



Welcome to East Lumberton

As Senior Pastor of ELBC, I want to welcome you to our church. We are a diverse church of believers whose goal is to lift up the name of Jesus Christ. We welcome all races, ages and walks of life to come be a part of our church family. We are glad you came and we hope you feel at home with us today. If you are visiting for the first time, please see one of our greeters 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

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday-

Rev. Michael Bowen (910) 736-6170

Friday & Saturday-Rev. Michael Bowen (910) 736-6170

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

VAN DRIVERS

1/19: Robert Mishue
(910-827-9096)

1/26: Matthew Stephens
(910-234-5817)

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children's Church is provided for children ages 2 thru kindergarten

2 & 3 years old

1/19: Rebecca & Hailey Lamb,
Jeff Bass

1/26: Cindy Horne,
Robin Donaldson

4 & 5 years old

1/19: Marsha & Lucky McKenna

1/26: Austin & Whitney Hester,
Angel Thomas

NURSERY WORKERS

newborn to 2 years old

1/19: Claudia Cooke, Whitney
Hester, Haley Smith, Alana Taylor

1/26: Claudia Cooke, Vicki
Hendren, Kayla & Daniel Lee,
Becky Willoughby

DEACONS OF THE WEEK

Randy Graham (374-8399) & Matthew Horne (734-4356)

INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY

1/19: Howard Reves, Jr.

1/26: Crystal Martin

FIRST IMPRESSION TEAM

1/19: Doris Britt, Kathy Buffkin,
Debby Bledsoe

1/26: Kenan Chance,
Linda Galacci, Debby Bledsoe

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

SUNDAY MORNING

Rev. John Locklear, Speaker

"What Will Happen When Jesus Comes"

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

- I. The Resurrection of the Saints
 - A. The Person Who Comes
 - B. The People Who Are Called
- II. The Rapture of The Saved
 - A. It Will Be a Time of Reunion
 - B. It Will Be a Time of Recognition
 - C. It Will Be a Day of No Return
- II. The Revealing of The Man of Sin
 - A. The Preparation of The Man of Sin
 - B. The Person of The Man of Sin
 - C. The Power of The Man of Sin
 - D. The Purpose of The Man of Sin

SUNDAY EVENING

**Jay Willoughby,
Speaker**

"We'll Work Till Jesus Comes"

Luke 19:11-13

CALENDAR of Events

Sunday, January 19th

9:45 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Morning Worship Service

4:30 PM Handbell Choir

6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

Monday, January 20th

7:00 PM Zoom Bible Study

Tuesday, January 21st

7:00 PM Outreach - (prayer time altar)

Wednesday, January 22nd

5:45 PM Family Night Supper

6:00 PM Vision Committee Meeting

6:30 PM Children's Choir (Grades 1-6)

6:30 PM Meeting Concerning Trip to Noah's Ark in Kentucky

7:00 PM Prayer Meeting/Church Conference

7:00 PM Nursery thru Grade 12

7:45 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Menu for January 22nd

Pizza, bread sticks, salad, dessert and drink.

\$5.00 donation per person; Free for Children under 6

Maximum donation of \$20.00 per family.

Please sign up in the hallway



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January 19, 2025

Church Theme for 2025:

You Can't Out Give God - 2 Corinthians 9:6-7

**EAST
LUMBERTON
Baptist Church**

Staff Directory

Senior Pastor

Rev. Michael S. Bowen
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Associate Pastor for Families

Rev. Roger D. Smith
(423) 557-5515

Minister of Senior Adults

Rev. Ricky Donaldson
(910) 499-5218

Worship Team Leader

Mr. Matthew Horne
(910) 734-4356

Ministry Assistant
Ms. Janet Taylor

Treasurer
Ms. Carolyn Hedgpeth

Worship Team
Mr. Larry Cooke & Mr. Shon Anderson

Custodian
Mr. Jeff Pait

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude	Pianist
Call to Worship	Sanctuary Choir

"Believe For It"
Soloist: Cassie Martin West

Invocation & Welcome Shon Anderson

Offertory Hymn
“We’ll Work Till Jesus Comes”

Congregational *"I Love to Tell the Story"*

Message in Song Larry Cooke

Message in Song Sanctuary Choir

“Miracle In Me”

Message Jay Willoughby

“We’ll Work Till Jesus Comes”
Luke 19:11-13

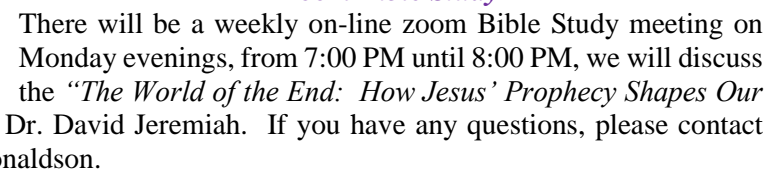
*Hymn of Commitment
"I Surrender All"

Benediction	Layman
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Postlude	Pianist
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	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service
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	6:30 PM	Children's Choir (Grades 1-6)
	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting
	7:00 PM	Nursery thru Grade 12
	7:45 PM	Bulletin Deadline
	7:45 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal


Zoom Bible Study



The regular monthly outreach will be held on Tuesday, January 21st, at 7:00 PM. We will have **PRAYER** at the altar. If you have any questions and/or concerns, please contact Molly Horne.



There will be a meeting of the Vision Committee on Wednesday, January 22nd, at 6:00 PM, downstairs. If you have any question and/or concerns, please contact Mitch Lassiter.



There will be an informational meeting on Wednesday, January 22nd, at 6:30 PM, for anyone interested in going to the Ark Encounter and Creation Museum in Kentucky. We will discuss cost and confirm a date (tentative date June 16th) for the trip at this meeting. If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact Rev. Ricky Donaldson.

There will be a meeting of the Children's Committee on Sunday, January 26th, at 5:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. The purpose of the meeting is to plan the 2025 calendar. Please come prepared to provide input on trips and activities. If you have any questions and/or concerns, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.



Pastor Bowen has begun a new sermon series, on Wednesday nights, on “*The Sermon on the Mount*”. Please join us for our mid-week service.

During 2025, we will be changing how we do the Christmas Shoe boxes. We will be collecting different items each month and then we will have a packing party to assemble the shoeboxes. Items for the month of January are: hair brushes, combs, washcloths, Ivory soap (must be bar soap **NO** liquids.) We are hoping the change will make things easier for everyone as we reach children with the Gospel of Christ. There will be a container outside the church office to drop off your items. If you have any questions and/or concerns, please contact Joyce Cribb.




We need for all the 2025 Church Committees to meet and choose a chairperson, before January 31st. Once this is completed, please notify the church office, of your committee chairperson. Thank you in advance for your assistance.



You are cordially invited to participate in a Floating Baby Shower for Daniel and Kayla Lee. It will be held on Saturday, February 1st, 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. They are registered

There is a drawing of the proposed New Multi-Purpose Building in the hallway beside the preschool area. This concept drawing does not show the kitchen nor the bathrooms due to the angle of the drawing. Please take a look at these drawings.



 Contribution Statements and on-line contribution statements have been prepared. If you have questions, please contact Carolyn Hedgpeth, Treasurer, at the church office Monday thru Wednesday.

Don't forget the tracts in the hallway. Please feel free to pick one up and share a tract with a friend.



Birthday Celebrations
Jan. 19th-Jan. 25th

19 th	Dalton Hursey				Alexis Baxley
23 rd	Billy Allen		25 th		Bianca Powers
	Jeremy Kinlaw				Ben Morgan
24 th	Joyce Locklear				

