



Welcome to East Lumberton

As Senior Pastor of CLBC, 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.



VAN DRIVERS

7/7: Howard Reaves, Jr.
(316-0158)

7/14: Robert Mishue (827-9096)

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

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

2 & 3 years old

7/7: Austin & Whitney Hester

7/14: Cindy Horne,
Robin Donaldson, Jeff Bass

4 & 5 years old

7/7: Becky Willoughby,
Roger Smith

7/14: Marsha & Lucky McKenna

NURSERY WORKERS

newborn to 2 years old

7/7: Claudia Cooke,
Margaret Ramirez, Lisa Smith

7/14: Claudia Cooke,
Lisa Hendren, Gail Lassiter

DEACONS OF THE WEEK

Roger Pittman (258-6033) & David Baxley (734-0613)

INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY

7/7: Molly Horne

7/14: Howard Reaves, Jr.

FIRST IMPRESSION TEAM

7/7: Carrie Mae Jacobs,
Debby Bledsoe

7/14: Terri Gerald,
Heather Williamson, Julia Martin,
Debby Bledsoe

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

SUNDAY MORNING

"When The Lord Gives You A Standing Ovation"

Acts 7:54-60

Theme: "Is Your Life Making The Lord Proud"

- I. The Picture Of Stephen's Faithfulness To God (v. 54-56)
 - A. The Sermon That He Shared (v. 54)
 - 1. The Message He Preached To Them (v. 54a)
 - 2. The Message That Pricked Them (v. 54b)
 - 3. The Message That Provoked Them (v. 54c)
 - B. The Sights That He Saw (v. 55)
 - 1. He Sensed The Spirit Of God (v. 55a)
 - 2. He Saw The Splendor Of God (v. 55b)
 - 3. He Saw The Son Of God (v. 55c)
 - C. The Statement That He Spoke (v. 56)
- II. The Price Of Stephen's Faithfulness To God (v. 57-60)
 - A. The Mob That Stood Against Him (v. 57-58a)
 - 1. They Rejected Him (v. 57a)
 - 2. They Rushed Him (v. 57b)
 - 3. They Removed Him (v. 58a)
 - B. The Man That Stayed With Them (v. 58b)
 - 1. How The Apostle Paul Was Involved With It (v. 58b)
 - 2. How The Apostle Paul Was Impacted By It (Acts 22:20)
 - C. The Message That Stuck With Them (v. 59-60a)
 - 1. The Final Words He Spoke (v. 59-60a)
 - a. Words Of Conclusion (v. 59)
 - b. Words Of Compassion (v. 60a)
 - 2. The Familiar Words He Spoke (v. 59-60a)
 - D. The Martyr That Slept Amongst Them (v. 60b)

SUNDAY EVENING

"The Lord's Supper"



Vacation Bible School: "Shine"

Sunday, August 4th thru Thursday, August 8th
Supper 6:00 PM; VBS 6:30 PM-9:00 PM

THEME FOR EACH NIGHT:

Monday-Crazy Hat Night

Tuesday-Mix & Match Night

Wednesday-Movie Character Night

Thursday- Glow Stick Night

(We will provide 3 glow sticks per child, however, feel free to bring your own.)

OFFERING:

Goal: \$1,000.00

The offering will be taken up in each classroom.

COMMENCEMENT:

Friday, August 4th, 6:00 PM -9:00 PM

Pizza and Ice Cream

Also, waterslide and bouncy house

Please be in prayer for VBS teachers, workers, students and that souls will be saved. If you have questions, please contact Jennifer Bowen or Melissa Reaves.



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July 7, 2024

Church Theme for 2024:

The Call to Worship ~ John 4:23-24

EAST LUMBERTON
Baptist Church

Staff Directory

Senior Pastor

Rev. Michael S. Bowen
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Minister of Senior Adults

Rev. Ricky Donaldson
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Ms. Janet Taylor

Treasurer

Ms. Carolyn Hedgpath

Associate Pastor for Families

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

Worship Team Leader

Mr. Matthew Horne
(910) 734-4356

Worship Team

Mr. Larry Cooke & Mr. Shon Anderson

Custodian

Mr. Jeff Pait

Theme for 2024: *The Call to Worship*
John 4:23-24

11:00 AM MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude	Pianist
Call to Worship	Sanctuary Choir <i>"I'm Getting Ready to Leave This World"</i>
Invocation & Welcome	Rev. Roger Smith
Offertory Hymn	<i>"What A Lovely Name"</i>
Congregational	<i>"To God Be The Glory"</i>
Message in Song	Dale Johnson
Message in Song	Sanctuary Choir <i>"Jesus Rescues Me"</i> Soloist: Alana Taylor
Message	Rev. Michael S. Bowen "When The Lord Gives You A Standing Ovation" Acts 7:54-60

*Hymn of Commitment
"Just As I Am"

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.

Menu for July 10th
NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

Birthday Celebrations
July 7th-July 13th

7 th	Lucky McKenna James Flanders Ethan Adams Jacob Steffes	10 th	Kinlee Campbell Dustin Cashwell Cathy Lee Robbie Capps
8 th	LaVon Taylor Lisa Reaves	11 th	Lacy Jo Owens Alyssa Pait Cameron Melvin Alley Pevia
9 th	Randall Graham Alicia Barnes	13 th	

Handbell Choir

 The Handbell Choir will **NOT** be meeting during the months of July and August. If you have any questions, please contact Bob Hobdy.

6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude	Pianist
Call to Worship	Sanctuary Choir <i>"Somebody Loves Me"</i>
Invocation & Welcome	Rev. Roger Smith
Offertory Hymn	<i>"At Calvary"</i>
Congregational	<i>"The Old Rugged Cross"</i>
Message in Song	Kayla Lee
Message in Song	Sanctuary Choir <i>"This Blood"</i> Soloist: Belinda Locklear

"The Lord's Supper"

Serving:

Rev. Michael Bowen
Rev. Ricky Donaldson **Rev. Roger Smith**
Mr. Randy Graham

When it is time for the Lord's Supper, we ask that everyone move to the outside aisles of the church. You will then move forward in a line to pick up the elements for the Lord's Supper on the side you are on. After you pick up the bread and the cup, you will precede down the center aisles back to your seat and wait for the Pastor's instructions. Remember, do not partake of the elements until the Pastor leads you to do so.

*Hymn of Commitment

"There Is a Fountain"

Benediction	Layman
Postlude	Pianist

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

Today	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship Service
	NO Handbell Choir	
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service
	NO Family Night Supper	
	NO 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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Student Arise 2024 Conference (Grades 7-12) -Pigeon Forge, TN
The Student Arise 2024 Conference is for students (Grades 7-12) during the week of July 15th thru July 18th. The cost of this trip is approximately \$350.00 per person, based on 4 per room. The final installment is due no later than **TODAY**. If you have any questions and/or concerns, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.

Mandatory Meeting: Arise Conference

All students, parents and chaperones attending the Arise Conference!! There will be a mandatory meeting **TODAY**, at 5:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions and/or concerns, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.



CPR (Contact, Prayer, Recovery) The regular monthly outreach will be held on Tuesday, July 9th, at 7:00 PM. We will focus on the **CONTACT** of church prospects through visits and postcards.

Washington, D. C. Trip

There will be a meeting to finalize details for the Washington, D.C., on Sunday, July 14th, at 5:30 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Rev. Ricky or Robin Donaldson.



Save Date: Manic Mondays

 The Youth (grades 7-12) will be having Manic Mondays for each Monday in June and July 1st and Saturday, Aug, 3rd. Listed below are the events:

- Saturday, August 3rd, Shark Wake Aqua Park, N. Myrtle Beach, SC. These events are for active church youth only. The departure time, return time and cost will be announced at a later date. If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.

College Students

 The church would like to continue our ministry for college students. Often times these students become disconnected with the church once they go to college. This is for students who are on campus or commuting to college. You will become a "secret pal" for that particular student during the school year. There are many ways to remember the student by sending them a card or small gift etc. but most of all add them to your prayer list. The student will not know who you are until the end of the school year. Somewhere around June, you will have a time where you meet your student and they have the opportunity to tell you "Thank You" for the support. Parents, please give the name of student and current mailing address along the birthday to Kristie Martin no later than Sunday, July 28th. Also, if you would like to sponsor a student or if you have questions, please contact Kristie Martin (734-2922).

Denim and Pearls

Denim and Pearls will **NOT** be meeting during July and August. If you have questions, please contact Lisa Hendren or Sharon Leggett.



Youth and Children (Grades 1-12): Myrtle Waves, Myrtle Beach, SC

The Children and Youth (Grades 1-12) will be going to Myrtle Waves Water Park on Friday, July 26th. Departing from the church at 1:30 PM and returning at approximately 9:30 PM. The cost of the trip is \$15.00. **NO** food or drink will be provided. Please sign-up on the sheet in the hallway. If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.



VBS T-shirts

VBS t-shirts are available for purchase, at a cost of \$13.00 per shirt. Sizes range from children XXS to adult 4XL. Deadline to place your order is Wednesday, July 10th. If you have questions, please contact Jennifer Bowen.

