

Dear LFTB Family,

What Is A Mother?

Some where between the youthful energy of a teenager and the golden years of a woman's life, there lives a marvelous and loving person known as "Mother".

A mother is a curious mixture of patience, kindness, understanding, discipline, industriousness, purity and love.

A mother can be at one and the same time, both "counselor" to a heart sick daughter, and "head soccer coach" to an athletic son

A mother can sew the tiniest stitch in the material for that dainty prom dress and she is equally experienced in threading through the heaviest traffic, with a van or a pickup truck.

A mother is the only creature on earth who can cry when she's happy, laugh when she's heartbroken, and work when she's feeling ill.

A mother is as gentle as a lamb and as strong as a giant.

Only a mother can appear so weak and helpless and yet be the same one who puts the fruit jar cover on so tightly even Dad can't get it off.

A mother is a picture of helplessness when Dad is near, and a marvel of resourcefulness when she's all alone,

A mother has the angelic voice of a member in the celestial choir as she sings to a babe held tight in her arms; yet this same voice can dwarf the sound of an amplifier when she calls her boys in for supper or cheers them on at a game.

A mother has the fascinating ability to be almost everywhere at once and she alone can somehow squeeze an enormous amount of living into an average day.

A mother is "old fashioned" to her teenager; just "mom" to her third-grader/ and simple "mama" to little two-year old sister.

But there is hardly a thrill in life that can compete to pointing to that wonderful woman and be able to say to all the world, "That's was my mother!"

If you still have your mother with you today, take the time to say, "I love you". If your mother has already gone home to be with Jesus, take time to think about her and tell the Lord, "Thank you".

Happy Mother's Day, Brother Dale

Please Pray For

Brother Dale & Mitzi

Our Deacons
Our President
Faith Connections Ministry
Solid Rock Global Ministry
Eastham Prison Ministry
Ken & Joyce Hayes
Kathy & Lloyd Thrasher
Steve & Dot Landis
Mike & May Ann Jackson
Robbie & Larry Sims
Rick Hendrix
Faye Burnett
Cody, Conner & Collin Hancock
Ruby & Jesse Roberts
Amy Hutsko
Boone French
Allie Womble
Beverly Tibbet
Lynn & Dorothy Walker
Kenneth & Lea Munden
Kay Holt
Dakota
Brenday & Mike Newburn
Juan Martinez

Our Church
Our Country & Military
First Responders
The Farm
Persecuted Christians
Israel
Stan & Nan Burke
Bruce Moore
Karen Laster
Theresa Tindel
Eugene Jistel
Billie O'Daniel
Kyleigh Fernandez
Ed McCall
Hayden Smith
John Stanberger
Whittley Brown
Max Bolen
Jan Calvin
Jean Barnes
Kyle
Richard Pearce
Glenna Walker
Kellie Kea
Emma Routh



If you have a name you would like to add to our Memorial Day Wreath please bring it to the Welcome Desk. Please turn in by May 20th.



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



May 13, 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 2nd 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: 10:00 am & 6: 30 pm
Men's Bible Study: 6:30 pm
- 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

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 May 14th. 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 – WEDNESDAY 10:00 AM & 6:30 PM

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY – WEDNESDAY at 6:30pm

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

Roping is this Tuesday starting at 7:00 pm for meal and a devotional.

Upcoming Events

May 18 – Movie Night - *Wonder*

May 18 & 19 - Roping – Wayne Jumper

May 20 - Senior Recognition Day

May 24 – Barrel Race

No Sunday Night Service

Tonight, or May 27th

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“Happy Mother’s Day”

Movie Night Friday, May 18th

Doors open @ 6:30pm



Refreshments available

Ladies’ Bible Study

Come join us on Wednesday, at 10:00 am or 6:30pm to learn how God shaped some *Extraordinary Women* from the Bible.

We will also have a *VBS work day* right after the morning study, so bring your lunch and help get ready for this wonderful outreach to the children of our church and community.



Senior Recognition Day

Today is the last day to get your pictures in to Melody Millsap for Sunday, May 20th.

EXCEPTIONAL KIDS

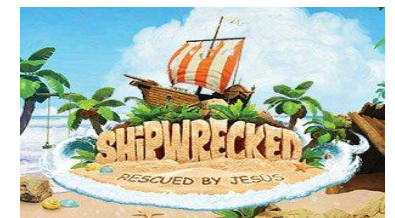
Mark your calendar for Saturday, June 2nd to come and give special needs children and their families a fun day on the ranch. No ranch experience required, just some play time and God’s love from our families here at LFTB. Sign-up sheets are in the foyer.



Patriotic Cross

Artist Debbie Caylor

This two-piece set can be a great memorial honoring someone you know, or you can dedicate one and keep the other for your home or office. However, you want to do it. Bid Sheet on the table.



It’s time for you to sign-up for our VBS Program. Our theme this year is *Shipwrecked, Rescued By Jesus*. Kids will discover how Jesus rescues us through life’s storms. Sign-up sheets are in the foyer.

June 11 – 15
6:00 pm – 8:30 pm