

Dear LFTB Family,

This week we will be celebrating the signing of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776. This morning I am delivering a special message entitled "Our Godly Heritage".

As we focus on the birth of our nation, let's take the time to consider the importance of our participation. History has proven that the mid-term elections have moved our congress away from the party that is occupying the White House. That is primarily because presidential elections bring out the voters and the mid-terms do not. The one thing we have, as an American citizen, is the "vote". It is more powerful than any congressional office, supreme court justice or president. It is the only way we have to make changes to the framework of our great nation. If you are not registered to vote, get registered. If you have registered, mark your calendar and get out and vote in the primary elections this coming November. Before you go, take the time to get on your knees and pray for Godly wisdom as you participate in one of the greatest privileges in the world.

I love you and God bless American,

Brother Dale

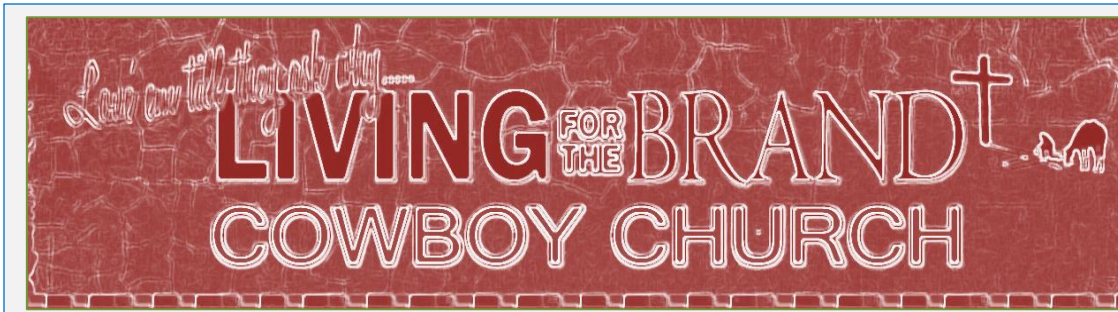


We do not pass an offering plate here at LFTB. Tithes or offerings can be placed in the little wooden church building. Thanks!

**Please Pray For ....**

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| <b>Brother Dale &amp; Mitzi</b> | 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 & Mary Ann Jackson         | Theresa Tindel         |
| Robbie & Larry Sims             | Eugene Jistel          |
| Rick Hendrix                    | Billie O'Daniel        |
| Faye Burnett                    | Kyleigh Fernandez      |
| Cody, Conner & Collin Hancock   | Ed McCall              |
| Ruby & Jesse Roberts            | Kay Holt               |
| Lori Hearn                      | Whittley Brown         |
| Boone French                    | Vnett Hall             |
| Brenda & Mike Newburn           | Kellie Kea             |
| Emma Routh                      | Roberta Davis          |
| Kris & Allen Jones              | Rita Green             |
| D.J. & Heather Washington       | Samantha               |
| Lonnie & Christine Rogers       | Marcus Bennett         |
| Mike Moore                      | Rita Green             |
| Barbara Miller                  | Chole Pickle           |
| Wanda Calton                    | Barbara Thompson       |
| Kelly Bailey                    | Jack Day               |
| Kelsey L.                       | Ashley Cornett         |
| Teressa Splawn Family           |                        |

*Sermon Notes*



*July 1, 2018*

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

**(903) 675-9177**

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**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 2<sup>nd</sup> grade)  
Bible Study & prayer: 6:00 pm  
Branded Kids and Youth: 6:00 pm
- Tuesday** ..... Branded Seniors Game Day: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm  
Grief Share: 5:00 pm  
Arena Service: 7:00 pm
- Wednesday** ..... Ladies' Bible Study: To Be Announced  
Men's Bible Study: Will resume late September
- Thursday** ..... Agape Knitters: 9:30 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

### 1<sup>st</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade

Teacher: Kristi Fernandez

### 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> grade

Teacher: Tara Walzel

### 5<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grade

Teacher: Freida Jones

### 7<sup>th</sup> 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 July 9th. 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 – TO BE ANNOUNCED

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY – Resumes late September

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

Join us on Tuesday at 7:00 pm for a meal and devotional followed by Roping.

### Upcoming Events

July 2 – Horsemanship Clinic

July 8 – Carter Blood Drive

July 8 – Business Meeting

July 9 – Horsemanship Clinic

July 11 – Playday - 6pm

July 12 – Barrel Race - 5pm

July 13 – Jackpot Roping

July 14 – Barrel Race

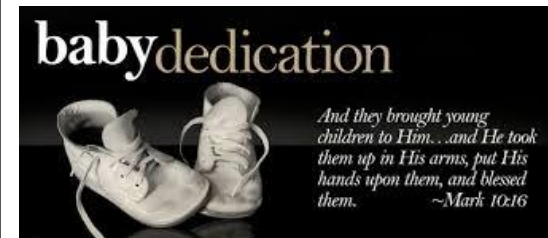
July 20 – Movie Night – *I Can Only Imagine*

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## Coming Events at LFTBCC



Please note office will be closed on Wednesday.



Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup>

If you would like to have your baby or child dedicated, please sign-up by Sunday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### Branded Kids

Please make note that Branded Kids will not be meeting during the month of July.

Be thinking about donating blood next Sunday, July 8<sup>th</sup> during our morning services.

8:30 am – 12:30 pm



### Timber Rattle Bowie Knife

Make a bid on these knives. Top bid gets to choose which knife they want. Next highest bid gets to go home with the other knife. Both bids will be applied to our Arena Roof Fund.

### Concession Stand Help

July 14<sup>th</sup> & July 21<sup>st</sup>

We are needing help in the concession stand on these two Saturdays. Please choose the date you would like to help. Sign-up sheets are at the table in the foyer.

### Horsemanship Clinic

If you are interested in learning about the basics of horsemanship come join us on Mondays at 8:00 am in the arena. For more details see Rita Husbands or Christine Rogers.