



Welcome to East Lumberton

We gather today as children of our heavenly Creator. Please know that whoever you are and wherever you are from, you are welcome in God's house. May every heart be warmed by God's presence. Let us show love and kindness towards one another. If you are visiting for the first time, please stop by the welcome center in the vestibule to get a visitor's packet, so that we can get to know you better!

MINISTER ON-CALL

Monday-Rev. Roger Smith (423) 557-5515
 Wednesday-Dr. Tom Martin (910) 876-3462
 Tuesday & Thursday-Rev. Michael Bowen (910) 736-6170
 Friday & Saturday-Rev. Roger Smith (423) 557-5515

EMERGENCY PRAYER REQUEST

Melissa Humphrey (910) 416-0312
 If you have an Emergency Prayer Request and would like for your church family to be in prayer, please contact Melissa Humphrey.

Weekly Willing Workers

<u>VAN DRIVERS</u>	
10/30: Dale Davis (734-1255)	11/6: John Reaves, Sr. (736-0158)
<u>CHILDREN'S CHURCH</u>	
<i>Children's Church is provided for children ages 3 thru kindergarten</i>	
10/30: Whitney Hester, Kimberly Baker, Roger Smith,	11/6: Willie & Carol Britt, Kay Taylor
<u>NURSERY WORKERS</u>	
10/30: Claudia Cooke, Vicki Hendren, Dallas Ivey	11/6: Jeff & Jerry-Kelly McLamb
<u>DEACONS OF THE WEEK</u>	
Benny Gerald (740-5939) & Jay Willoughby (734-8208)	
<u>INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY</u>	
10/30: Nancy Dudney	11/6: Molly Horne
<u>FIRST IMPRESSION TEAM</u>	
10/30: Allison & Miranda Collins, Melissa Humphrey, Debby Bledsoe	11/6: Linda Galacia, Gail Lassiter, Pam Shooter

For your safety, please know we have a security team in place for all services.

Online Giving Building Fund

We have added a *Building Fund* option to our current online giving platform. Please feel free to utilize this method of giving.

SUNDAY MORNING

"When Jesus Passes By"
 Matthew 20:30-34

Theme: "Seek The Lord While He May Be Found"

- I. The Cry Of The Men (v. 30)
 - A. They Recognized Their Predicament (v. 30a)
 - B. They Recognized His Presence (v. 30b)
 - C. They Recognized His Passion (v. 30c)
 - D. They Recognized His Position (v. 30d)
 - E. They Recognized His Power (v. 30e)
- II. The Criticism Of The Multitude (v. 31)
 - A. Their Attempt To Silence The Men (v. 31a)
 - B. Their Attempt Didn't Stop The Men (v. 31b)
- III. The Compassion Of The Master (v. 32-34)
 - A. He Considered The Men (v. 32a)
 - B. He Called The Men (v. 32b)
 1. The Reality Of His Question
 2. The Reason For His Question
 - a. He Can Raise The Dead
 - b. He Can Revive The Diseased
 - c. He Can Remove The Demons
 - d. He Can Redeem The Doomed
 - C. He Cured The Men (v. 33-34a)
 - D. He Claimed The Men (v. 34b)

SUNDAY EVENING

Sanctuary Choir Concert

Birthdays Celebrations

Oct. 30th - Nov. 5th

30 th	Amber Nye Brooke Smith	Anthony Carter Jacoby Oxendine
31 st	Jennifer Bowen Jillian Scott	Noah Maningding
1 st	Pamela Shooter	5 th Carolyn Ivey
2 nd	Kyle Martin	Ashleigh Stephens
4 th	Lynda Britt	Austin Hester LeAnn Shooter

Upcoming Youth and Children Events

Monday, October 31st
 "Take Back the Night"



If you have any questions concerning any of these events, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.

Upcoming Senior (Silver Stars) Events

Tuesday, November 8th - 5:30 PM

Monthly Meeting * Chili Cook-off and Desert Bake Off
 Deadline to sign-up is Wednesday, November 2nd

Thursday, November 17th

Southern Living Christmas Show, Charlotte, NC
 Cost: \$14.00 per person (This is for Advanced tickets.)
 Deadline to sign-up and pay Wednesday, Nov. 9th

Tuesday, November 29th - 9:00 AM

Alabama Theatre Annual Christmas Show
 Cost: \$32.00 per person * Departing 9:00 AM
 Deadline to sign-up and pay Wednesday, Nov. 16th



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October 30, 2022

Church Theme for 2022:
 Mighty Men of God ~ 1 Corinthians 11:3

EAST LUMBERTON Baptist Church

Staff Directory

Senior Pastor Rev. Michael S. Bowen (910) 736-6170	Associate Pastor for Families Rev. Roger D. Smith (423) 557- 5515
Minister of Senior Adults Dr. Tom Martin (910) 876-3462	Worship Team Leader Mr. Matthew Horne (910) 734-4356
Ministry Assistant Ms. Janet Taylor	Worship Team Mr. Larry Cooke & Mr. Shon Anderson
Treasurer Ms. Carolyn Hedgpeth	Custodian Mr. Jeff Pait

8:30 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude Pianist
 Call to Worship "A Child Of The King"
 Invocation & Welcome Deacon of the Week
 Christmas Child Video
 Offertory Hymn "He Touched Me"
 Message in Song Larry Cooke
 Message Rev. Michael S. Bowen
 "When Jesus Passes By"
 Matthew 20:30-34
 *Hymn of Commitment "Where He Leads Me"
 Benediction Layman
 Postlude Pianist

11:00 AM BLENDED WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude Pianist
 Call to Worship "Shoutin' Time In Heaven"
 Invocation & Welcome Rev. Roger Smith
 Christmas Child Video
 Offertory Hymn "He Set Me Free"
 Congregational Song "When We All Get To Heaven"
 Message in Song Belinda Locklear and Alana Taylor
 Message in Song Sanctuary Choir
 "Even In The Valley"
 Message Rev. Michael S. Bowen
 "When Jesus Passes By"
 Matthew 20:30-34
 *Hymn of Commitment "I Need Thee Every Hour"
 Benediction Layman
 Postlude Pianist

Hymn of Commitment
During the Hymn of Commitment if you would like to talk with someone about salvation, join the church or become a candidate for baptism, our Pastors will be available at the front during this time.

6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude Pianist
 Call to Worship "I Came To Praise The Lord"
 Invocation & Welcome Rev. Roger Smith
Sanctuary Choir Concert
 "The Old Country Church"
 "Revelation Song"
 "At the Cross (Love Ran Red)"
 "Miracle in Me"
 Offertory Hymn "He Keeps Me Singing"
 "Look For Me Around the Throne"
 "He Want Leave You There"
 Soloist: Nick Stone
 "Midnight Cry"
 Soloist: Jay Willoughby
 "This Blood"
 Soloist: Belinda Locklear
 *Hymn of Commitment "Jesus Paid It All"
 Benediction Layman
 Postlude Pianist

REGULAR SERVICE TIMES

Today 8:30 AM Traditional Worship Service
 9:45 AM Sunday School
 11:00 AM Blended Worship Service
Wednesday 6:00 PM Evening Worship Service
 5:45 PM Family Night Supper
 7:00 PM Prayer Meeting
 7:00 PM Nursery thru Grade 12

Menu for November 2nd
 BBQ with fixings, Dessert & Drink
 \$4.00 per person; Free for Children under 6
 Maximum of \$20.00 per family
Please sign up in the hallway



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Baby Shower: Alana Taylor
 Everyone is cordially invited to participate in a Drop-Off Baby Shower for Derek, Alana and Deacon Taylor. We are asking you to drop off your gift or gift card at the table in the preschool area no later than **TODAY**. They are registered at Amazon and BuyBuy Baby.



Denim and Pearls Meeting

The monthly meeting of Denim and Pearls will be held on Friday, Nov. 4th, at 6:30 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign-up on the sheet in the hallway. All ladies are invited to attend.



Grief Share Support Group

We have begun a new session on Monday evenings, at 5:30 PM. Past participants are welcome to return and new participants are encouraged to attend. If you know someone that is hurting from a loss, please encourage them to attend. They do **NOT** have to be a church member, all are welcome. If you have questions, please contact Rev. Tom Martin.

Children and Youth Choir (Grades 1-12)

Children and Youth Choir (Grades 1-12) meets on **WEDNESDAYS** at 6:30 PM, in the Youth Department. If you have any questions, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.



Poinsettia



As part of "Christmas at East Lumberton", everyone will have the opportunity to buy a poinsettia in honor of or in memory of a loved one. If you are interested in participating, please complete a form which can be found at the welcome center. Return the completed forms along with \$17.00 to Jeff Pait or the church office no later than Wednesday, November 2nd. Our order has to be placed with the vendor and unfortunately, we will not be able to accept late orders. Make checks payable to East Lumberton Baptist Church.

New Wednesday Night Sermon Series

Pastor Bowen has begun a new sermon series, on Wednesday nights, on the 7 Churches of Revelation. Please join us for our mid-week service.



Operation Christmas Child



Our church is once again participating in Operation Christmas Child. Samaritan's Purse collects filled shoe boxes for boys and girls. Please pick up a shoe box and label today. Operation Christmas Child provides kids around the world with shoe boxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, school supplies and Gospel literature. Filled boxes should be returned to the church along with \$10.00 shipping fee no later than Sunday, Nov. 6th. If you have any questions, please contact Gwen Mishue, WMU Director.

Live Nativity Volunteers

We will have uniformed officers on site from midnight until 6:00 AM each night to protect our props. We need volunteers who will watch the scenes from 9:00 PM until midnight the nights of November 29th thru December 4th (Tuesday-Sunday). If you have questions or would like more details, please contact the church office or Pastor Bowen.



Free Christian Business Guide

During the next 30 days we will be updating our Christian Business Guide. We will be collecting information from church members who have an established business. This guide will include information about your business and the services you provide. If you would like more information about this opportunity or would like to participate or update information previously submitted, please contact the church office.

Part-time Custodian

We are currently looking for a part-time custodian to fill in when our custodian is out or on vacation. If you are interested, please contact Perry Dudley (258-4952) or the church office.

Celebration of Life: Junior Rogers

You are cordially invited to a Celebration of Life for Junior Rogers, late husband of Betty Rogers. This will be held on Saturday, November 19th, from 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM, Fellowship Hall.

