



MONTHLY SERVANTS FOR JANUARY

Announcements	Elders
Worship Coordinator	Rob Ritter
Welcome Center	Jim & Sharon Bullard
Communion Preparation	Chris & Alisa Freeman
Communion Servers	Gary Brinkhoff
	Pierce Finley
	Jerry Hastings
	Duane Bradley
	Rick Irwin
	Steve Haskew
	Blaine Bowen
	Lucas O'Connor

Sunday Morning, January 11, 2009

PA/Audio	Greg Morrissey
Media	Wade Leverett
Song Leader	Phil Crews
Opening Prayer	Tom Yaeger
Table Leader	David Plumb
Scripture	Jim Lazzeri
Sermon	Edward Bowen
Closing Prayer	Ken Gordon
Adult Class PA	Greg Morrissey

Sunday Evening, January 11, 2009

PA/Audio	Blaine Bowen
Media	Greg Morrissey
Song Leader	Phil Crews
Opening Prayer	Jerry Geiger
Scripture	Ken Dean
Sermon	Edward Bowen
Table Leader	Jerry Steining
Closing Prayer	Bruce Bennett

Wednesday Evening, January 14, 2009

Song Leader	Byron Elrod
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Nursery Attendants

January 11	Marilyn Simmons
	Donna Bradley
January 18	Marian Brooks
	Patti Irwin
January 25	Carolyn McLean
	Kristi Plumb

Our Hours of Worship

Sunday	Wednesday
Worship 10:00 am	7:00 pm
Bible Class 9:00 am	
Evening: 5:00 pm	

For the Record 1/4/09

Bible Class.....	164
Worship.....	214
Evening.....	109
Contribution....	\$ 4,764.12
Budget.....	\$ 5,800.00
YTD.....	\$(1,035.88)

Our Elders

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Our Secretary

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Our Ministry Team

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Ken Dean	Cheryl Leverett
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Paul Finley	Ruth Wilson
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Grounds	Missions
Jerry Geiger	Mac Kilpatrick
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Lyle Hastings	Randy Schow
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Dean Graham	Quilters
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Mark McLean	Women's
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Benevolence	Outreach
Roy Rush	Terri Bennett
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Dave Spong	
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January 11, 2009

WELCOME VISITORS

The Longmont Church of Christ would like to express a special welcome to you if you are visiting with us today. Please take a moment to complete the visitor card found in the pew in front of you and turn it into the collection plate. Whether you are already a committed Christian or just beginning to learn about Jesus, you are very welcome at any of our activities. Check out this bulletin for some of the planned events coming up over the next few weeks.



NURSERY

During our morning and evening services we provide an attended nursery downstairs for infants and toddlers up to 36 months.

OUR MISSION

We exist to glorify God and lead others to Him. We are committed to the teachings of Christ as expressed in His written word. **We demonstrate God's love** through serving others.

Welcome to Worship!

O Worship The King Song # 144

Call to Worship

To Christ Be True Song # 736
Seek Ye First Song # 555
Lord, Take Control Song # 790

Prayer

O Sacred Head Song # 318

Communion Offering

Scripture Reading (2 Kings 4:1-7)
Dismissal to Children's Bible Hour

Higher Ground Song # 539

Message- "The Key to Blessing"
Presented by Edward Bowen

I Am Resolved Song # 948

Closing Prayer

Please join us again this evening at 5pm! Our message will be "Jesus is the Bridge" (Ephesians 2:1-10).



M&M AFTERNOON MOVIE AND SNACKS

NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 18TH @ 12PM

Bring your favorite finger food, sandwiches, or snacks and enjoy the show!

We will be watching 'The Robe' with Richard Burton.



The Devil Made Me Do It!

A whole story of Jesus healing a demon possessed man is found in just one verse, Matthew 12:22. Yet, this one verse speaks volumes concerning the Christ and the Spirit that is at work through Him. Let's take a closer look at this important passage.

Matthew 12:22 states, "Then a demon-possessed man who was blind and mute was brought to Jesus, and He healed him, so that the mute man spoke and saw." Once the man had been healed, the crowds were amazed. They then rightly recognized Jesus as the Son of David in verse 23. People in the crowd must have understood the Isaiah 35:5 prophecy concerning the future Messiah. Once a descendent of David appeared in Zion, then the eyes of the blind would be opened, and the ears of the deaf would be unstopped. The crowds surrounding Jesus made the right connection! Since He was doing what the Old Testament said the Messiah would be doing, then He truly was the Messiah.

The Pharisees did not make this statement about Jesus. Unfortunately, the Pharisees did not see Scripture, only their own traditions and the power they would lose if He truly was the Messiah. So, what does one do in such a situation when feeling threatened? Attack! The Pharisees in verse 24 stated, "He is only doing this by the power of Beelzebul, the ruler of the demons."

Jesus uses this statement to do some teaching. First, Satan and his host are a little bit smarter than the Pharisees can imagine. Old Beelzebul is not going to be attacking his own house. Then Jesus makes an important statement, "I cast out demons by the Spirit of God." Jesus is a man like you and I. He understands our struggles, our temptations, and our weaknesses. But, God needs to show that Jesus truly is the Messiah and is speaking for the Father. Therefore, by the Spirit, Jesus must display these powerful attributes of healing. He truly binds up Satan so that He can plunder his house.

What a powerful temptation for Jesus! It would have been so easy for me when confronted with some difficult issue, just to wave my hand and solve it miraculously. But, if I could do that, then I would never truly be able to comprehend or even understand the pain of living in a fallen world. Jesus must overcome that temptation by being just like you and me.

We do have a wonderful Savior! But we also have a wonderful Spirit that resides in each of us as Christians. The Spirit that enabled Jesus to perform such incredible miracles has now entered the lives of Christians and works in different, but no less powerful, ways to help us become the kind of people God needs us to be.

~Edward Bowen

MYSTERY MEMBER



This week's mystery member clues:

1. My ancestors came to America in 1669.
2. I was a page for the state senate one summer in high school.
3. I was a cheerleader at 3 different schools.
4. I was part of a school ski club and got to ski at Vail free every week.
5. I still own my first car.
6. I married my high school sweetheart. His nickname was Romeo when I met him.
7. I have been richly blessed by God every day of my life.

WHO AM I?

Last week's mystery member was Brad Brooks. Howard Machlan was the first to guess it!

Would you like to play along and be one of our mystery members? All you have to do is come up with 4 or 5 facts about yourself (things that others may not already know about you), and email them to britniec@longmontcoc.org or drop a note in my box in the workroom. Be sure to put who you are, so that I know who the clues are for!

~CONNECTIONS~



Installation of our new projection equipment will be taking place on Saturday, January 17th. We will be beginning the project at 8am. There is lots of work for everyone so please come if you can be of help! This will greatly enhance our audio / video capabilities.



Don't forget to check the Welcome Center for sign-up sheets, thank you cards, photo directory updates, and other important things from time to time. You will also find updated telephone directories, monthly issues of the Rocky Mountain Christian News, as well as many other resources in the foyer. Missing something? Check out the lost and found for coffee mugs, coats, gloves, scarves, bibles, sunglasses, and much, much more!

CURRENT EVENTS



All ladies are invited to a baby shower for Britnie Corbett TODAY from 2-4pm at the home of Michelle Finley (1842 Caleta Trail-directions can be picked up at the Welcome Center). The Corbetts are expecting a little girl and are registered at Target & Wal-Mart.

The Hugs Project is gearing up for 2009! Don't miss the **Jan 17th** group hug at **10am** up in the fellowship hall. Bring a friend, something to share for lunch and plan to get sewing!



The M&M's will be getting together **NEXT SUNDAY at 12pm**, following morning services for a movie and snacks. Bring your favorite finger food, sandwiches, or snacks and enjoy the show! We will be watching 'The Robe' with Richard Burton.

The Lynch Family will be hosting the January youth devo **NEXT SUNDAY** after evening services. We are still in need of someone to host the February devo (2/15). Please sign up on the bulletin board if you can serve in this way!



If you would like to take care of **CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR** either on Sunday mornings or Sunday evenings during the sermon, please sign up in the Foyer. **WE NEED MORE PEOPLE FOR 2009!** A special thanks to Bob Lewis & Ruth Wilson for filling in the voids for January. Our children benefit from these programs and you will too by teaching them.

UPCOMING YOUTH EVENT



A Note from Edward~

What a great place to worship the Lord! Thank you for doing your part in making Longmont Church of Christ a place where folks can join together in love for each other. A.W. Tozer once said, "A Christian can refuse to take his cross, or he can stoop and take it up and start following our Lord Jesus. The difference between great sainthood and spiritual mediocrity depends upon which choice he makes." As we begin 2009 which choice best describes your walk with the Lord?

Don't settle for a 'ho-hum' year. It is your choice whether or not this year will be a year of excellence or mediocrity. To raise above mediocrity, we must decide to give Him our best. To give Him our best in service. To give Him our best in worship. To give Him our best in all that we do.

Once again, I would like to state that it is such an honor to be preaching at Longmont Church of Christ. We have a wonderful church family and we look forward to God's blessings for this congregation in 2009.

Sunday Children's Programs

- 9:00 am- Bible Classes for all ages (4 mo. -adult)
- 10:00 am- Adults and families worship & Attended Nursery (0-3 yrs) During AM Sermon
- Children's Worship Training** (4 yrs-4th grade)
- 5:00 pm- Adults and families worship During PM Sermon
- Attended Nursery (0-3 yrs) & Evening Children's Bible Hour (4yrs-4th grade)

Wednesday Children's Programs

- 7:00pm- Bible class for all ages (4 mo. -adult)

CALENDAR

JAN 11	Baby Shower for Britnie Corbett 2-4pm
JAN 12	Elders/Deacons meet 7pm
JAN 17	HUGS 10am
JAN 18	M&M Movie 12pm Youth Devo @ the Lynchs
JAN 25	Bridge 2pm
JAN 26	Elders meet 7pm
TUESDAYS	Ladies Class meets 10am
THURSDAYS	Quilters meet 10am

Happy Birthday

January	
12	Brigitte Shaw
13	Brandon Bowen
14	Alice Bradford
15	Flossie Trotter Heather Richardson Mackenzie Churchill
16	Erby Smith
17	Jaxon Corbett
20	Timothy Wood
22	Dean Graham
23	Helen Jurgemeyer
24	Siobhan Murtha
25	Lyle Hastings
31	Ted Parker
February	
2	Russ Kusler
6	Jerry Geiger
10	Bethany Dean
11	Parker Oberholzer
12	Dorothy Robinson
16	Jackson Senecal
17	Blake Corbett
18	John James
22	Karen Akins
27	Mark McLean