



### FREE TAX AIDE FROM AARP CONTINUES THROUGH APRIL 15

AARP is offering free tax preparation assistance again this year at Lyndon. The hours for the program this year are: Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday from 9:30 a.m.— 2:00 p.m.

Appointments are the preferred way of accessing the service. Walk-ins will be serviced only after all those with appointments are served.

You can make an appointment in one of three ways

- Scan this QR Code



- Call: 502-709-9306
- On-line: [aarp-tax-aide-lou.org/Sites/sites.html](http://aarp-tax-aide-lou.org/Sites/sites.html)

Materials you will need to prepare your documents for processing are available in a plastic tub outside the church office.

We are pleased to make room for this service again this year.

Please pass the word to your neighbors, family, and friends.



## Pray for Missions

### Praying for North America

A place at the table for everyone. The bulletin insert explains what this means for Cooperative Baptist Fellowship field personnel. We are invited to share in prayer and offering.

The face on the front of the insert belongs to Glynda in eastern Kentucky. She is one of many fed by God's love in Scarlette Jasper's ministry. Our church helps Scarlette with Christmas shoeboxes and other items she distributes in the impoverished area of Appalachia.

The face on the inside of the insert may be Miguel or one of the other migrants who labor daily so others in the U.S. can eat. Rick Burnette ministers to their need and helps them find a place at the table.

As our mission personnel go into the hard places and we even find ourselves in the hard places we can pray and share together in prayer and resources. God's blessings flow from Jesus, the bread of life.



# The Carillon

Week of March 12, 2023



## Jim's Jottings

*"Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor. . ."*

Penance is a practice that many of us associate with the Roman Catholic rite of Confession. In that rite, a person enters the confessional, enumerates the different ways they have sinned since their last confession, receives absolution from the priest, and is usually given something to do as a demonstration of their commitment to do their best to avoid engaging in those sins/that sin again.

Because Martin Luther and the other leaders of the Reformation were repulsed by the abuses related to the Sacrament of Confession, among others, they tended to downplay and/or dismiss the rite of confession one's sins to a priest in order to receive forgiveness..

One, not trivial, consequence of purging the practice of confessing one's sin to another member of the body of Christ is that many persons are left struggling with sin, shame, and guilt. Even though we might pray, in the privacy of our own heart, for forgiveness, we can often be left wondering if God has heard and forgiven, because we still feel bad and we wonder what has changed.

Another possible consequence may be exactly what the Reformers were trying to avoid, i.e. the trivialization of our confession. That is, we come to believe that just the mere act of saying sorry fixes everything. So we can end up in an endless cycle of sin, confession, sin, confession, and on and on, without actually breaking the cycle of sin in our lives.

The writer of The Epistle of James encourages us to "confess [our] sins to one another. . . , so that [we] may be healed.

One way the Protestant Reformers tried to reclaim the act of confession our sins to one another was by including a communal prayer of confession in our worship services. As a community act, and a model for confession, I believe this is a significant part of worship. But it can be a hit or miss experience in our own personal lives, in addressing the struggles we individually have with sin.

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**March 12**

**Camera**– Nick Graver

**Sound**– Ray Powell

**March 19**

**Camera**– Lindsey Harris

**Sound**– Tim Vanderhoof

*Jim's Jottings* continued from Front Page

The vulnerable act of opening up to another believer about the sin we struggle with can be a path toward healing. At its best, this practice gives us both an accountability partner, and also an ally in the struggles with the sins that are particular to us. It can also help us to identify and confront sins that we have buried deep within our souls.

You may be asking yourself at this point, ‘so what is penance, and what does it have to do with confession?’

Penance is tied to confession in this way: when we confess our struggles with sin and our failures, we hear the words from another Christian assuring us of God’s forgiveness through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus; but that is not the end of the matter.

For confession to be more than words, the act of penance means we agree to take certain steps that show our determination to avoid engaging in this sin again. That is penance. It could be as simple as determining to say The Lord’s Prayer whenever we feel tempted or as radical as Zacchaeus’ act of making restitution to those harmed.



**SCRIPTURE READERS**

**March 12**

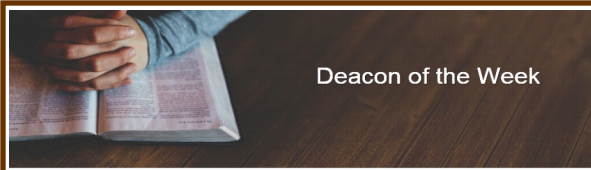
Peggy Romanoli

**March 19**

Jack Rogers

**March 26**

Terry Burkhead



Deacon of the Week

**Gary Hicks**  
**454-0256**



**SUNDAY**

10:45 a.m.

*Morning Worship on Facebook®*

*YouTube®,*

*& lyndonbaptist.org*

**WEDNESDAY**

6:30 p.m.

*Midweek Service on Facebook® & YouTube®*

**March**

**Monday, March 13**

9:00 a.m. - Mary Adkins Quilters

**Tuesday, March 14**

9:30 a.m. - Al Anon Group

Noon—*Healing Friends @ Corner Cafe*

1:30 p.m Al Anon Group

**Wednesday, March 15**

9:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m.—AARP

4:00 p.m. - Administrative Team

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Supper

6:30 p.m. - Prayer Service- In person & On line

**Thursday, March 16**

9:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m.— AARP

9:30 a.m. - Joyous Singers - Sanctuary

**Saturday, March 18**

9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. - AARP

**Monday, March 20**

9:00 a.m Mary Adkins Quilters

**Tuesday, March 21**

9:00 a.m. - Al Anon Group

1:30 p.m. - Al Anon Group

**Wednesday, March 22**

9:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m. —AARP

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Supper

6:30 p.m. Prayer Service –In person & On Line

**Thursday, March 23**

9:30 a.m. - Joyous Singers - Sanctuary

9:30 a.m. - 2:-00 p.m. - AARP

**Saturday, March 25**

9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. - AARP

**Monday, February 27**

9:00 a.m. - Mary Adkins Quilters

**Tuesday, February 28**

9:00 a.m. - Al Anon Group

10:00 a.m. - WMU

1:30 p.m. - Al Anon Group

**Wednesday, March 29**

9:30 a.m.– 2:00 p.m.—AARP

5:30 p.m.—Fellowship Supper

6:30 p.m. Prayer Service –In person & On Line

**Financial Update**

	YTD	BUDGETED	DIFFERENCE
<b>GENERAL OFFERING</b>	45,412.00	\$45,500.00	(\$ 88.00)
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>	\$ 6,913.51	\$ 9,268.29	(\$2,354.78)
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	\$52,325.51	\$54,268.29	(\$1,942.78)
<b>EXPENSES</b>	\$56,353.50	\$50,816.25	\$5,537.25
<b>INCOME/EXPENSE</b>	(\$ 4,027.99)		



# Fellowship Dinner Menu

## March 15

Grilled Pork Chops  
Broccoli  
Mashed Potatoes  
House Salad

## March 22

Meat Loaf  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Cole Slaw

## March 29

Fried Chicken  
Mac & Cheese  
Greens  
House Salad

Please make or change your reservation by Monday at Noon either on the sign-up sheets in Sunday School, in the foyers before and after worship, or by calling the church office.

***NOTE:** All menus are subjected to change depending on availability of food.*



March 27 - Sharon Wood

# Contribution Statements

On Wednesday of this past week, we mailed *Contribution Statements* for January and February to those who have given to the life and mission of the church during those months.

During 2023, we will be mailing you a copy of your giving record bi-monthly, on the heels of your receiving *Offering Envelopes* in the mail. We hope that this regular update on your gifts to the life and ministry of the church will be useful in helping each of us to keep current in our tithes and offerings..

If you do/did not receive a copy of your *Contribution Statement*, please check with the church office. It is entirely possible that we have made a mistake. We hope that is the case.

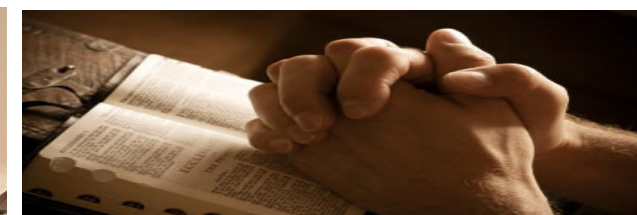
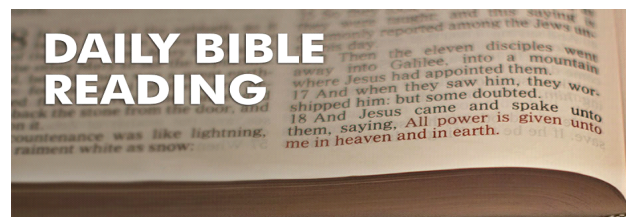
If not, then we encourage you to consider what you can do financially to support the life and work of your church in the coming weeks and months. We are able to do what we do only to the level at which we all contribute.

## PRAYER GUIDE

March 12, 2023

### *THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT*

*Merciful God, the fountain of living water, you quench our thirst and wash away our sin. Give us this water always. Bring us to drink from the well that flows with the beauty of your truth through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, now and forever. Amen*



### SCRIPTURE READINGS

**Monday** – Psalm 81; Genesis 24:1 – 27; 2 John 1:1 – 13

**Tuesday** – Psalm 81; Genesis 29:1 – 14; 1 Corinthians 10:1 – 4

**Wednesday** – Psalm 81; Jeremiah 2:4 – 13; John 7:14 – 31; 37 – 39

**Thursday** – Psalm 23; 1 Samuel 15:10 – 21; Ephesians 4:25 – 32

**Friday** – Psalm 23; 1 Samuel 15:22 – 31; Ephesians 5:1 – 9

**Saturday** – Psalm 23; 1 Samuel 15:32 – 34; John 1:1 – 9

**Sunday** – FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Psalm 23; 1 Samuel 16:1 – 13; Ephesians 5:8 – 14; John 9:1 – 41

### PRAYER FOR NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONS

*“If, then, there is any encouragement in Christ, if any consolation of love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any affection and mercy make my joy complete by thinking the same way, having the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose.*

*Philippians 2:1 – 2*

North America has  
371 Million People  
350 languages

Support mission personnel with your prayers and with your financial gifts.

Use the prayer guides provided in the bulletin as a focus for your prayer.

## PRAYER FOR OUR CHURCH

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## Prayer for Family and Friends

**Evelyn Adiputra**

Friend of Ruth Holladay

**Liz Aulino**

Friend of Lindsey Harris

**John Biesel**

Father of Lindsay Harris

**Nellie Bolin**

Friend of Jack and Laurice  
Rogers

**David Brinkley**

Nephew of Jane Hasty

**Billy Compton**

Son in Law of Dickie Cox

**Alex Delano**

Friend of Lindsey Harris

**Waldo Dorton**

Brother of Ken Dorton

**Family of Augusta Flemister**

Mother of Odessa Flemister

**Erin Ford**

Friend of Lindsey Harris

**Randall Ford**

Family of Marty Hamilton

**Ronald Furguson**

Father of Addie Brownell

**Lisa Gilmore**

Friend of Derek Harris

**Nelson Gruppe**

Cousin of Diana Flemister

**Ray Hicks**

Son of Gary and Victoria Hicks

**Dr. Milton Horne**

Brother of Raeburn Horne

**Emily Janowik and Family**

Friend of Lindsey Harris

**Deb Jennings and Jordan  
Hahn**

Family of Sandy Hahn

**Gail Leyman**

Member of the Quilters

**Sara Beth Lowe**

Friend of Derek and Lindsey  
Harris

**Forrest Morehead**

Brother-in-Law of Sharon Wood

**Donna Prim**

Friend of Gary and Victoria  
Hicks

**Richard Robinson**

Friend of Jim and Ruth  
Holladay

**Sean Ruwe**

Son of Vera Ruwe

**Mary Simpson**

Aunt of Terry Burkhead and  
Barbara Whitley

**Gladys Smith**

Family of Addie Brownell

**Mark and Amy Snyder**

Family of Sandy Hoover

**Sean Stearman**

Grandson of Jan Raper

**Jessica Weisenfels**

Friend of Lindsey Harris

**Maggie Westwood**

Friend of Lindsey Harris

**Joseph Williams**

Family of Tim and Dora  
Vanderhoof