

## SERMON NOTES

### THE MEASURE OF OUR MISSION

Growing strong in f \_ \_ \_ \_ ;  
having p \_ \_ \_ \_ with God;  
being s \_ \_ \_ \_ by Christ.

We have an assignment: a mission with an aim. 1 Tim. 1:4-5  
L \_ \_ \_ that issues from a p \_ \_ \_ heart and a good  
c \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ and a sincere faith.  
To obtain the glory of Christ 2 Thess. 2:13-17

Our work Matt. 5:14-16

The dimensions of the work John 14:12-13

As disciples who glorify God John 15:7-8

Bearing fruit Matt. 3:8

And abiding in His love John 15:5-10

Hearing and doing as Jesus taught Matt. 7:24-29

God created the world Ps. 19:1; 8:3-4

God loved the world John 3:16

Jesus is the light of the world Eph. 5:8-9

Jesus is the savior of the world 1 Tim. 1:15-17

He enables us through the Holy Spirit Eph. 3:14-19

He commissioned us to go to all the world Mark 15:15

He authorized and equipped us to accomplish his mission in his power  
and in his presence Matt. 28:18-20

In the peace of Christ we are called to do this work as his church John  
20:21

We are united to serve Eph. 4:1-7a,11-16,21-24,32

In Christ is our hope Col. 1:3-6,9-14

To God be the glory Eph. 3:20-21

## MINISTRY LEADERS

### Dr. Ron Hinson

Senior Pastor

### Steve Branch

Pastor: Missions, Nurture &  
Youth

### Melanie Walk

Interim Pastor: Music & Worship

### April Coleman

Pastor: Children & Families

### Deborah Laymon

Church Office Administrator

### Lorraine Shreve

Financial Administrator

### Dixie Gentry

Administrative Assistant

### Alton McEarchern

Building Maintenance Custodian

### Mary Sweat

WEECare Director

## TO OUR GUESTS

Thank you for coming! We are glad that you have joined us for worship. You are encouraged to fill out a Connection Card found in the pew in front of you. Please place the card in the offering plate as it passes or bring to the Welcome Center following worship. If you are unable to stay after worship today, you may place your card in the Connection Box in the church foyer as you exit.

Please accept this service as a gift to you from the LaFayette family. The giving of tithes and offerings as a part of this worship experience is an opportunity to support the ministry and mission of LaFayette in response to God's faithfulness to us.

For our youngest guests, infants through kindergarten, Extended Teaching Care (ETC) is provided. Any of our ushers would be happy to assist you in locating the Preschool Area.

Following worship, we have a time of Bible Study for all age-groups. Preschool, children, and youth are in age-graded classes. Our adults have a variety of options depending on your preference. Our Welcome Center staff will be glad to assist you in finding your place. In the hallway behind the sanctuary, follow the crowd and you will see the "Welcome Center" on the left.

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Today in Worship

October 22, 2017

Announcements

Welcome and Prayer

Celebration Choir

*Proclaim the Mighty Power of God*

Morgan Boehmer, trumpet

*Our God Saves*

*Hear the Call of the Kingdom*

Stewardship Commitment

*This is Amazing Grace*

Worship Through Giving

## Message

Dr. Ron Hinson

“The Measure of Our Mission”

## Time of Commitment

*Broken Vessels (Amazing Grace)*

## Closing Song

*Hear the Call of the Kingdom*



- ❖ Over the next few Sundays, **older preschoolers and children** will be taking home information from Sunday School about **music rehearsals for the Advent season**. Please sign up your children if they are interested in participating.
- ❖ More information about our **Family Reunion Meal** is available in your Bible Study class. Please bring all food to the Fellowship Hall/Kitchen before worship, and please plan to take all of your items at the close of the meal.
- ❖ You are invited to go with your church family to **The Carolina Opry Christmas Special in Myrtle Beach, SC on Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>**! Show-goers will depart LBC at 9:30am that morning and return to LBC at 9:30pm that evening. **Cost is \$50 per person and is due no later than Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>**. Make your check payable to LBC with Carolina Opry in the memo line. You may give your check or cash to Lorraine Shreve, Faith Boehmer, or turn it in at the church office. This event is hosted by the Adult Deacon Team. Info fliers are available on the Nurture Board.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Minister on Call**  
**October 22: Steve Branch**  
**October 27-29: Ron Hinson**

- ❖ **Extended Teaching Care** - Extended Teaching Care is for babies-Kindergarteners during the worship hour. Our volunteers for today are Babies-Younger Toddlers: Jackie O'Donnell and Michelle Hurst, Older Toddlers - Younger 4's: Genia Bateman, Anita McGaha, and Lauren King, Pre-K/K: Sheila Howell and Debbie Bailey. This schedule is subject to change. We are incredibly grateful for your service.
- ❖ **Pancake Breakfast for LBC veterans, Saturday, November 11th, 8:00am-10:00am in the Fellowship Hall.** Hosted by the Adult Deacon Team. This breakfast is for veterans of all branches of service, their immediate family members, and spouses of deceased veterans. Sign up in your Sunday School class.
- ❖ **Operation Christmas Child Collection Underway!** Our annual collection of shoebox gifts to be sent to Samaritan's Purse will run through Sunday, November 12th. Information is available on the Missions board.
- ❖ **Volunteer Shift at the Operation Christmas Child Distribution Center - Mon. Nov. 27th** - Join us for a day shift at the OCC Distribution Center in Charlotte. We have 12 spots reserved. We will travel on the church bus and will leave from the church at 6am. Our work shift is 9am-3pm. We will be back by 7pm. If you are interested sign-up on the Missions Board.

**Weekly General Fund Budget Needed: \$10,838.48**  
**General Fund Received October 15, 2017: \$11,552.00**

## THIS WEEK AT LBC

### TODAY-Sunday, October 22

- 8:45am Church-Wide Prayer Time, A121  
9:30am Worship/Commitment Sunday  
10:45am Bible Study For All Ages  
Adults: In search of your group? Come by the Welcome Center  
Youth (7th-12th Grades), Room U212  
Children (1st-6th Grades), Classrooms  
Preschoolers (Babies-Kindergarten), B Hallway Classrooms
- 5:30pm Discipleship for Everyone  
A Biblical Study of *Isaiah* led by Dr. Ron Hinson, Fellowship Hall  
*The Marriage You've Always Wanted* led by Mike Cox, A121  
*The Daniel Prayer* led by Faith Boehmer, Multi-Purpose Room  
Youth Discipleship, U210-U212  
KidsZone (1st-6th graders), U205-U207  
Preschool Explorers, B136

### Tuesday, October 24

- 6:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast, K&W Cafeteria on Village Drive

### Wednesday, October 25

- 10:30am Intercessory Prayer, Prayer Room  
6:30pm Bible Study, Fellowship Hall  
Celebration Choir Rehearsal, Music Suite  
Youth Mid-Week Workout, U210-U212  
Connections For Children and Families, Multi-Purpose Room

### Sunday, October 29

- 8:45am Church-Wide Prayer Time, A121  
9:30am Worship/Church Wide Celebration Event  
10:45am No Bible Study  
5:30pm No Evening Events

**We graciously request that no food or beverages be brought into the Worship Center at any time. Thank you!**

WC - Worship Center, MS - Music Suite, FH - Fellowship Hall PR - Prayer Room,  
MP - Multi-Purpose Room, U - Upstairs  
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