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The Revival Was A Success

A special thank you to everyone who contributed to make our revival a great success. Perhaps your contribution was music, nursery, ushering, greeting, parking, meal preparation or maybe your contribution was faithfulness to the services. Either way, we had a great revival and God gets the glory. Revival, though, is more than meetings; it is a state of being. It is the desire of this pastor that we would continue to have a spirit of (being) revival at Landmark Baptist Church. Revival is to be maintained personally within our homes and throughout the entire church family. I am sure that our Lord is pleased with our efforts to maintain a high state of readiness and godliness. Let us all consider this prescription for revival to be maintained in this dark world in which we live.

Prayer and Revival...

I can give a prescription that will bring a revival to any church, community, or city on earth. The prescription is as follows.

First, let a few Christians (they need not be many)

get thoroughly right with God themselves. **THIS IS THE PRIME ESSENTIAL.** If this is not done, the rest that I am to say will come to nothing.

Second, let them bind themselves together in a prayer group to pray down revival until God opens the heavens and comes down.

Third, let them put themselves at the disposal of God for Him to use as He sees fit in winning others to Christ. That is all!

This is sure to bring a revival to any church or community. I have given this prescription around the world. It has been taken by many churches and many communities and in every instance it has never failed, and IT CANNOT FAIL!

—Dr. R.A.

May the Lord bless you and your families as we continue to maintain an elevated state of readiness for our Lord's imminent return.

— Pastor

Need some more preaching? We've got you covered

Join us Monday, November 17, & Tuesday, November 18, to hear from Pastor Larry Brown. He pastors the Marion Avenue Baptist Church of Washington, Iowa, and he won't disappoint. Don't miss out; this will be an exciting time. And remember, you never can get enough preaching! —Romans 10:17



Pastor Larry Brown

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September
21 New Member's Reception—*All new members who have joined in the past three months will have an opportunity to meet and greet the staff after the morning service in the first classroom off the main entrance.*

28 Round Up Sunday—*Our fall campaign begins with everyone wearing their best cowboy outfits. No real six shooters, please.*



October
5 Sports Team Sunday—*Don't forget to wear the sports jersey of your favorite team.*
11 Ladies' Luncheon—*All women are invited.*
12 Mystery Sunday—*Only our Pastor knows who will be the guest preacher on Sunday.*

13 Columbus Day
19 Pumpkin Sunday—*Children will receive their very own pumpkin.*



20-21 Rangely Revival at Bible Baptist Church, Jasper Whiston, Pastor

Behind the Hymn: I Must Tell Jesus

One of the loneliest feelings we can have comes when we face a time of need without having a loving friend to talk to about it. Everyone needs at least one trusted friend in whom to confide.

Pastor Elisha Hoffman, author and composer of more than two thousand gospel songs, gives the following account of the writing of the well-loved hymn, "I Must Tell Jesus".

During a pastorate in Lebanon, Pennsylvania, there was a woman to whom God permitted many visitations of sorrow and affliction. Coming to her home one day, I found her much discouraged. She unburdened her heart, concluding with the question, "Brother

Hoffman, what shall I do? What shall I do?" I quoted her a verse or two from the Bible, then added, "You cannot do better than to take all your sorrows to Jesus. You must tell Jesus."

Pastor Hoffman quickly wrote the words and soon completed the music to the great hymn, "I Must Tell Jesus", reminding us all of the friends to whom we have to share all of our burdens.

I must tell Jesus all of my trials;
I cannot bear these burdens alone:
In my distress He kindly will help me;
He ever loves and cares for His own.

I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus!
I cannot bear these burdens alone;
I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus!
Jesus can help me, Jesus alone.

— Andy Arrants
Assistant Pastor



The Amazing Teen

AMAZING! is the word that comes to mind when one thinks of our youth here at LBC. Whether it be faithfulness to the bus ministry, singing in teen ensemble and choir, or encouraging others, the teenagers definitely have a desire to serve the Lord.

Recently the teens earned their way to a youth conference at North Valley Baptist Church in Santa Clara, California. Through the week

many decisions were made concerning the will of God in their lives. We also attended a much smaller conference at Faith Baptist Church in Montrose, Colorado. At this conference many teens learned the truth of "One Choice".

The Bible says in Psalm 119:9, "Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? by taking heed thereto according to thy word." I truly believe the teens are taking this truth seriously. My final thought is, "Are we?"

— Gabe Skillo
Assistant Pastor



Are You A Control Freak?

Be honest. A lot of people are; especially, those in leadership positions. Many mothers and fathers are; it is easy to control everything your children do when they are younger. However, when you are unable to control their lives, what is left? Will you be able to replace your control over their lives with proper influence to help them make decisions for good and for God? Many pastors and/or leaders (like your boss) are control freaks too. They mean well, and they are the one in charge; it does rest on their shoulders. However, these people must learn to replace this control with influence in order to help the follower/employee reach their potential. This happens when the one in charge is willing to lead by example. It is not "do what I say," but "do what I do." It is not "do it because I said," but "do it because I am doing it too." This is a hard place to live, but it is so important

that we do. Precious people are counting on it! Bro. Don Chitty, our Missionary to the Navajo Indians in Waterflow, New Mexico, shared this important truth with us when we were early in the ministry here. He said, "The day will come when you cannot control your children or those in your ministry, so you better learn how to properly influence them." Too many people are only working on the control. We need to work on the influence. Lead by example; love by example; care by example; soul win by example; sing by example; live right by example; dress like a Christian by example; and the list goes on and on. I am not the expert on the subject or the best example; I am the chiefest sinner. Thank you Bro. Chitty for sharing this awesome truth with us. We are so thankful for your "influence"! Please help me Lord, day by day, to work on this area in my life, I want you to use me to properly influence those people you place in my life today to live for you.

— Mrs. Nancy Barlament



Colorado Blue Columbine

26 Missions Sunday
30 Youth Harvest Party—*Young people ages 13 to 18 get ready for a night to have fun.*

November
2 Daylight Saving Time Ends—*Forgetting to set your clocks back an hour could make you a little early for Sunday school.*



4 Election Day
8 Talent Show—*If you have a talent, and even if you do not, you are still welcome to enjoy some wonderful entertainment.*

11 Veteran's Day
26 Pie Fellowship—*Calling all pies! Everyone needs to bring their best pie prepared for a get-together after the Bible study. The Pastor promises to keep it short.*



27 Thanksgiving Day
For more information concerning upcoming events contact the church offices at 970-257-1047. Thanks.