on Wednesdays!

I am praying for a new series I plan to begin in September called "Becoming"! A last place baseball team got lucky and beat the team in 1st. A reporter followed the celebrating

players into the locker room, where one exuberant player shouted, "We ain't what we oughtta be, and we ain't what we gonna be, but thank God we ain't what we was!" Yes! God has saved us! And then...He did not intend for us to go back to the slop and mess we came from. He did not mean for us to continue to be mean and nasty and selfish. He has plans for us! A hope, and a future! A transformation! The caterpillar is supposed to turn into a beautiful butterfly. Now, of course, we cannot do this on our own. We shouldn't even try! We need resurrection power, Holy Spirit power, dynamic power from our Lord! And He intends to supply it. "Becoming"! He gives us word pictures all through the New Testament of what we will be as He changes us. This series will examine some of these beautiful word pictures. Our theme verse is Romans 5:2, where the Living Bible says, *"For because of our faith, he has brought us into this place of highest privilege where we now stand, and we confidently and joyfully look forward to actually becoming all that God has had in mind for us to be."* Don't you love that? We have small things in mind; God has big ones!

We're happy just to muddle through. God has in mind a triumph and rejoicing! We're not there yet, I know! But! By His power, we are **Becoming!**

Love to all of you. Thanks for your prayers and being a part of LCC!

Tony

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# SERMON SERIES

## New Sunday Morning Series: "Becoming"!

*For because of our faith, he has brought us into this place of highest privilege where we now stand, and we confidently and joyfully look forward to actually becoming all that God has had in mind for us to be. -Romans 5:2, LB*

Sept 5: "Fishers of Men", Mark 1:16-20

Sept 12: "Light", Matthew 5:14-16, Alex Aleman preaching

Sept 19: "Branches", John 15:5

Sept 26: Special speaker, Dennis Swanberg

## In Person & Online Services:

- Sunday School: 9:30 am for Adults, Teens and Children
- Sunday Worship : 10:45 am

## Wednesday Night Program

We hope to resume our meals soon! In the meantime, come on Wednesdays!

6:30 pm: Choir and Orchestra rehearsal

6:30 pm: Middle and High School Youth activities

6:30 pm: Children's Activities (drop off is 6:30 pm; activities begin at 6:45 am)

7:00 pm: Adult Bible study

7:00 pm: Small Group for 20's, 30's, and 40's

## Missions Spotlight



The AFE clinic has been a greater help to the community than they normally would be because of Covid. It provides daily care to the students of their organization and their families in addition to serving the population of the dump communities in a significant way. Dr. Victor Quintanilla is available on a daily basis to attend to all patients who enter the clinic seeking help and medications. They have a nursing assistant (who was an AFE Graduate) in charge of triaging those who enter the clinic for medical consultation with the doctor. They're constantly monitoring the students for illness, etc. to ensure a safe 2021 school year.

They are starting modified in-person classes and continue to give thanks to God for taking care of all the students and their families. Please pray that their school year will be without illness from Covid and that everyone will remain healthy.



TRASH  
MOUNTAIN  
PROJECT

## More memories as we continue to celebrate the 20th Anniversary of AFE





# *LCC Music Ministry*



Our Choir, Orchestra and Tech Teams are back in full force and now working on our Christmas music. Our plan is to have a “Victorian Christmas” this year. If you like to sing or play an instrument, now is a good time to get started with the rehearsals.

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## Hear Ye – Hear Ye

### **All Single Adults at Lilburn Christian Church**

Do you have any interest in joining a group of single adults in some fun activities, such as lunching together after church, going to concerts, movies, plays, or other events? A trip together to see the Ark in Kentucky, or a get-away to the mountains or beach?

If this sounds interesting to you, join us for an organizational meeting and FREE lunch on Sunday, October 17 in the Chapel after the service, and bring your ideas.

This includes all of our single adults: male and female, widowed, divorced, or never married.

We are not “match-making”, only providing for Christian fellowship!





On the August 13, Alex, Carrie, Colin, Faith and Richie took their sanity in their own hands as they braved the All Night youth event with our teens. The kids climbed Stone Mountain at night, played a game that had them running between the Youth Center and the FLC for 2 hours. Watched movies. Went to IHOP at 4 AM and spent time together, building relationships.

It was a fantastic event, and they all had a blast.





Children's Ministry of Lilburn Christian Church

We can't wait to see your children and grandchildren on Wednesday, September 1st for our kick-off for infants-5th grade. Please continue to invite children and grandchildren's friends, neighbors and classmates to join us. We are excited to see old friends and are ready to make new ones!



PLEASE JOIN US SEPT 1<sup>ST</sup> FOR  
**FUN. GAMES. PIZZA. & PRIZES.**



AS WE KICK OFF OUR WEDNESDAY NIGHT



LCC CHILDREN'S PROGRAM!!

**DROP OFF AT 6:30PM**

**6:45-8:00PM**

**AGES INFANTS -5<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS**



SIGN UP SHEETS WILL BE POSTED IN THE FOYER AND CHILDREN'S  
CHECK-IN COUNTER

FOR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT DEBBIE DYER AT 404-414-1872  
OR RACHEL SOLANO AT 404-819-0419

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### WEDNESDAY NIGHTS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

<b>SEPTEMBER</b>		
<u>SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup></u> <b>KICK-OFF NIGHT!</b>	PIZZA, KOOL POPS, GAMES AND FUN! WEAR PLAY CLOTHES, SUNSCREEN, AND BRING A TOWEL. <b>*IF RAINS, WE WILL PLAY GAMES INSIDE.</b>	LOOK FOR A TAKE-HOME SURPRISE NEXT WEEK!
<u>SEPTEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup></u> <b>THEME: "ROAD TRIP"</b>	<b>LESSON 1:</b> "WE OBEY GOD BY PUTTING HIM FIRST " EXODUS 20: 1-6, PSALM 19:7-10	REMEMBER: BRING A PRE-WASHED T-SHIRT WITH YOUR NAME IN PERMANENT INK ON THE LABEL FOR NEXT WEEK'S TIE-DYE PARTY. IF YOU HAVE AN EXTRA ONE TO BRING FOR ANY VISITORS THAT COME, THAT'D BE TERRIFIC! AND DON'T FORGET WE HAVE A TAKE- HOME SURPRISE FOR YOU!
<u>SEPTEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup></u> <b>THEME: "ROAD TRIP"</b>	<b>LESSON 2:</b> "WE OBEY GOD BY WORSHIPPING HIM" EXODUS 20:7-11, 32:1-14, PHILIPPIANS 4:8-9	YOU WILL TIE-DYE YOUR SHIRTS, THEN WE WILL COLLECT THEM, WASH THEM, AND RETURN THEM NEXT WEEK WHEN YOU COME.
<u>SEPTEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup></u> <b>THEME: "ROAD TRIP"</b>	<b>LESSON 3</b> "WE OBEY GOD BY LOVING OUR FAMILIES" EXODUS 20:12-14, MATTHEW 5:21-24, I THESSALONIANS 1:2-7	YOU'LL GET YOUR T-SHIRT BACK AND WE'LL TAKE A GROUP PICTURE!
<u>SEPTEMBER 29<sup>TH</sup></u> <b>THEME: "ROAD TRIP",</b>	<b>LESSON 4</b> "WE OBEY GOD BY LOVING EVERYONE" EXODUS 20:15-17, I THESSALONIANS 2:7-8	WE'LL SEND YOU HOME WITH YOUR COPY OF A GROUP PICTURE AND YOU GET TO SHOP IN *THE STORE!
<b>**THE LAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT OF EVERY MONTH**</b>		
EACH CHILD WILL GET TO VISIT "THE STORE" TO REDEEM THE POINTS THEY'VE EARNED FOR SPECIAL ITEMS THEY CHOOSE. HERE'S HOW KIDS CAN EARN POINTS:		
<div>ATTENDANCE ON WEDNESDAY- <b>10</b> POINTS EACH DAY</div> <div>ATTENDANCE AT SUNDAY SCHOOL- <b>10</b> POINTS EACH DAY</div> <div>BRINGING BIBLE ON WEDNESDAY/SUNDAY SCHOOL- <b>5</b> POINTS EACH DAY</div> <div>RECITING MEMORY VERSE ON WEDNESDAY/SUNDAY SCHOOL- <b>5</b> POINTS EACH DAY</div> <div>BRINGING A FIRST-TIME VISITOR ON WEDNESDAY/SUNDAY SCHOOL- <b>20</b> POINTS EACH DAY</div> <div>PLAYING HANDBELLS OR SINGING IN WORSHIP- <b>10</b> POINTS EACH TIME THEY PARTICIPATE</div>		





## Berkmar High School – Snack list to be collected through September & October:

Granola Bars	Fruit Bars
Power Bars	Bananas
Bags of small apples	Cuties
Bags of small oranges	Bottled water
12 oz. bottles of Gatorade	

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## ***ICE CREAM SOCIAL***

Big thanks for the jingle and commercial stars!!!

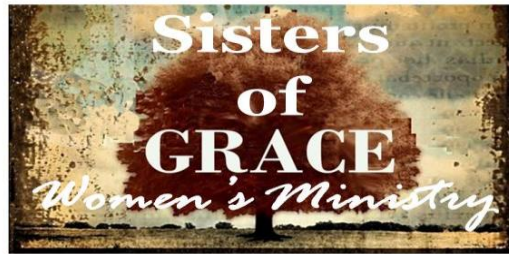
Let's eat ice cream, in the sun, when it is 90 degrees!!

Our extended fellowship on August 8 was hot but refreshing. It was good to talk to new faces and familiar ones.

Lots of hugs as we meet the new members and send a couple students off to college.

We need more time together as a family of believers!





## LADIES MYSTERY FUNDAY

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**

Be at the church no later than 8:45 am.  
Cost: 35.00 per person, includes lunch

**Sign-up Sheet in the Foyer**

Shhh....  
it's a secret

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**LCC's Ladies Christmas Party**

**Save the Date:**

**Thursday, December 9, 2021**

**Food, Fun, Craft Project, Door Prizes!**

**For those of you who don't drive at night,  
we will gladly help arrange transportation.  
Watch for more information.**

# Read Thru the Bible

## SEPTEMBER

1	Isaiah 38-40	Ephesians 5
2	Isaiah 41-43	Ephesians 6
3	Isaiah 44-46	Philippians 1
4	Proverbs 22:1-15	
5	Psalms 102-105	
6	Isaiah 47-50	Philippians 2
7	Isaiah 51-53	Philippians 3
8	Isaiah 54-57	Philippians 4
9	Isaiah 58-60	Colossians 1
10	Isaiah 61-64	Colossians 2
11	Proverbs 22:16-20	
12	Psalms 106	
13	Isaiah 65-66	Colossians 3
14	Jeremiah 1-2	Colossians 4
15	Jeremiah 3-4	1 Thess. 1
16	Jeremiah 5-6	1 Thess. 2-3
17	Jeremiah 7-9	1 Thess. 4-5
18	Proverbs 23:1-14	
19	Psalms 107-108	
20	Jeremiah 10-12	2 Thess. 1
21	Jeremiah 13-15	2 Thess. 2
22	Jeremiah 16-17	2 Thess. 3
23	Jeremiah 18-20	1 Timothy 1
24	Jeremiah 21-22	1 Timothy 2
25	Proverbs 23:15-35	
26	Psalms 109-112	
27	Jeremiah 23-24	1 Timothy 3
28	Jeremiah 25-26	1 Timothy 4
29	Jeremiah 27-29	1 Timothy 5
30	Jeremiah 30-31	1 Timothy 6

## OCTOBER

1	Jeremiah 32-33	2 Tim. 1
2	Proverbs 24: 1-16	
3	Psalms 113-116	
4	Jeremiah 34-36	2 Tim. 2
5	Jeremiah 37-39	2 Tim. 3
6	Jeremiah 40-42	2 Tim. 4
7	Jeremiah 43-45	Titus 1
8	Jeremiah 46-48	Titus 2
	Proverbs 24:17-34	
	Psalms 117-118	
11	Jeremiah 49	Titus 3
12	Jeremiah 50	Philemon
13	Jeremiah 51	Hebrews 1
14	Jeremiah 52	Hebrews 2
15	Lamentations 1-2	Hebrews 3
16	Proverbs 25:1-14	
17	Psalms 119:1-88	
18	Lamentations 3-5	Hebrews 4
19	Ezekiel 1-3	Hebrews 5
20	Ezekiel 4-7	Hebrews 6
21	Ezekiel 8-11	Hebrews 7
22	Ezekiel 12-14	Hebrews 8
23	Proverbs 25: 15-28	
24	Psalms 119: 89-176	
25	Ezekiel 15-16	Hebrews 9
26	Ezekiel 17-18	Hebrews 10
27	Ezekiel 19-20	Hebrews 11
28	Ezekiel 21-22	Hebrews 12
29	Ezekiel 23-24	Hebrews 13
30	Proverbs 26	
31	Psalms 120-124	

\* Proverbs are Saturday Readings

\*\*Psalms are Sunday Readings



**Dennis Swanberg**



**Free**

9/25 9:00am  
Saturday Men's  
Breakfast

9/26 10:45am  
Worship / Message

9/26 5:00pm Church  
Comedy Night

## **Free Event**

**Sponsored by Lilburn  
Christian Church**

**Guests will be admitted until seating  
capacity reached.**

**We do ask that you sign up for the Men's  
Breakfast to ensure we have enough food.**

**Contact us:**

**office@lilburnchristianchurch.org  
or call (770) 921-2993**

**There is a sign-up sheet in the Foyer as well.**

# Prayer Requests

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

Barbara Johnson  
Teresa Herring  
Loetta Benton  
Linda Proctor  
Glenda Middleton  
Juanita Hollis  
Terri Randall

The Cregger Family  
Joe Renshaw  
Connie Barefield  
Mary Fuschetto  
Shirley Blair  
Melissa Daniell  
Yvonne Daniell



**Nicole Ammons**  
8/8/21



**Eric MacLean**  
8/4/21



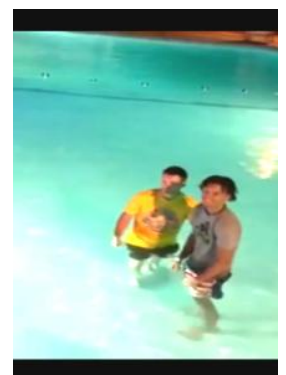
**Jaime DuPuis**  
8/5/21



**Ashley Knight**  
8/8/21



**Kennedy Wylie**  
at camp



**Brandon Cooper**  
at camp

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