April 14, 2024

ORDER OF SERVICE

Nursery is available for ages 3 and under. Located through back door of sanctuary.

"O Worship the King" Psalm 10

Welcome/Call to Worship Tim Hewitt

"O For A Heart to Praise My God" Hymn 440

"Grace Greater Than All Our Sin" Hymn 201

Special Music

Pastoral Prayer

"Lead On, O King Eternal" Hymn 483

Scripture reading: 2 Samuel 1:1-19

Bob Glidden

Sermon: How the Mighty Have Fallen! — 2 Samuel 1:1-27

Pastor Jerry Scheumann

"Lo He Comes with Clouds Descending" Hymn 241

Benediction

You can worship in giving by putting your gift in the offering boxes placed at the front and back of the sanctuary.

For information about our church, video recordings and other resources, please visit www.ludlowbaptist.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer Requests For Pastoral Prayer

If you have a prayer request for this morning's pastoral prayer, please fill out a card from back table and give it to the pastor. You can also go to our church website, www.ludlowbaptist.org, on our "Get in Touch" link or share at our weekly Wednesday prayer meeting. You can also contact Molly Williams at (802) 353-5641.

Today's Fighter Verse

"—and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus." —Ephesians 2:6-7, ESV

This Week's Fighter Verse

"For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them." —Ephesians 2:8-10, ESV

Quarterly Church Business Meeting

The quarterly business meeting of the church will be held <u>today</u>, after the morning service. The agenda will include two proposals for amendments to the church by-laws. You may read those potential amendments on either bulletin board. All church members are encouraged to attend. There will be a potluck luncheon after the morning service, followed by the business meeting. All are invited!

Evening Worship Service

Due to the quarterly church meeting, there will be no evening service.

Church/Parsonage Workday

Thinking Spring! Please note the following dates: Elderly-In-Need Workday: Saturday, April 20, 08:30-? Breakfast at 8:00 am for those participating. Church workday: Saturday, May 18, 08:30-? Weather Permitting. Come one, come all. Breakfast at 8:00 am. Contact Bud Trimboli with your needs.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS - CONTINUED

New Adult Sunday School Study

Starting Sunday, April 21, we will begin a 15-week study entitled 'Marks of a Healthy Church.' Here's a summary of this class: 'The church wasn't our idea—it was His. Jesus established the church as the natural arena for our spiritual growth, and our health depends on it. In this series, Dr. Mark Dever and Dr. Jonathan Leeman survey the marks of a healthy church, where we are called to display God's glorious character in unity, holiness, and love. We can't do it alone.'

VBS Planning Meeting

The time to begin preparing for VBS is here, and we NEED lots of helpers! Would you consider serving the Lord in this unique ministry to children? If you're interested in seeing where you could fit in, or if you just want more information, please join us for a meeting after church next Sunday, April 21. Our goal through VBS is to proclaim the gospel to the young people in an effort to raise up the next generation of individuals who love the Lord with all their heart, soul, mind, and strength. Thank you!

Psalm 117 Fellowship

In Psalm 117, we are called to praise God together: 'Praise the LORD, all nations! Extol him, all peoples!' Come join us on Sunday, April 28th at 6 p.m. for an area-wide gathering of evangelical churches for an evening of praising the Lord together. There will be an hour of contemporary and traditional songs, congregational readings, and a few brief messages centered on "Victory in Christ." Afterward, we will have refreshments and an extended time of fellowship.

Church Cleaners Needed - *AMENDED*

As the coordinator for the church cleaners, I'd like to invite you to join the church cleaning ministry. We need to replace 2 cleaners who aren't able to clean any longer. MEN or WOMEN! Right now we have 6 partners who rotate and clean every 12 weeks. It takes about 1-1/2 hours per person, per cleaning. Please contact Abi Karner if you are able.