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LAKE RIDGE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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The members are ministers

Nate Alexander, Senior Minister

Spenser Carrell, Worship Minister

Tyler Harkness, Youth Minister

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Chris Pantle, Office Secretary

Sunday Worship Gatherings: 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Wuzzles & S.P.L.A.T. Zone 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Church office hours: Mon-Thurs. – 8am-5pm; Fri. – 8am-noon. Closed Friday afternoons

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Trunk R Treat

Date: Saturday, October 31st

Time: 5:00-8:00PM

Location: Pavilion behind the church building



Come join us for an evening of fun, filled with candy and food! There will be trunks parked around the pavilion behind the church and hotdogs, chips and hot chocolate provided in the Family Life Center!

Prizes for Best Trunk and Best Costume!!!

Daylight Savings time ends on Nov. 1 @ 2am.

Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour before going to bed.

*Christmas for Kids Holiday Bazaar
Saturday November 7 @ 10am-3pm in the Family Life Center
Sponsored by HIS Ministry*

**Collection Dates
November 16-23**

Pick up a brochure at the display tables.



Nate's News

We wrapped up our series this past weekend on the battle that we face on the spiritual level and we were called to "engage the enemy." I have been praying that those who came forward and took action will continue to seek God's guidance in what to do and how to do the engaging. Now we look forward to the next series where we will be looking at how we are blessed but sometimes miss how much God does bless us. "Grab a plate" each week and come ready to fill it up on God's goodness and delight in Him this thanksgiving month.

Ministry Responsibilities

CHAD CLINE – Head Elder, Youth

KERRY SIMPSON - Stewardship Ministry, Faith Promise, Men

J.P. PIPER - Missions Ministry, Technology Ministry, Women

BRENT PITTS - Worship Ministry, Small Groups, Guest Services

GREG HENSON – Interior Maintenance, Outside Building & Grounds, Transportation, Children, Sr. Adults

B.J. FESSANT – Outreach, Community Kitchen, Funeral Dinners, Health Ministry

LENNIE ERWIN - Prayer Team, Homebound, Telecare, Sunday School

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Richard Bennett – Interior Maintenance

Jeremy Brewington - Youth

Ron George - Stewardship

Chris Gher - Men

Mark Gladding – Small Groups

Justin Hays - Technology

Dirk Haddix - Outside Building & Grounds

David Howard – Outreach

Gene Justice - Guest Services

Daniel Mooneyham – Worship

Michael Ritchey - Interior Maintenance

Darin Tevebaugh - Children

BAPTISMS AND NEW MEMBERS

We'd like to welcome 4 new members with 3 of them receiving baptism all on Oct. 25.

Babbie Dillon was baptized and joined the church. She lives at 4827 IL Hwy 1, Paris. Babbie works at NAL.

Shawn Lorange also was baptized. He lives at 6070 IL Hwy1, Paris and works at Midwest Restoration.

Shirley Lorange was baptized and lives at 720 E Court St. Unit 6, Paris.

Mike Davis had his membership transferred. He lives at 644 E Court St. Unit 31, Paris and works at Paris Walmart.

God bless each of you and welcome to the Lake Ridge family.

PRAYER CONCERNS Please pray daily for those listed. We ask that you copy these requests onto your own private list for two weeks. Remember: "The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." James 5:17 – Our military, the homeless, missionaries, Abigail Alexander & family, jobs to come to Paris, the government leaders, Nate, Spenser, Tyler, Sarah and families, Ryan Taylor, Sue and Chuck Liffick, Susie Mathews, Ron Bouslog, Ron George, Brad Payne, Marilyn & Verne Bear, Mamie Boyer, Maggie, Mary G., Naomi, Mary B., Ann, Ron & Diane Stewart, Jane Furry, Chad McLeod, Linda Bar, Jim & Donna Ingle, Dale & Marion Pate, Bob & Rosemary Linton, Leanna Reedy & family, Janice, Charlene and Laura Aydelotte, safety for the farmers & those in ag related jobs, Lydia McIntosh, Linda Barr, Ron Strow, the family of Beverly Higginbotham, Faith Promise commitments, Kara, Jan Knuth, Don Robison, 96 unspoken

tyler's tidbits

Oct 31 - Trunk R Treat: Youth will be helping with serving food

Nov 1 - Youth Sunday: Youth will be involved in the whole service

Nov 1 - High School Engage: Youth Group will start at 5:00pm instead of 5:30 pm. We will be meeting at Tyler's house (607 Marshall) where we will be fixing tacos together. When youth group ends at 7:30pm high school students are welcome to hang out to watch the Broncos vs. Packers on Sunday night football.

Nov 7 - Rake N Run: The youth group will be having a service project where we will be helping people clean up their yards. We will meet at the church at 10am and go 'till we are done which could be as early as noon but no later than 3:00 pm. Lunch will be provided. Grab a rake and join us.

Nov. 14 – Middle School Hang out at Tyler's house (607 Marshall) at 7-10:00pm

Nov 15 - High School Engage: This will be the last time we meet for youth group until Jan. 10.

Nov 18 - Jr. High Encounter: This will be the last time we meet for youth group until Jan. 6.

I have issued a Bible reading/prayer challenge to all the youth to read 30 chapters and pray for at least a minute when reading within a month (you are allowed to make up a day if you miss a day), and as a bonus challenge to read at least 1 chapter/pray for 1 minute a day for 21 days straight (without missing a day). We will be having a party at the end of the school year for

all students that complete this challenge. Once the challenge is completed please turn in a slip of paper from a guardian notifying me which of the two challenges has been completed.

Sarah's Synopsis

I want to say thank you to everyone who has donated candy or money for Trunk 'R Treat! It is a great help as we get ready for this weekend! I cannot wait to see all the different trunks and how we can serve the community by providing a safe and friendly environment for the kids!

Christmas is right around the corner now as we enter the month of November! This means that Operation Christmas Child is in full swing. There are displays set up around the church where you can pick up a brochure and some boxes! These boxes will be sent to children all over the world. The Children's Ministry is going to have a packing party with the goal of packing 100 boxes on Nov. 17. If you are interested in donating items or money please contact me!

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

COON HOLLER KIDS! If you missed last Tuesday's Brotherhood at LRCC, well, you missed a stage full of talent and our own Bell Choir! What a package of good Christian entertainment! The Brotherhood Secretary/Treasurer announce that Pleasant Hill Christian Church requested; to no longer host the "September, Brotherhood Meeting!" Due to the unpredictable winter driving conditions in January, Kansas Christian Church agreed to host the future September meetings, and the Brotherhood Executive officers eliminated the January meetings from our annual schedule. We will be going to Brocton Christian for Brotherhood on November 17th.

Our 10:30 Tues. morning "Senior Moments Bible Study/Social Hour" will be studying chapters 24, & 25 in the Book of Genesis on Nov. 3rd. Lots of good discussion, hot coffee and deserts of some sort! Erlene is in charge of social hour; my mission is to pass out Bible food for thought! Every one of us come to passages in our Bible that we find confusing or don't understand, therefore, if we don't share thoughts with one another, and talk to God; will we ever know? The Big Wheel of Life continues to turn—for one revolution!

We have reserved 16 tickets at \$42.00 each for the Beef House Dinner Theater show, on Saturday, Dec. 19th. Due to unpredictable

winter weather, we will be attending the 2pm (Easter Time) **MATENEE** performance to avoid night-time traveling. Leave your cash/checks payable to Gene Calvert with Chris in the church office, ASAP. We look for an early sell-out!

"Direct me in the path of your commands, for there I find delight." Psalm 119:35. The Pope has it right, "Pray for us!" Semper Fidelis

College Care Packages

The Women's Ministry will be putting together care packages for our college students. If you would like to contribute to this effort, we will be collecting 'goodies' until Nov. 15th. We have a list of 26 students this semester!

Baskets will be located in the front Foyer and Family Life Center hallways. Goodies can consist of candy, chips, gum, small trinkets or anything a student might like to have as they prepare for their final exams.

Monetary donations can also be made thru the church office for the purchase of gift cards. If you are the family of a student, please make sure the church office has your student's shipping address on file for them.

Christmas for Kids Bazaar

Nov. 7th at Lake Ridge, Time: 10am until 3pm. Various vendors and bake sale plus food for sale. Come share in the fellowship and buy your Christmas gifts and decorations early. We have much more to do and much that is being done. Pray for us as we strive to do His will. We expect to serve well over 650 Children this year in Edgar County through Christmas for Kids! Thanks!!

THANK YOU, Lake Ridge family and friends, for supporting the annual Faith in Action Spaghetti Dinner and Auction. Whether you donated garlic bread or an auction item(s), volunteered at the event, made a bid on an auction item(s), was a lucky bidder, came for a carryout(s) or dined with us, your efforts were appreciated. If you attended the event, we hope you enjoyed the evening. A special thanks to Lake Ridge church for the use of the Family Life Center and kitchen. Net proceeds from the FUNraiser amounted to \$4,200. Many people in Edgar County will be blessed by your generosity. Thanks from FIA and God bless!

Nila Nugent & Katie Marlowe

If you do not wish to continue to receive the Ripple or post cards or have an address change, please contact the office at 217-465-5614 or email us at office@lakeridgechurch.org before the next Ripple goes out. Please let us know as soon as possible so that the church is not charged \$.49 by the postal service to get your new address. Thank you.

PARIS COMMUNITY PRAYER BREAKFAST

The 22st Annual Prayer Breakfast will be held on Saturday Nov. 7 at 8am at the KC Hall. This is sponsored by the Paris Ministerial Fellowship. Michael Imhoff, a retired U.S. Navy Commander and a former Navy SEAL will be the speaker. Tickets are available from Linda Hancock.

November Birthdays...

- 1 - Colette Haddix
- 2 - Jim Taylor, Bob Albers, Kelsey Keller, Austin Lamb
- 3 - Terra Fancher, Mark Pitchford, Alexa Sitkiewicz
- 4 - Mary Burba
- 5 - Brenda Lorange, Cody Myles, Blaise Davis
- 6 - Kathy Padgett, Drew Harper, Samantha Heidemann
- 7 - Bethany Sherrell
- 8 - Patty Berry, Tyler Hannah
- 9 - BJ Fessant
- 10 - Erlene Calvert, Jeremy Gorman
- 11 - Jessica Overton
- 13 - Mary Lou Erwin, Jeff Bennett
- 14 - Tyler McCall, Devon Kindred, Linda White
- 15 - Chloe Boren
- 16 - Melodie Elston, Mackenzie Lambert
- 18 - Shawn Simpson, Grace Hall
- 19 - Michael Ritchey, Karen Brown, Willow Entrican, Dalton Hughes
- 20 - Chris Ike, Davis Hale
- 21 - Joan Stroot, Megan Sexton, Lexie Fiscus
- 22 - Michelle Jacobs, Samantha Wombles
- 23 - Kelly Utterback, Denise Howard, Shirley Lorange
- 24 - Andrea LeLoup
- 25 - Linda Hancock, Justin Cary, Lindsay Griffin
- 26 - Loretta Davis
- 27 - Eddie Henson
- 29 - Alex Stewart, Michelle Haddix
- 30 - Gerald Meeks, Sarah Milburn

Anniversaries...

- 3 - Phil & Sharon Dyer
- 4 - Tony & Judy Alexander
- 7 - Gene & Janet Justice
- 8 - Gary & Jean Daniels
Cody & Noel Jewell
- 9 - Mark & Holly Winans
- 11 - Jerry & Renee Blumthal
- 12 - John & Marjorie Sims
James & Kim Stewart
- 24 - Tim & Dawn Kirby
- 27 - Jim & Kay Taylor
- 28 - Greg & Sheri Henson
Dick & Katie Marlowe
- 29 - Cliff & Nicole Gale
- 30 - Richard & Brenda Cole

Please notify office of additions or corrections



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Nov. 1 - Youth
Sunday
Nov. 2 @ 7:15pm -
Prayer Team Mtg.
Nov. 7 @ 9:30am -
Mom's Group
Nov. 8 @ noon -
Children's Ministry
Mtg.
Nov. 9 @ 6pm - W.I.G.
Ministry Mtg.
Nov. 10 @ 9am -
RIPPLE DEADLINE
Nov. 11 - VETERAN'S
DAY
Nov. 12 @ 6pm -
Stewardship
Ministry Mtg.

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November 2015 SERVING SCHEDULE

Date	Greeters 8:00	10:30
1	Youth	Youth
8	Dick & Katie Marlowe	David & Karla Gorman
15	Terry & Bev Weger	Ron & Nila Nugent
22	Steve & Carol Winkler	Brad & Becky Redmon
29	Michelle Walden & Susie Sisson	Carol Heischmidt & Renee Blumthal



Date	8:00 Prayer Room	10:30	Date	8:00 Communion Meditation	10:30
1	Gary & Linda Hancock	Doug & Betsy Mace	1	Youth	Youth
8	Greg & Sheri Henson	Bill & Deanie Clark	8	Ron Stewart	JP Piper
15	Naomi Payne & Susie Essinger	David & Judy Hale	15	Richard Bennett	David Gorman
22	Randy & Sandy Colter	Todd & Shelly Harper	22	Lennie Erwin	BJ Fessant
29	Pat & Kathy Padgett	Dick & Donna Brinkley	29	Dennis Kelsheimer	Brent Pitts

Date	Communion to the Sick	Date	AA Cookies
1	Chad & Justin Hays	10/30	Heather Dean
8	JP Piper & Daniel Mooneyham	11/6	Barb Marshall
15	Dick & Katie Marlowe	11/13	Bev Weger
22	BJ Fessant & Michael Ritchey	11/20	Jan Nebergall
29	Brent Pitts & Jeremy Brewington	11/27	Bev Whitkanack

REMINDER:

If there is a conflict with your Ministry time, please find your own replacement to fill in for you. We want to ensure all Sunday morning ministries are covered each week. Thank you for serving!

Date	8:00AM	NURSERY SCHEDULE	10:30AM
1	Patti Milburn & Pricilla Clark	I – Stephanie Doran & Nicole Gale T – Greta Pitts & Mindi Milner	
8	Laura Pitts	I – Shawn Simpson T – Dick & Donna Brinkley	
15	Brenda Rhoads & Elaine Good	I – Karla Gorman T – Elaine Good, Carol Cline, Lydia Switzer	
22	Lisa Rigdon	I – Sherryl Inman, Michelle Haddix T – Josh & Ellyn Andrews	
28	Tammy Bennett	I – Nila Nugent & Karen Littleton T – Mary Johnson	

NOVEMBER	8:00	10:30	Faith Promise – September Promised Monthly goal - \$275.83	
Communion Coordinator	Lennie Erwin	Chris Gher	Actual Monthly	\$2,510.00
Communion Preparation	Crystal Hays		YTD Commitment	\$2,758.30
			Actual Income YTD	\$25,377.00
			Difference	\$+22,6218.70

FACTS & FIGURES

Attendance	Sunday School	8:00	10:30	Total	General Budget needs \$8,968.38	Missions	Building	Expenses for the week
9/27	109	105	208	313	6,581.13	199.00	50.00	17,063.74
10/4	47	99	209	308	7,578.83	797.00	80.00	5,422.12
10/11	108	112	268	380	10,119.56	1,086.00	-0-	6,193.41
10/18	96	116	224	340	7,571.62	904.00	80.00	6,762.29
10/25	96	112	220	332	4,406.13	884.00	-0-	N/A