Sunday, April 2, 2023

- 9:00 a.m.: **Worship Service. Nursery [birth through 36 months]. Sunday School classes for preschoolers through adults.
- 11:00 a.m.: **Worship Service [the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service will be live streamed]. Nursery [birth through 36 months]. Preschool Church for children 3-5 yoa. Children's Church for kindergarten through 5th grade.
- 12:30 p.m. Easter Choir rehearsal will be held in the Youth Room.
- ⁺A Children's Activity Page to accompany this week's sermon will be available.
- *This morning's song selections are Hosanna (Praise is Rising), Behold Him, See a Victory, and Hosanna (Hillsong). [Song selection is subject to change.].

This week at Lazy Mountain Bible Church:

Monday, April 3rd:

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting will be held in the church lobby.

7:00 p.m. A Missions Committee meeting will be held in the Church Office basement.

Tuesday, April 4th:

7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group will be held in the Youth Room.

Wednesday, April 5th:

5:15 p.m. Dinner will be served for the Awana Families.

6:00 p.m. Awana children's program for children up to 5th grade. Nursery and preschool spots are based on availability. Children need to be preregistered. Awana is held at the church. Wear polka dots and stripes.

6:15 p.m. Middle School Youth will be held at the church in the Youth Room.

6:30 p.m. A men's Bible study is held in Outbuilding #2.

Thursday, April 6th:

7:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship will meet at the Valley Hotel.

7:00 p.m. A meeting of the Deacons will be held.

Friday, April 7th:

<u>6:00 p.m.</u> A Good Friday Worship Night will be held in the Sanctuary. Communion will be served during this service.

Upcoming Events:

Easter Services: A Good Friday Worship Night will be held on Friday, April 7th **at 6:00 p.m.** [Please note the correction to the time for the Good Friday Service.] On Sunday, April 9th, there will be three Easter services held. The services will be held at 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 11:30 a.m. and the services will be identical in content.

Baptism Sunday: Baptismal Services are planned for Sunday, April 16th, during the worship services (8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., or 11:30 a.m.). Individuals who wish to be baptized are asked to attend a Baptism Class with Pastor Jason on Wednesday, April 12th at 6:00 p.m. in the Office Basement. Sign up at https://lzymtn.churchcenter.com/people/forms/150280.



Use this QR Events Code to access information concerning the events held at Lazy Mountain Bible Church.

Children's Ministry is led by Hannah Thompson, Children's Ministry Director. Phone/text (208)740-0804 or email, hannah@lzymtn.com.

Sunday Schedule for Children's Ministry:

- 9:00 a.m.: Nursery [birth to 36 months], Sunday School for 3 years old through 5th grade.
- 11:00 a.m.: Nursery [birth to 36 months], Preschool Church [3-5 yoa].
 Children's Church [kindergarten through 5th grade].

Children's Ministry Needs: Nursery First Service Helper, Nursery Second Service, Awana rovers to listen to verses and Nursery. Substitutes for all areas (Sunday School, Children's Church, Awana, and Nursery).

Awana is a program for children up to 5th grade. Children need to be preregistered. Nursery and preschool spots are based on availability. Awana meets on Wednesdays, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Dinner is served, 5:15-6:00 p.m., with a suggested donation of \$2 per person, \$10 per family.

Youth Activities are subject to change, please check on Facebook at lazyyouth_LMBC or Instagram for the most up to date information. On the Remind App, text 81010 @lazyy to receive communication concerning lazy youth.

High School Youth Sunday School will meet in the Youth Room at 9:00 a.m. **Middle School Youth Girls** will meet for Sunday School in Outbuilding #3 at 9:00 a.m. **Middle School Youth Boys** will meet for Sunday School in Outbuilding #2 at 9:00 a.m.

High School Youth Group meets on Tuesdays, in the Youth Room, 7:00-9:00 p.m. **Middle School Youth Group** will be meeting at the church at 6:15 p.m. on Wednesdays in the Youth Room. The Middle School Youth will meet at the church through the end of this school year.

Worship and Media: Robbie Smithwick serves as the Worship Director at Lazy Mountain Bible Church [robbie@lzymtn.com]. Elijah Titus serves as the Media Director [media@lzymtn.com].

Easter Choir: A choir has formed for Easter. Practices will be held at 12:30 p.m. in the Youth Room, today. Dress Rehearsal will be Thursday, April 6th at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The Easter Choir will be part of our Easter Services on April 9th, with the Sound Check/Run Through at 6:45-7:30 a.m. Choir members need to attend at least 4 of 6 practices.

Alaska Bible College will be holding a Missions Conference April 4th-6th. It is a three-day event of digging into the Great Commission and hearing from a number of Jesus Followers in mission's work! ABC has extended an invitation to Lazy Mountain Bible Church to join them. Use the following link to register for the event: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/528845790997.

Adult and Life Group Ministries is facilitated by Stan McGuire, Discipleship Director. He oversees Adult, Life Groups, Young Adults, Men's, and *Women's Ministries. Stan can be reached by email, stan@lzymtn.com.

Welcome Team and Ushers: We need help on the Welcome Team – Especially with Ushers. If you would like to join the team or simply find out more information, please go to the Welcome center for assistance, or you can sign up at lzymtn.com/WT. Questions? Email Stan McGuire: stan@lzymtn.com.

Galatians: A study on Galatians will begin on Sunday, April 2nd. The class will be led by Josh Cross, Gerald, and Carmen DeVilbiss. The class will meet in the church office basement. On Sunday, April 2nd it will meet at 9:00 a.m. The study will not meet on Easter. Beginning on Sunday, 16th, Sunday School classes will be held at 10:00 a.m.

Small Life Group: A Bible study by Rick Warren (author of the Purpose Driven Life) meets on Wednesdays, at the home of Donna Embree (mi. 3.5 Lazy Mountain). The subject is "Surviving Relationship God's Way." Call Donna at (907)707-3312 if you have questions or if want a ride from the church parking lot at 12:20 p.m. All are welcome, including men.

Men's Fellowship meets on the first Thursday of the month at 7:00 a.m. at the Valley Hotel. The next gathering will be on Thursday, April 6th.

65 Alive: Women 65 years of older are invited to meet other women of the church. Bring a potluck dish to share. [Easter brunch is suggested.] The guest speaker is Sommer Nielson on Wednesday, April 12th at 12:00 noon in the Lee Fellowship Hall.

Women's Ministry Breakfast: Are you hungry to learn more about the fruit of the Spirit? You are invited to join Jennifer McGuire for breakfast in her home Saturday, April 22nd from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Please bring a dish to share and join your sisters-in-Christ for fellowship, a devotional, and fun! Please no children unless it's a nursing baby. For directions and more information please contact Jennifer, (616)448-8074.

*Laura McHenry serves as the Women's Ministry Leader, call/text (907) 982-7179.

Easter Services and Sunday Services beyond Easter will be held at 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 11:30 a.m.

There will be 3 Easter Services, identical in content held on Easter Sunday, April 9th. Services will be held at 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 11:30 a.m. On the Sundays following Easter, we will hold 3 services, 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. The services will be identical in content. Sunday School will be held during the 10:00 a.m. service.

Elders: Pastor Jason Daughtry, Pastor Dave Kenny, Al Strawn, Gary Feaster, Stewart McDonald,

Marty Van Diest, Zach Knittle

Deacons: Caleb Moyer, Christian McHenry, Dan Gunderson, Jason Vink, John Murphy, Justin Gillespie,

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At Lazy Mountain Bible Church, our mission is to equip people to

Live like Jesus and Share Him Always.

We extend a kind welcome to all! When visiting Lazy Mountain Bible Church, we invite you to visit our Welcome Center. If you are a first-time visitor, complete the Connect Card in this Communicator, take it to the Welcome Center and receive a flier to introduce you to LMBC and receive a coupon for a free drink from the Hebrews Coffee Shop. The Connect Card can also be used to share comments, requests, prayer needs or praises.

Please slip the completed card into an offering box.

Welcome to our

Communicator

where we share weekly about the ministries of LMBC.

April 2, 2023



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The Law of Love Romans 13:8-14

Why are we supposed to love those who don't love us? How can we love others when our culture is so evil?

We owe a debt to love all people (vv. 8-10)

Love increases when we watch God work through time (vv. 11-12)

LIFE GROUP GUIDE



Encourage each other by sharing how God has answered a prayer or worked in your life this week.

How has God challenged you through this week's message/passage? What impacted you?



Read Rom 13:8-10. How does this echo Jesus' statement in Mt 22:36-40? Who is our "neighbor" (see Lk 10:29-37)? Read out loud together the series memory verses: John 13:34-35. While it can be easy for us to do all the right religious "things" but to neglect love, how is our love for others a true reflection of our obedience to God?

Read Ro 13:11-12. Why the sense of urgency, and how should that affect our love for others? In 1 Pe 2:9, what did Peter call his readers to do? How does this tie in with loving others? What would it look like to genuinely demonstrate love, care, and concern for others? What challenges might this present in our lives? How does this contrast with the current culture?

Read Ro 13:13 and discuss the contrasts with v.12 (see also Jn 3:19-21). How does our sin thwart our ability to love others (vv.13-14)? Where does our strength come from (v.14, see also Eph 3:20-21, Col 1:29)?



Action Plan - Point to Ponder:

Read Jn 13:34-35. What are the challenges that stand in the way of you living out loving others like Jesus loves us? Take some time to meditate on those verses and pray for strength, courage, boldness, and wisdom to actively live out loving others.

If you have any questions, would like more information, or need help of any kind, please contact us at Lizymtn.com/help.



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