

Break the Boredom

The headline made me giggle: "Local Mom Drops 'Bored' Kids Off At School Three Weeks Early".

The satirical story quoted the exasperated mom: "They have five iPads upstairs, two dirt bikes in the garage and a water slide, and they want to say they're BORED? I don't think so. . . . I told them if they said the word 'bored' one more time, they were going to school. I wasn't joking." (From the Babylon Bee)

With backpacks and lunch bags, the three children spent the day on the front steps of their middle school . . . probably bored.

With Liberty Center and Colton UMCs, our church is enjoying our annual Vacation Bible School. Seventy-three children are laughing, playing, and learning, while fifty adult willing servants have survived. . .so far. No boredom is allowed.

Between sports, end of summer vacations, games, toys, and household chores, it is hard to imagine that children could be bored, but if they are, we at Chapel pledge to break the boredom. (I write tongue in cheek as a parent of never-bored children.)

Between now and first day of school, we will plan five exciting worship services and the same number of interesting Sunday School sessions. There will be Family Night at the Rock on August 7th, the fair stand August 9-16, and Junior Hi and Senior Hi youth will begin the last Wednesday 29th.

Bring your bored children (and adults) to Chapel, and we'll break the boredom.

See you Sunday,

Pastor Brad



August 2018

August is upon us! That typically means school starts back up, but because of the construction at the new school, school at LC won't start until September. However, August still does mean that youth group is back! We will be starting YF up on August 29th with a fun day for 7-12th grade students. The week after that, we will settle back into our routine of meeting regularly. I'm super excited to start back up as I feel we really have some momentum built up for this school year. I look forward to new 7th graders coming up to YF and am excited to see what God has in store for us this school year. As we start back up, please join me in praying for the youth of this community and that God works in incredible ways this year.

As much as I'm excited for the school year to start, I am excited for another month of summer. Summer thus far has been a great break from routine. Having less structured programming has allowed me to refresh and recharge and do ministry in some different ways. It's allowed me to build more relationships with students and spend time with them just hanging out. It's also been a great time to prepare for some exciting things coming up next school year. However, part of me is excited to get back into routine and the semi-regular schedule that comes with school starting back up. There are plenty of things I will miss about summer ministry, but a hectic schedule is definitely not one of them. I hope that summer has been refreshing and has recharged you for the next season of life as well!

Have a great August! Pastor Tom





Join us for the last Family night at the ROCK!!! We will be having our carnival Tuesday, August 7th. Dinner will be provided. Don't miss out on the fun!!!

There is time to still sign up for the fair!!! Check out the sign up sheets in the Welcome center!!

AUGUST BIBLE READING PLAN Fruits Of The Spirit

Day 1 Galatians 5:22-23

Patience

Day 2 Psalm 27:13-14

Day 3 Proverbs 16:32

Day 4 Psalm 37:7

Day 5 2 Peter 3:8

Peace

Day 6 Psalm 56

Day 7 Numbers 6:24-26

Day 8 1 Peter 3:9-11

Love

Day 9 Romans 13:8-10

Day 10 1 John 4:19

Day 11 1 Cor. 13:4-7

Joy

Day 12 James 1:2-3

Day 13 Nehemiah 8:10

Day 14 Jude 1:24

Kindness

Day 15 Proverbs 3:3

Day 16 Colossians 3:12-14

Day 17 Romans 11:22

Goodness

Day 18 Psalm 31:19-20

Day 19 Lamentations 3:25

Day 20 Psalm 86:5

Faithfulness

Day 21 Luke 16:10-13

Day 22 Psalm 91:4-5

Day 23 Romans 3:3-4

Self-Control

Day 24 James 1:19-20

Day 25 1 Cor. 10:12-13

Day 26 Romans 12:2

Day 27 2 John 1:8-9

Day 28 Proverbs 18:21

Gentleness

Day 29 Galatians 6:1-2

Day 30 Titus 3:1-2

Day 31 Proverbs 15:4



August Servant Schedule

	August 5	August 12	August 19	August 26
8:15 Door Greeters		S. Clapp Family	S. Tedrow Family	J. Clapp Family
8:15 Nursery	S. Tedrow Family	Howe Family	Carpenter Family	S. Tedrow Family
S. S. Door Greeters	Conner Family		J. Leatherman Family	J. Clapp Family
S.S. Nursery	Witte Family	Bowers Family	O'Neal Family	Gutierrez Family
10:30 Door Greeters	Conner Family		J. Leatherman Family	J. Hartford Family
10:30 Nursery	Starkey Family	Starkey Family	Case Family	Keller Family
Greeters Welcome Center	Masood Family	L. Leatherman Family		Fetterman Family



Isaac Seagrave (Steve & Mary Seagrave's son) - Health concerns; Bill Strauss; James Tallman—Back injury; Mike Collier—Recovering from knee surgery; Courtney Patton—Health Concerns; Russ Strayer—Health Concerns.

Long-Term Needs: Becky Strauss (Sister in law to Bill and Reagan Strauss) - Cancer; Margaret Bollman—Health Concerns; Rebecca Livengood (Vicky Leatherman's mother) - Health concerns; Ken Silveus; Morris Myers—Lung Cancer; Leo "Bud" Zenz, Patsy Leatherman, Kent Spiess, Braden Kramer – (Fetterman extended family) - Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia; Brady Chapa—Cancer; Connie Cramer (Christy Myers' mother) - Lymphoma. Also, members of the military and their families, our missionary families.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
	5		BIRTHDAYS Anniversaries	Ben Leatherman	Korey Rhoads	Jakob Hogrefe
5	9	7	8	6	10	11
Jamie Cramer	Tammy Oelkrug Jeanne Meter	Audri Trapp Emerie Mohler	Steve & Byronna Bare	Kevin Mohler Mary Lou Myers	Todd Spangler	Breanna Griteman
Darren & Kara Estelle		Tenny Krugh Rachel Orr	TROPY CANNINGERANG!			
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Clayton O'Neal Audrie Mohler	Andrew Quigley Lelan Case	Kenny Barnes	Glenda Conner	Robin Carpenter		
Kelly & Patty McIntosh						
26	27	28	29	30	31	
Hunter Spangler Karson Rhoads Seth Atkinson Jordan McBride	Shelley Davis Dave & Karen Mohler	Cole Spangler	Todd Shafer Tom Overmier Arita Silveus	BirThdey	Andy Miller Todd Rothenberger	

Fall is almost here and that means that there are several ministries that are starting back up!!! Check them out and mark them on your calendar! We would love to have you join us!!



All men are invited to Charlie's Café on Tuesday mornings, starting September 4th, at 6 am as we dig in to the Word of God.

School starts September 4th and that means so does the ROCK! The ROCK will be on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each week from 3-5 pm. Kids are invited to come hang out. There are snacks, games and devotions. Sign up sheet for volunteers will be out soon!!! This is a great opportunity to show the love to Christ to those in our community.





Wednesday Night Ministries will be starting back up!

Jr. & Sr. High YF will start August 29th from 6:30-8:30 pm

Pastor Brad's Bible study will start September 5th at 6:30-7:30 pm

Kid's Klub (4yrs old-6th grade) will start September 5th from 6:30-7:30 pm

The United Methodist Men will begin their monthly meetings September 10th at 6:00 pm. All men are invited to join us for this time of food, fellowship and speakers.





Sunday Worship Times:

Sunday School:

8:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m.

Classic Worship Praise Celebration

(Nursery Provided) (Nursery Provided) (Nursery Provided) Classes for All Ages

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 5:15 pm VBS Dinner 6-8:30 pm VBS 6:00 pm Fair Clean up	5:15 pm VBS Dinner 6-8:30 pm VBS	5	4 7 am Men's Prayer Time 9 am Fair Clean up
5 11:30 am Sr. High Guys Bible Study	6 pm Trustees 7 pm Finance 7 pm Sr. High Bible Study 8 pm Ad. Council	7 6-8 pm Family Night at the ROCK	8 8-9:30 am Caring Cup- board 6 pm Fair Clean up	9 Fair Starts!!	10	11 7 am Men's Prayer Time
12 11:30 am Sr. High Guys Bible Study	13 7 pm Sr. High Bible Study 8 pm Worship	41	15	16 Last day of the Fair	17	18 7 am Men's Prayer Time
19 11:30 am Sr. High Guys Bible Study	20 6-7:30 pm Bountiful Blessings 7 pm Sr. High Bible Study 7:30 pm Evangelism	21	22	23	24 9-11 am Bountiful Blessings	25 7 am Men's Prayer Time
26 11:30 am Sr. High Guys Bible Study	57 6:30 pm Missions 7 pm Sr. High Bible Study	28	29 6:30-8:30 pm Jr. & Sr. High YF Starts	30	31	

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SUNDAY WORSHIP HOURS – 8:15 A.M. & 10:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:15 A.M.

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"A body knowing and growing in Christ so deeply that He is overflowing to others."

Return Service Requested

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