



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
Wednesday-Dr. Tom Martin (910) 876-3462
Tuesday & 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

<u>VAN DRIVERS</u>	
6/18: Hugh Bledsoe (874-1961)	6/25: Dale Davis (734-1255)
<u>CHILDREN'S CHURCH</u>	
<i>Children's Church is provided for children ages 2 thru kindergarten</i>	
<u>2 & 3 years old</u>	
6/18: Marsha & Lucky McKenna	6/25: Gail Lassiter, Rebecca Lamb, Katelyn Lassiter
<u>4 & 5 years old</u>	
6/18: Kayla Lee, Margaret Ramirez	6/25: Debby Bledsoe, Angie Hardee
<u>NURSERY WORKERS</u>	
6/18: Claudia Cooke, Cindy Horne, Elisha Parker	6/25: Claudia Cooke, Haley Smith, Alana Taylor
<u>DEACONS OF THE WEEK</u>	
David Baxley (734-0613) & Bobby Cox (734-4539)	
<u>INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY</u>	
6/18: Brenda Hester	6/25: Buddy Cribb, Robert Mishue
<u>FIRST IMPRESSION TEAM</u>	
6/18: Terri Gerald, Cindy Horne, Debby Bledsoe	6/25: Maria Cooke, Cathy Lamb, Gail Lassiter

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

SUNDAY MORNING

"Preach The Word!"
Acts 10:44-48
Theme: "The Power Of Preaching"

- I. The Content Of The Preaching (v. 44a)
 - A. Peter Spoke Of The Compassion Of Christ (v. 34-35)
 - B. Peter Spoke Of The Comfort Of Christ (v. 36-37)
 - C. Peter Spoke Of The Credentials Of Christ (v. 38a)
 - D. Peter Spoke Of The Crucifixion Of Christ (v. 39)
 - E. Peter Spoke Of The Conquering Of Christ (v. 40-41)
 - F. Peter Spoke Of The Court Of Christ (v. 42)
 - G. Peter Spoke Of The Call Of Christ (v. 43)
- II. The Conviction Of The Preaching (v. 44b-45)
 - A. When It Appeared (v. 44b)
 - B. What It Accomplished (v. 44c-45)
 1. It Impressed The Godly (v. 44c-45a)
 2. It Impacted The Gentiles (v. 45b)
- III. The Consequences Of The Preaching (v. 46-48)
 - A. The Gentiles Went To Praising The Lord (v. 46)
 - B. The Gentiles Wanted To Proclaim The Lord (v. 47-48a)
 - C. The Gentiles Wished To Progress In The Lord (v. 48b)

SUNDAY EVENING

"Out With The Old And In With The New, Part 4"
Ephesians 4:29-32
Theme: "The Change In A Christian's Life"

- I. *The Condition Of The Sinner* (v. 17-19)
- II. *The Conversion Of The Saint* (v. 20-24)
- III. *The Characteristics Of The Saved* (v. 25-32)
 - A. *Christians Avoid Crooked Speech* (v. 25)
 - B. *Christians Avoid Creating Scenes* (v. 26-27)
 - C. *Christians Avoid Constant Stealing* (v. 28)
 - D. *Christians Avoid Corrupt Speaking* (v. 29)
 1. The Definition Of Corrupt Communication (v. 29a)
 2. The Defense Against Corrupt Communication (v. 29b-29c)
 - a. Edify With Your Speech (v. 29b)
 - b. Encourage With Your Speech (v. 29c)
 - E. *Christians Avoid Crushing The Spirit* (v. 30)
 1. The Definition Of Grieving The Spirit (v. 30a)
 2. The Defense Against Grieving The Spirit (v. 30b-30c)
 - a. Recognize His Presence (v. 30b)
 - b. Realize His Promise (v. 30c)
 - F. *Christians Avoid Carrying Spite* (v. 31-32)
 1. The Definition Of Spite (v. 31)
 2. The Defense Against Spite (v. 32)
 - a. Show Friendliness (v. 32a)
 - b. Show Favor (v. 32b)
 - c. Show Forgiveness (v. 32c)



Birthdays Celebrations *June 18th - June 24th*

18 th	Kay Martin	21 st	Jan Hodby
	Jacob Britt	22 nd	Kaye Willoughby
19 th	Shelia Lee	24 th	Whitney Stubbs
20 th	Lenora Parker		Blake Prevatte



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June 18, 2023

Church Theme for 2023:

The Blessing of Kids in Church ~ Matthew 19:13-15



Staff Directory

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Ms. Janet Taylor

Worship Team
Mr. Larry Cooke & Mr. Shon Anderson

Treasurer
Ms. Carolyn Hedgpeth

Custodian
Mr. Jeff Pait

8:30 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude Pianist
Call to Worship
"Blessed Be the Name"
Invocation & Welcome Deacon of the Week
Remembering and Honoring Fathers
Offertory Hymn
"Send the Light"
Message in Song Thomas Walters
Message Rev. Michael S. Bowen
"Preach The Word!"
Acts 10:44-48
*Hymn of Commitment
"Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior"

Benediction Layman
Postlude Pianist

11:00 AM BLENDED WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude Pianist
Call to Worship Sanctuary Choir
"When the Holy Ghost Shows Up (We'll Have Church)"
Invocation & Welcome Rev. Roger Smith
Remembering and Honoring Fathers
Offertory Hymn
"Send the Light"
Congregational Song
"Blessed Be the Name"
Message in Song Noah Reaves
Message in Song Sanctuary Choir
"It's Still the Cross"
Soloist: Belinda Locklear
Message Rev. Michael S. Bowen
"Preach The Word!"
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THERE WILL BE NO
FAMILY NIGHT SUPPERS
DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS.

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.

6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude Pianist
Call to Worship Sanctuary Choir
"I'll Put On a Crown"
Soloist: Jay Willoughby
Invocation & Welcome Rev. Tom Martin
Offertory Hymn
"I'll Fly Away"
Congregational
"I Am Resolved"
Message in Song Gwen Mishue, Ricky Tyner, Thomas Walters
Message in Song Sanctuary Choir
"For The Good"
Soloist: Cassie Martin-West
Message Rev. Michael S. Bowen
"Out With The Old And In With The New, Part 4"
Ephesians 4:29-32
*Hymn of Commitment
"Lord, I'm Coming Home"

Benediction Layman
Postlude Pianist
The flowers on the communion table are given in honor of
Terri and Benny Gerald on their 45th wedding anniversary.
We Love You! Robyn, Jeremy and Stephen
Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing,
and obtaineth favour of the Lord. Proverbs 18:22

REGULAR SERVICE TIMES

TODAY	8:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service
	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Blended Worship Service
	4:30 PM	Handbell Choir
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service
Wednesday	No Family Night Supper	
	6:30 PM	Children's Choir (Grades 1-6)
	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting/Church Conference
	7:00 PM	Nursery thru Grade 12

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Grief Share Support Group
GRIEF SHARE! We have resumed on Monday's at 5:30 PM!
Grief Share is a wonderful ministry of coping with loss through
prayer, scripture, videos and group interaction. Please share this opportunity
with others that have experienced a loss so they can join us. Rev. Tom and
Kay Martin
CPR (Contact, Prayer, Recovery)
The regular monthly outreach will be held on Tuesday, June 20th,
at 7:00 PM. We will have PRAYER at the altar. If you have any questions
and/or concerns, please contact Molly Horne.

Children's Choir

Children's Choir is on Wednesday's at 6:30 PM. If you have any
questions and/or concerns, please contact Kayla Lee.



Drive-In Movies



The next movie will be "Lifemark", which is based on a true
story. It begins at 8:30 PM on Friday, July 14th. The event
is free and the public is invited to attend. Free popcorn and
sodas will be available. On Friday, August 11th we will host our final movie for
the summer "Overcomer". Take your family out for supper and close out your
Friday night watching a free movie with us.

Save Date: Manic Mondays

The Youth (grades 7-12) will be having Manic Mondays for each
Monday in June. Listed below are the events:



- Monday, June 19th, Myrtle Waves, Myrtle Beach, SC.
Departure time will be 9:00 AM and returning at approximately 6:00 PM.
- Monday, June 26th, Carowinds. Departure time will be 9:00 AM and
returning at approximately 8:00 PM.
- Saturday, July 15th, Shark Wake Aqua Park, N. Myrtle Beach, SC.
Departure time will be 8:30 AM and returning at approximately 3:30 PM.

These events are for active church youth only. COST IS \$20.00 PER
STUDENT AND CHAPERONES WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR
OWN TICKETS. All monies must be turned in one week in advance, in order
to get the discounted tickets. If you do not get a discounted ticket, you will be
responsible for purchasing your own ticket at full price. If you have questions
and/or concerns, please contact Rev. Roger Smith.



Check-In Nursery and Preschool

We have started a Check-In Process for Nursery
and Preschool ages (newborn to 5 years old)! All
parents with children in this age group, please scan
the QR code above and register your child! You need to register each
child separate. If you have any questions and/or concerns, please see Matthew
Horne.



Baby Shower: Brittany Hunt

Everyone is cordially invited to participate in a Drop-Off Baby
Shower for Brittany Hunt, Jennifer Davis's daughter. We are asking
you to drop off your gift or gift card at the table in the preschool area
by Sunday, June 25th. She is registered at Wal-Mart.



Trip to Holy Land: October/November 2023

There will be 10-day trip to the Holy Land, October 30th thru
November 8th. This trip includes 2 days travel and 8 days in the
Holy Land. The cost of the trip is \$5,200.00 per person. Flight
costs may change so book now before the price increases. For additional details,
please contact Pastor Bowen.

Change in Schedule for July

During the month of July, we will have one joint Morning
Worship Service at 11:00 AM. This change is due to vacations and many people
being out of town. This will begin on Sunday, July 2nd thru July 30th. We will
still have Sunday School at 9:45 AM and Evening Worship Service at 6:00 PM.

