

Dear LFTB Family,

Many times, we start a new year with a resolution. It usually has to do with making better decisions in the new year. Some resolve to eat better or to lose weight. Some choose to start or stop something in this new start of the year.

I want to take this opportunity to suggest a new resolution for all of us this year. It is to resolve to be more involved in ministry at LFTB. There are some that are reading this challenge that could say I cannot do one more thing at the church because I am already overloaded with church "stuff". But I can say that is not true of most people at LFTB.

If you want to help in any ministry of our church, all you have to do is ask. Ask someone at the Welcome Desk or ask me. We may not know who you need to speak to, but I can guarantee we can find out. All you have to do is ask.

God loves you and I do too,

Brother Dale



We do not pass an offering plate here at LFTB. Tithes or offerings can be placed in the little wooden church building. Thanks!

Please Pray For

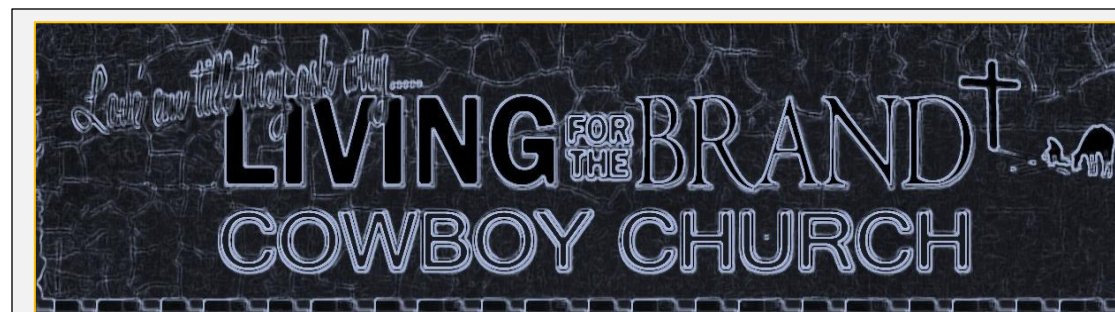
Brother Dale & Mitzi	Our Church
Our Deacons	Our Country & Military
Our President	First Responders
Faith Connections Ministry	The Farm
Solid Rock Global Ministry	Persecuted Christians
Eastham Prison Ministry	Israel
Ken & Joyce Hayes	Stan & Nan Burke
Kathy & Lloyd Thrasher	Bruce Moore
Steve & Dot Landis	Karen Laster
Mike & May Ann Jackson	Terry & Gary Douglas
Geneva & Ronnie Rudnick	Lonnie Traweek
Faye Burnett	Floyd Tarter
Rick Hendrix	Gary Baker
Kristi & Manny Fernandez	Kyleigh Fernandez
Cody, Conner & Collin Hancock	Mary Stutts
Kids, Grandkids & Great Grandkids	Jeri Moore
Don & Carolyn Rowell	Katie Milligan
John & Brenda Tarter	Billie O'Daniel
Faron Bostick	Richard Munn
Nicole Mitchum	Ronnie Atkinson
Megan Galloway	Mary Petite
Nan Saage	Steven Ward Family
John Mays	

Lots of Illness

ISRAEL

...an exciting study of the Holy Land
Capernaum: Jesus Binds the Evil One
(Benjamin/Capernaum, Israel)

Sermon Notes



January 14, 2018

Office Hours M-Th 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

(903) 675-9177

www.lftbcowboychurch.com

Weekly Schedule

Sunday Bible Study: 9:00 am – 9:45 am
Morning Worship: 10:00 am
Children's Church: 10:00 am (4 yrs. thru 1st grade)
Israel Video, Bible Study & prayer: 6:00 pm
Branded Kids and Youth: 6:00 pm

Tuesday Branded Seniors Game Day: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Exercise Class: 10:00 am
Grief Share: 5:00 pm
Arena Service: 7:00 pm

Wednesday Ladies' Bible Study: 10:00 am & 6:30 pm
Men's Bible Study: 6:30 pm

Thursday Agape Knitters: 9:30 am
Exercise Class: 10:00 am

Welcome Visitors!

Exchange your visitor card at the Welcome Desk for a bag of goodies.

Sunday Bible Study

Adult Discussion – Teacher: Jim Raleigh
Explore the Bible – Teacher: Jared Smith
New Members - Teacher: Stanley Burke
Upper Room – Teacher Clay Clark
Young Married Couples – Teacher: Art Pool

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Nursery – Babies

Mandy Hancock

TODDLERS 2 - 3 yrs. old

Teachers: Brenda Tarter, Sandy Hoffmeyer
Pre-K & Kindergarten

Teachers: Deb Scarbrough, Elaine Simmons

1st - 2nd grade

Teacher: Kristi Fernandez

3rd - 4th grade

Teacher: Tara Walzel

5th - 6th grade

Teacher: Freida Jones

7th grade thru college

Teacher: Rod Millsap

Ask at the Welcome Desk to be directed to the appropriate classroom(s). Loving Child Care provided during Bible study and worship.

Deacons:

Jeff Ingram, John Friman, Kenneth Hancock, Mickey Jones, John Lam, Art Pool, Kevin Proctor, Jim Raleigh, Terry Rhodes, John Sheets, Gerald Skiles, Jared Smith, John Tarter and Sam Walzel

Pastors:

Dale Perry - Pastor
Rod Millsap - Youth Minister and Associate Pastor

Office Staff

Wendy Brumit – Financial Secretary
Elizabeth Kellow - Ministry Coordinator
Debbie Scarbrough – Secretary

Mission Support

Livada Orphan Care, Solid Rock Global Ministries, First Crow Indian Baptist Church, Faith Comes by Hearing, Roever Evangelistic Assoc., Trails to Recovery, The Farm, Eastham Prison Ministry, Christian Appalachian Project, Fortress of Faith and The King's Rein.

Ongoing Ministries

NURSING HOME MINISTRY - 2:30 pm at Athens Health Care Center for the residents' birthday party on January 8th. See Cynthia Smith for details.

BRANDED SENIORS - TUESDAY GAMES (pot luck lunch)
10:00 AM-2:00 PM

GRIEF SHARE- TUESDAY @ 5:00 pm

TUESDAY NIGHT ARENA SERVICE - 7:00 pm

LADIES BIBLE STUDY – 10:00 AM & 6:30 PM

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY – 6:30 pm

AGAPE KNITTERS – THURSDAY - 9:30-11:30 am

MOVIE NIGHT – THIRD FRIDAY – 6:30 pm

SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP – SECOND FRIDAY - 6:30pm
Contact Elizabeth Kellow at 903-677-1535

HOSPITAL VISITATION TEAM - call the church office to join this important ministry.

PRAYER WARRIORS - call Steve Foster at 903-286-7948 to participate in this vital ministry.



ARENA MINISTRY

Meal and devotional on
Tuesdays @ 7:00pm.

Upcoming Events

January 19 – Movie Night – *Hoovey*

January 21 – John Cortino's Testimony

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Coming Events at Living for the Brand Cowboy Church

Business Meeting

Branded Kids

Tonight @ 6 pm.

Ladies' Bible Study

Ladies' start making plans to join us this Wednesday, January 17th, to learn about *Joseph: The Journey to Forgiveness*.

Study times will be at 10:00 am & 6:30 pm. Child care will be provided by calling the office, so your child's name can be put on the list.

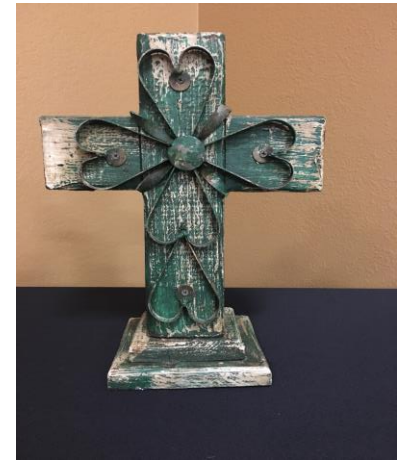
Movie Night

Friday, January 19th

Doors open @ 6:30 pm



Refreshments will be available



The first bid item for the New Year on our Arena Roof is this heavy wooden cross. Bid sheets are at the Welcome Desk. It won't be long before this project will be completed and will need lots of workers.

Opportunities to Serve

As we start the New Year be in prayer about where **You** need to serve within our church.

We have several areas you can assist in: Sunday School Classes, Children's Church, Branded Kids and Youth, Kitchen, Prayer Warriors and Hospital Team are just a few places where your help is needed. You may call the office for more details or speak to someone at the Welcome Desk.

Men's Bible Study

Men's bible study will resume this Wednesday, January 17th at 6:30 pm with their study on *It's Not Too Late – How God Uses Less Than Perfect People* by Tony Evans.