

# The Lord's Day

## July 5, 2015

Greetings and Announcements: Pastor Jon Christ  
Call to Worship: Celebration Choir  
Invocation:  
Worship:  
Tithes/Offertory: Church Musicians  
Doxology:  
Pastoral Prayer: Pastor Danny Janes  
Special Music: Curtis Kenchel  
Sermon: Pastor Danny Janes

Topic: **"Counting the Cost/Paying the Price"**

Scripture: 2 Sam. 24:18-25; Luke 14:25-34

Special Music: Ransom Paid  
Closing Prayer: Pastor Danny Janes

### Prayer Requests

Pat Anderson, Donnie Barham, Wayne Jackson,  
Robert Jones, Rachel Koontz, Edd Sebastian,  
Norma Simpson, Ralph Ward

**UPDATE ON THE DAVIS'**: Last Sunday, we shared with the Liberty congregation that Phil & Becky Davis (one of our missionary families) were at the 96% fundraising level, and were hoping to secure their visas and confirm their departure date to the Philippines as soon as possible. On Monday, June 29, Becky posted the following announcement on Facebook:

**THE BIG ANNOUNCEMENT**: We are officially cleared to leave for the Philippines on Sunday (July 5)! Although we'll be sorry to leave our family and friends here, we've been working toward this goal for a year now, and it's a relief to finally make it to the finish line. God has confirmed his call and supplied our need. We are grateful for the many people and churches that have joined us for this journey.

**TONIGHT**: This evening, we will be joining the congregation of the **Emmanuel Wesleyan Church** (3235 Yanceyville St., Greensboro) for a gospel concert with **Squire Parsons**. Service begins at **6:00 p.m.**, and *seating is limited*. The concert is **FREE**, but a **Love Offering** will be received. We hope you will join us!



**INDEPENDENCE DAY THANKS**: Again this year, we want to thank the *many people* who made our Community Independence Day Celebration a wonderful success – and outreach to our Summerfield community and friends. We want to thank:

- The **Liberty Wesleyan Men, Wesleyan Women, and Chicken Pie Ministry Team** for contributing the funds to **completely cover** the cost of the fireworks and food.
- **Kelly VanDyke** for purchasing all the fireworks.
- **Frankie Pegram** for purchasing food supplies for the Hot Dog Supper.
- **Pastor Jon Christ, Kristian Gwyn** (and LWC Youth) for preparing and serving the Hot Dog Supper.
- All the **ladies** who prepared chili, slaw, and other "fixins" for the supper.
- All the **homemade ice cream makers**.
- **Patrick Williams** (and team) for the excellent fireworks show – and clean-up following the show.
- The **Bethany Fire Department** for your presence before and during the fireworks.
- All who volunteered and gave donations.
- All who attended and invited friends and family.

**BAPTISM SERVICE**: Pastor Danny would like to schedule a baptism service sometime during the months of July or August. If you are interested in being a part of this event, please contact the pastor or sign-up on the sheet on the back hallway bulletin board.



### YOUTH CAR WASH

**Saturday, July 11, from 11:30am – 2:30pm** our Youth Group will be having a car wash to help with camp and convention expenses. While waiting for your car to be washed, the Youth will be providing ice cream in the FLC.

**LBA NEWS OF INTEREST:** On Sunday evening, June 28, the Liberty Church Board approved the following items of interest:

- Received report from Jeff Shropshire about Youth Room renovations. Painting done, new equipment installation progressing, project near completion.
- Confirmed final plans for Community Independence Day Celebration. Gratitude extended to Wesleyan Men, Wesleyan Women, and Chicken Pie Ministry for contributions to cover costs.
- Pastor Danny reported that plans for “Vision & Planning Retreat” will be finalized at August LBA meeting.
- Pastor Danny reported and extended gratitude to Liberty Wesleyan Women for contribution of **\$7,500** toward Family Life Center mortgage elimination. Approximate balance of mortgage is **\$110,000**.
- Confirmed plans for Hymnsmen Quartet concert, Sunday morning, July 19.
- Confirmed plans for Meadow Lane Trio concert, Sunday morning, August 23.
- Due to a lighter summer schedule, motion approved to cancel July LBA meeting.

**THE HYSMSEN QUARTET** will be here at



Liberty on **Sunday, July 19<sup>th</sup>** during the morning service. Please invite your friends to come and hear this amazing group.

**CONGRATULATIONS:** Last Sunday morning, our Wesleyan Men’s President, Jim Hall, presented the *Liberty Wesleyan Man of the Year Award* to **Jeff Shropshire**. This honor is voted on by the men based on: spiritual leadership, church involvement, marriage & family role model, and overall character. Congratulations, Jeff!

**FURNITURE WANTED:** Pastor Jon and the Liberty Wesleyan Youth are looking for some *quality* used furniture to help furnish the Youth Room. If you have any gently-used sofas and chairs you’d be willing to donate, please see or contact Pastor Jon (689-5524). Thanks!

## **BALLGAME RESCHEDULED**



Due to the cancellation of the Grasshoppers baseball game on Friday, June 19, the Liberty Wesleyan Men have rescheduled our church outing to

**Friday, July 24.** If you would like to attend this game, please turn your unused ticket(s) in to Jim for new tickets. You also have the option of using your tickets for ANY Grasshoppers game of your choice. Thanks!

**CHICKEN PIES:** Thanks to all who helped on



Tuesday morning of this past week! A fresh batch of Chicken Pies is now available. Large Chicken Pies (good for an entire family) are **\$9.00** each. Small

Pies (good for singles or couples) are **\$4.50** each. Please see: **Jennie Joyce, Ebbie Rierson**, or contact **Jo Ann James** in the church office (643-6968) to stock-up!

## **URBAN MINISTRY**



We are in need of someone to organize and/or prepare the food for Urban Ministry on **August 1.** It doesn’t have to be a big meal, but filling. If you can help, and get a team together, please call Mary Todd 643-6624 or the church office 643-6968 as soon as possible.

**WESLEYAN MEN’S MEETING:** Our next Wesleyan Men’s Meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, July 16.** We will be meeting for dinner at the **Olympic Restaurant**, in Colfax, at **7:00 p.m.** All men, youth, and young sons are welcome to join us!

**DEBT RETIREMENT DONATION:** On behalf of the entire congregation, we would like to thank the Liberty Wesleyan Women for their recent contribution toward the principle of our FLC mortgage. The Women’s Executive Committee recently approved a gift of **\$7,500** to be applied to eliminating our indebtedness. The ladies also approved two gifts of **\$500 to Native American Ministries**, and **\$500 to World Hope**. Thank you for all your *hard work* – and *amazing generosity*, ladies!

**SERVING CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH**

**USHERING, CAMPUS & TELLERS**

**July 05**

**S.S.** Larry Harward                      **Campus-** Frankie Pegram  
**A.M.** John Lindstrom, Larry Harward.  
          Jeff Shropshire, Ken Rierson  
**P.M.** Larry Harward  
 Tellers: Sue James & Jan Marshall

**July 12**

**S.S.** Jeff Shropshire                      **Campus-**Gary Rousseau  
**A.M.** Youth  
**P.M.** Jeff Shropshire  
 Tellers: Carla Sharpe & Johnnie Stacy

**July 28**

**S.S.** Ken Rierson                      **Campus-**Frankie Pegram  
**A.M.** Ted Kallam, Kelly VanDyke  
          Mike James, Robbie James  
**P.M.** Ken Rierson  
 Tellers: Larry Angel & Larry Harward

**July 26**

**S.S.** Larry Harward                      **Campus -** Jack Shropshire  
**A.M** Ralph Ward, Don Overman  
          Wesley Sharpe, Jeff Shropshire  
**P.M.** Ken Rierson  
 Tellers: Marti Hyatt & Christi Shropshire

**CHILDRENS CHURCH**

**Nursery (Birth - 2 years)**

July 05 Amy & Brooks Peterman  
 July 12 Kim & Jodie Patterson  
 July 19 Lisha Gibson & Amber Williams  
 July 26 Christi Shropshire & Jean Jessup

**Lower Elementary (3<sup>YRS</sup> – 5 years)**

July 05 Benita Lindstrom  
 July 12 Benita Lindstrom  
 July 19 Benita Lindstrom  
 July 26 Rosemary Kenchel

**Upper Elementary (1<sup>st</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

July 05 Benita Lindstrom  
 July 12 Benita Lindstrom  
 July 19 Benita Lindstrom  
 July 26 Virginia Kenchel

**ATTENDANCE**

<b><u>Sunday 6/28</u></b>		<b><u>Wed Night Svc</u></b>	
Sunday School	91	Adult	18
Morning Svc.	153	Youth	
Sunday Night	25		
		<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>

**Church Ministries for today**

Sunday School	9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship	10:45 A.M.
Choir Practice	5:00 P.M.
Sunday Night Alive	6:00P.M.

**Wednesday Night Service**

Adult Bible Study	7:00 P.M.
Youth Group	7:00 P.M.
Choir Practice	8:10 P.M.

**For Sunday, June 28, 2015**

Sunday School	\$46.00
Missions	\$12.00
Offering	<u>\$3,240.00</u>
Total Received	\$3,303.00
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Debt Retirement	\$210.00
Youth	\$376.50

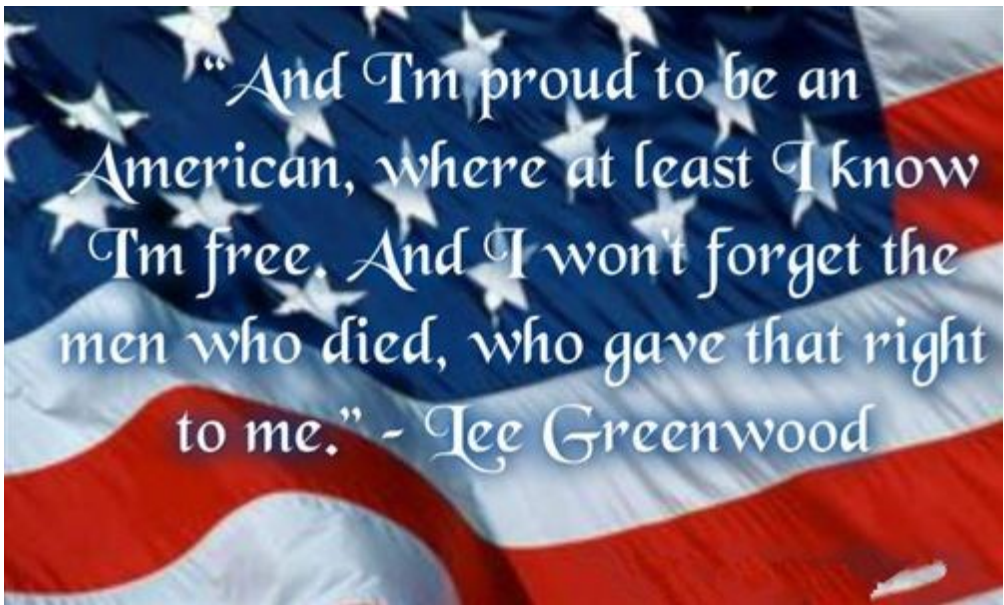
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Budget Conf Year 2015-2016	\$281,018.00
June 2015 - Budget Assigned	\$21,616.00
Weekly Budget Assigned	\$5,404.19
Amount Rec. 4 Sunday in June	\$16,818.39
Amt Rec'd as of June 28, 2015	\$41,858.15
Budgeted amount for week 09	\$48,637.71

**SUMMER STEWARDSHIP:** God bless you with a safe and fun summer of travel and vacations. Please remember that the ministries of LWC go on even when you are away. Thank you for remembering your stewardship commitment throughout the summer.



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*July 5, 2015*



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