

LCC

Spotlight

To know Christ and make Him known

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I Peter 4:10 "As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace."

I was at a convention last week and one of the speakers said to the crowd: "What would you do if you knew you were Amazing?" It is a different thought process on how you would live your life. How far would you stretch yourself and what would you attempt if you knew that you absolutely could not fail? Would you ever say no? What would you do different than you do today? Genesis 1:27 tells us that "God created man in His image." God has given us every gift that we will need for His plans for us. Personally I believe that God puts opportunities for all facets of life in front of us to see if we will trust Him enough to take us through the uncomfortable and seemingly impossible. Challenge accepted every time because Romans 12:6 states: "Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them...in proportion to our faith." If your faith is strong God's gifts will carry you through.

I wanted to take this month's article and thank some Amazing people who are using their God given gifts according to His will for the furtherance of His kingdom. At our first board meeting I assigned tasks to each and every board member. Some were stretched and some may have gotten overwhelmed, a few eyebrows raised, and brows furrowed. But each has risen to the challenges with a heart of willingness and dedication. Each of them works for you with a servant's heart as a testament to God for the future of our camp. Some of their accomplishments are already evident and some will lead us into our exciting future.

Next I wanted to thank our staff and the multiple volunteers for their dedication to making LCC a place that all of us can enjoy. Think about the work to prepare the grounds, the inventory and supplies for the kitchen, store, and office. The first cleaning in 6 months for all of our buildings and rentals. When I got to camp in early April it was disheartening to see all of the leaves and branches that were down, the road rutted, the empty kitchen, store, and office. The newness of life that our staff bring to our property each year is an amazing transformation and I don't think that we normally contemplate all of the work that goes on into the background. We just see it when the lawns have been cleaned up and mowed, new decoration sup and transformation completed for the coming season.

Finally, I wanted to thank all of those that have volunteered for service at the many camps, weekend, retreats, events, and maintenance project that are in the final rounds of planning or completed as your read this. I believe if you counted up each and every single job that is done you would easily find over a 1000 roles that have been filled by volunteers and still would have forgotten many. Thank you all for the sacrifice, for the dedication, for running the race for you Lord and Savior. Your blessing await you in Heaven. We look forward to seeing everyone Memorial Day weekend and throughout the coming season.

Mark Pogue President, LCC Board

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Check the Web site

Register Online for LCC 2014 Camps



We will provide incentives for completed online reservations. For family units who **register online** and **pay online** by the penalty date for our camps; you get the following opportunities

All who register and pay as above will receive \$10 per family unit in LCC dollars for the camp store.

We will have a drawing at each camp that will provide a registration refund for a family at each camp.

Last year when I was asked to write something FROM for *The Spotlight*, I tried to communicate why I thought it was important to increase prothe gramming at LCC. I think I mentioned something like hoping to establish a more intimate community. Well, I have been working very hard to create more opportunities this summer for the LCC community to get together. Two new somethings I am very excited about are Boundless for the Young Adult Community coming very soon-May 17 & 18. And the community Recirculation event on Memorial Day weekend. Both events provide opportunity for people to gather, fellowship, share, eat, laugh, relax, and have fun. Isn't that what LCC is about? A place to renew, recharge, and relax in the presence of God? Please take advantage of the many other opportunities to act as a community who cares about each other and wants to socialize together.

- All the special events during Memorial Day Weekend
- **Staff Appreciation Days**
- Build your own Sundae June 14th at the camp store
- **Potluck Lunches**
- Straight Path Concert on the Patio-July
- Pig Roast August
- Outdoor Movie Night on the Patio
- Three Amazing Camps
- Pre-Keen Weekend August
- Labor Day Weekend
- Fall Festival during Columbus Day Weekend

I love this place and I love all of you, love on each other this summer. Love God. And be a community of believers that draws others here because they want to be part of a community that is the best.

Lisa Oviatt **Board of Trustees**



Family Camp Auction

Auction
We are looking for items to be auctioned off at the live auction! Please email Lauren (Lnkroh@gmail.com) with your item and/or ideas as soon as possible!

Think big, think new, think out of the box!

Would you like to be at LCC more often? How about bidding on a LCC lot? Two LCC lots will be in the live auction again this year! Membership is a requirement to bid on the lots; membership applications must be submitted to the office at least 2 weeks prior to FC. Contact the office for details. Current association members may also bid on the lots and have up to one year to transfer a property to another member.

We are looking for at least 10 more themed baskets with a value of \$25-\$50 for our basket raffle! Email Lauren (Lnkroh@gmail.com) if you plan on bringing one.

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Pre-Keen Weekend: A weekend for Mid 40's - Mid 60's Empty Nesters August 22nd—24th

Come and connect with others in your stage of life, have time for reflection and growth, and have fun. Friday evening there will be a social gathering. Bring a dessert to share as we get to know one another over coffee and sweets. Saturday AM we will meet for coffee and bagels. Pastor Andy Sass from the Brockport FM Church will speak on "Life Transitions." Saturday lunch will be on your own. The Camp Store will be available for a variety of food selections. In the afternoon lawn games, water sports, or quiet down time will all be options. We will meet at 4PM for a walking Road Rally on the campgrounds. There will be a catered turkey dinner Saturday evening followed by a round robin card game. Please join us for worship on Sunday on the grounds of LCC. We will finish with a pizza, wings, and salad lunch. Cost is \$40/ person which will cover food, registration, and programming. The deadline for registration will be August 8th. Help us kick-off this inaugural weekend. Hope to see you there.

KEEN KAMP 2014

Count It All Joy

Keen Kamp is July 20 - 25

Special events include

Bible studies

For His Glory gospel quartet

Informative Classes

Sports

Crafts

Antique Roadshow

Field Trips and more

Sign up and invite a friend to come with you



Tick! Tock! Tick! Tock! Less than 60 days until Family Camp 2014! How exciting is that?! For us, the excitement has been building each and every time we have someone sign on to b a part of our Body of Christ here at LCC. Last Spotlight, we announced our camp speaker for the week, Abdu Murray, from Embrace the Truth International. This time, we are happy to announce that we have a 1st-5th grade Bible teacher for both morning and evening sessions! We are welcoming back Mike Proud and family, di-

rector of Children's Ministries at Brockport Free Methodist Church. Last year Mike helped with our youth ministries. Thank you to those of you who have been praying for God to put together His Family Camp "staff" this year. Your prayers are being answered! A special thank you to those of you who are those answers to prayer!

Speaking of camp personnel, two youth ministry graduates from Liberty University, Tom Keegan and Alex Kacere, will be joining us for the week. Tom and Alex have been eager and ready to go since January! We are thrilled to have them facilitate our am youth Sunday school, teen sports and teen afterglows. A meet and greet pizza party will be held for Jr and Sr High teens on Saturday, June 28.

If you're wondering if we need any more help, the answer is yes! We still need help supervising ceramics (2 days) and young children, ages 0-5 (am and pm). Also if you are musically inclined and would like to join our am chapel worship team or perform special music, let us know. We are in search of both vocal and instrumental musicians. Please contact Lauren Sheridan or Deanna Scott.



Want to help by donating an item to the live auction or maybe a themed basket for the basket raffle? Email Lauren if you plan on donating an item.

Along with many new additions to camp we will be having your favorite sports and crafts throughout the week and a 2nd annual motorcycle ride on Sunday, June 29. Also, July 4th chicken BBQ tickets will be available through the office, so reserve yours today!



While our theme for the week is unity in the Body of Christ, each day of camp will focus on a spiritual gift and coordinating body part. For example, Thursday's chapel will highlight leadership and feet. We are working to infuse the rest of the day's activities with opportunities to lead and use our feet. By the end of the day we should have gained a better understanding of, and a little bit of practice in, being a specific part of the Body of Christ. Spiritual gift inquiries will be in your registration packets so you can be discovering and thinking all week long about what gifts God has given you.

With all of that said, please continue to pray for the planning of family camp as we get down to the details and final days of preparation! We can't wait to see you!

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Getaway Camp 2014

Some things we just know we can count on:

Aug 2nd-8th

Make this your family vacation!
You won't regret it!

Pastor George Grace!
Connecting with God
Connecting with our children
Fun activities
Great memories
Great people
Hay rides
Games
Campfires
Obstacle courses
Picking blueberries

And so much more......



2014 SUNDAY SPEAKER SCHEDULE

May 25- Kevin Conklin, Life Groups Pastor Ssouthbrook Church, NC



- June 1- Doug McClinsey, The Chapel at Crosspoint
- June 8- Deone Drake, Singles & Teaching Pastor, The Chapel at Crosspoint
- June 15- Darlene Meiney Pastor, Parma FM Church
- June 22– Rick Ireland Pastor/Missionary FM Church
- June 29- Rev. Abdu Murray, Embrace the Truth International Co-Founder & President, Rochester, MI Family Camp Speaker
- July 6- Laverne Bates, Retired Pastor FM Church
- July 13- Pastor Dane Emerick, Liberty University Campus Pastor

- July 20- Rev. David Ashton Keen Kamp Speaker
- July 27– Jeff Hackett, SCORE Missionary The Chapel at Crosspoint
- Aug 3- Rev. George Grace Pastor, First Bible Baptist Church Getaway Camp Speaker
- Aug 10– Leroy Wiggins, Men's and Small Groups Pastor, The Chapel at Crosspoint
- Aug 17– Todd Daningburg, Pastor, Warsaw FM Church
- Aug 24– Pete Mills, Pastor, Webster FM Church
- Aug 31- Doug Milne, Pastor, Church of the Nazarene, Rochester, NY



2014 Memorial Day Weekend Events

Weekend Schedule at a Glance

Saturday

Association Meeting Community Recirculation Event Coffee & Tea on the Patio

Sunday

Morning Worship Service Chicken BBQ (Reservations Required) Bingo

Monday

15K Bike Ride 5K Run/Walk Remembrance Event Saturday, May 24th

Association Meeting

for all Lot Owners & Members
Saturday, May 24th In the Annex
8:30 am Coffee & Donuts; 9:00 am Meeting

Join us at 7:00 pm for **Coffee and Tea on the Patio**

Special live music inspired by Frank Sinatra

Connect with friends while enjoying a great cup of coffee or tea.



Sunday Morning Worship Service 10:30 am Parmeter Tabernacle



Kevin Conklin is a passionate lover of God, and life. He currently serves as Life Groups Pastor at Southbrook Church just south of Charlotte, North Carolina, and has served churches from 250—1800 for the past 28 years. Kevin is married to his best friend Karyn, and they have four adult children and one grandson between them. Kevin grew up in the Midwest, came to Christ just before college and graduated from Taylor University in 1980. He loves the relational process of seeing people far from God find God, grow spiritually and learn to live in authentic community together while sharing the great news of Jesus to others.

Community Recirculation Event

Saturday, May 24th, 1:00 - 4:30pm, LWMMcGrath Hall

The ducks and swans are back on the lake, and other "snowbirds" are arriving daily. Memorial Day weekend promises to be the start of an active season, including our Rummage~Craft~Bake Sale.

Craft Sale!

One section of tables will be for donated items. These items should be pre-priced. All proceeds will go to LCC and any leftovers will be donated to charity.

Another groups of tables will be for individual crafters or family sales. Each table will be managed by the owner. You will need to provide your own cash box and cash for any change that may be needed. In the spirit of supporting LCC, each owner/crafter may wish to donate a small percentage of their sales in exchange for the table setup.

Another section of tables will be for baked goods. Adults who wish to donate a baked item should preprice the item., with the proceeds going to LCC. Kids can also participate by baking an item; they should label the item with their initials and also price it. The kids can keep their sales monies; they also may wish to return a small portion to LCC.



If you would like to reserve a table, or if you have questions feel free to contact us at: 920-734-3091 (home); 920-422-1222 (cell); or by email at jnkw@aol.com.

We would appreciate the help of a few volunteers for the general sales tables, the baked goods area, and a cashier. We are also looking for newspaper (to wrap items in), bags (plastic and/or paper), and boxes (small and large) for items that will not fit into bags.

Items may be dropped off beforehand in Magill Classroom in Lighthouse Commons.

Thank you in advance.

Blessings,

Jeff and Karen Atwater

2014 Memorial Day Weekend Events

Chiavetta's Chicken BBQ

Sunday, May 25th at Noon In the Annex

\$12.00 for Half Chicken \$10.00 for Quarter Chicken

Price includes chicken, 4 sides provided by PWT, dessert & beverage.

Reservations must be made by Monday, May 19th at 4:00 pm. (See form below.)





BINGO in the Annex

Sunday evening at 7:00 pm

PWT Pizza will be available in the camp store.



Memorial Day 15k Bike Ride 5kRun/Walk Remembrance Event

For several years I half-listened to Jim Owen making his sales pitch for the LCC Memorial Day run. An early morning run was the last thing I was interested in doing on Memorial Day. In fact, it was the last thing I was interested in doing at any time, any day. I found absolutely no enjoyment in running! But in May of 2011, my 13 year old son, Jared, announced that he wanted to run on Memorial Day. I thought that was great (for him) and encouraged him to do it. Unfortunately, the running shoes my wife bought for Jared didn't fit him, they fit me. I somehow felt compelled to

We went for a few runs before Memorial Day and I quickly learned how out of shape I was. My goal was to run the entire 5K without stopping. On that foggy Memorial Day morning, I was surprised to see runners, and walkers of all ages assembling at the camp entrance. Jim Owen took us through some pre-race stretches, inspired us with some stories of cross-country days at Roberts, and explained all the rules and procedures. I took my place in the middle of the pack with my peers; some life-long friends that I grew up with at LCC. We enjoyed some conversation as we got started, but it soon became apparent, that we all needed to breathe more than talk. I remember thinking 5k (3.1 miles) was an incredibly long distance, and I had to fight off the urge to stop running several times.



The water station midway was a welcome sight; I had made it halfway! The second half of the loop was easier, as I was encouraged by so many LCC residents and life-long family friends who were completing the first half. It was in the home-stretch that the competitiveness in me began to kick in. Throughout the entire race Joe Hunt and I were playing this cat and mouse game. My goal was no longer just to finish the race without walking...it was to beat Joe Hunt! Through the fog I could see the back of my son's shirt and beyond that the finish line. We had done it!

That was my introduction to an activity my entire family has come to love. I have enjoyed countless runs with each of my five sons and my wife as well. We have participated in many 5k and 10k races together. A year later, in May of 2012, I completed my first marathon and Jared completed his first half marathon. The following day, we participated in our 2nd LCC 5k run/walk. This time I decided to walk it, since I could barely walk! I chose Aunt Milly Forth, and Sue Owen as my pacing partners. Aunt Milly had me laughing the whole way and unlike the year before, the 5k went by too quickly. I told Aunt Milly what an inspiration she was, and how I hoped that I would be able to walk 3.1 miles when I am in my 90s!

I am looking forward to seeing you all at the starting line this Memorial Day! Aunt Milly, will you join me?

Ron Ziegler



Chicken BBQ Reservation Form				
Half Chicken Quarter Chicken	\$12.00 per ticket \$10.00 per ticket	# of Tickets # of Tickets Total Amount		
For your convenience, you may pay with cash, check or credit card. Checks should be made out to Lighthouse Christian Camp. Reservation forms paid by check or credit card should be mailed to Lighthouse Christian Camp 9574 Somerset Dr., Barker, NY 14012 or you may reserve and pay (with CC) for tickets by phone at 716.795.3216.				
Check Number				
Credit CardMC	VisaDiscove	Am Express		
Card Number		Exp. Date		
Cardholder		Signature		
Tickets need to be reserved and paid for by Monday, May 19th at 4:00 pm. Thank you.				

Tip the Teeter-Totter at LCC

The Golf Tournament is Saturday, July 5th at Niagara Orleans Country Club. Registration and lunch at 11:30 am, shotgun start at 12:30 pm.

Registration fee: \$100.00 Includes golf, "Meatball in a Cup" lunch and dinner catered by John and Michele Yancey

Sponsorship opportunities are available. Contact the office for more details by phone at 716.795.3216 or by email at Lighthousecamp@Lighthousecamp.org





Merry Christmas on Saturday, August 16!

PIG ROAST

You do not want to miss this year's Pig Roast! Party Time catering and PWT are scheduled to deliver a delicious pulled pork meal. The Barker Chocolate Box is providing specially decorated Christmas cookies. Faithful

Men are preparing a memorable Christmas concert. The photo booth will be spectacularly decorated for your Christmas photos. Bring your camera or phone and take your holiday pictures early. Be prepared for a visit from Santa himself! It's going to be a fantastic evening.

Tickets are limited and available in the camp office.

Get'em early so you don't miss out!



From the General Manager's Desk

Lots of work to do and the 2014 LCC season is quickly approaching. We are working hard to have everything ready. Our staff and a group of volunteers are busy with the tasks at hand.

We began the season with a group from Barker Central School having an event in our Commons on April 26^{th} . We also had a retreat with the Vineyard denomination on May 2-4. This is the earliest start we have had to our LCC ministry season.

We are busy completing the Tabernacle upgrades and the Fletcher Lodge renovation. We have experienced some winter damage as a result of the extreme low temperatures and deep frost in the ground. We are fully open and all damage repaired.

As noted in the last *Spotlight*, we are installing a new camp management software package that will improve our ability to keep our program chairpersons up to date with registrations and allow better program planning. The software provides for online registration for all camp events. The first year will be more data intensive for on line registration and we are providing some incentives for families to register on line for Family Camp, Keen Kamp and Getaway Camp. See the incentives in this issue of the Spotlight.

This software will also provide for rental and donor process. These functions will be implemented in the next month.

I look forward to seeing all of you here in the next few weeks. You will note that Lisa Oviatt, our Program Chairperson, has planned several new events for 2014. Please plan to be a part of these and encourage the young adults to be a part of the BOUNDLESS event May 17 - 18.

Please pray for our staff, program chairs and volunteers as they prepare for LCC 2014.

Chip Duncan
General Manager, Lighthouse Christian Camp

Boundless

Young Adult Weekend May 17-18

It is not too late to register for Boundless! Registrations are being accepted until Thursday, May 15th at 5 pm! Register on line or call the office 716.795.3216 Thank you to those of you who have helped the LCC Staff getting ready for the summer camping season.

Many of you braved the cold and rain to help with our spring work day.

You are so appreciated.

2014 LCC Summer Events

Young Adult Weekend Sat., May 17 - Sun, May 18

Memorial Day Weekend Fri., May 23 - Mon., May 26

Family Camp

Sat., June 28 - Sat., July 5 Lauren (Kroh) Sheridan, Chair Inkroh@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE

Golf Tournament

Sat., July 5 Rick Cott, Chair

Keen Kamp

Sun., July 20 - Fri., July 25 Darlene McCown, Chair

Getaway Camp

Sat., August 2 - Fri., August 8 Jason & Michelle Storm, Co-Chairs Michelle.storm1@gmail.com or storm556@gmail.com

Pig Roast

Sat., August 16

Pre-Keen Event

August 22-24

Labor Day Weekend

Fri., August 29 - Mon., September 1

Fall Festival

Sat., October 11 & Sun., October 12

Sunday Morning Worship Service

10:30 AM Parmeter Tabernacle Sun., May 25 - Sun., August 31

More Summer Events

June 14-

Build your own Sundae \$1.00 per sundae

June 22-

Potluck Dinner following Sunday Morning Worship

July 12.

Potluck Dinner following Sunday Morning Worship

July 26-

Outdoor Concert with Straight Path

August 9-

Outdoor Movie Night

August 16-

Pig Roast & Faithful Men Concert

October 11 & 12-

Fall Festival

Join us for as many of these fun filled events as you can. More details to follow.

Labor Day Weekend Aug 29 - Sep 1

For the final weekend before the schedule really goes crazy— reserve your spot to enjoy your family on LABOR DAY WEKEND.

The Anderson/Garrett families are planning some fun activities such as a dog parade in the center of camp.

End the summer right and join in on the fun.











Cottages/Lots for Sale

405 Second St (Lot and/or Trailer) Mark & Charity Curtis, 585-352-9503

307 Third St (Cottage) Ed & Bev Greene, 480-307-8038



612 Third St (Lot) Dan & Penny Alderman, 585-344-2342

403 Second St (Cottage) Roy Williams, 716-795-3320

506 First St (Cottage) Clair & Florence Fyke 716-795-3516

607 First St (Lot) Roger & Corinna Haskins, 716-912-4319

110 First St (Cottage) Mike & Cathy Guthrie, 412-364-8247

602 Third St (Lot) Greg & Deb Merriam, 716-481-6515

308 Third St (Cottage) Marc & Wendy O'Hearn, 716-560-3996

606 Fifth St (Lot) Jack & Marylin Baker, 585-748-5986