

LAMBLINK



THE POWER OF HIS RESURRECTION

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Weekly Agenda

MONDAYS

Youth Ministry Mtg (3rd) 6:30pm

TUESDAYS

Marriage Ministry Mtg (2nd & 4th) 6:30pm

Men's Choir Rehearsal (2nd & 4th) 6:30pm

WEDNESDAYS

Kingdom Kids Rehearsal (see Horizon) 6:00pm

WOW - Word on Wednesdays, 6:30pm

Youth Ministry Bible Study, 6:30pm

THURSDAYS

Gospel Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm

SATURDAYS

Mother's Board Mtg (1st) 11:00am

Sr. & Jr. Ushers Mtg (1st & 3rd) 11:00am

Sun. School Teacher's Mtg (1st & 2nd) 12:00pm

Mission Mtg (2nd) 9:30am

Laymen's Ministry Mtg (2nd) 10:00am

Good Mourning Ministry Mtg (3rd) 12:00pm

Nurses Guild Mtg (3rd) 1:00pm

SUNDAYS

Sunday School, 9:00am

Spiritual Orientation Class, 9:00am

Morning Worship, 10:15am

Baptism & Communion (1st)



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On The Horizon: April

WEEK 01

4/2, Commitment Sunday

4/4, Spring Elections - Vote!
(ID required)

4/5, Kingdom Kids
Rehearsal, 6pm; WOW,
6:30pm

4/8, Mission @
Birchwood Nursing
Home, 10:30am

WEEK 02

4/9, Palm Sunday

4/12, Pastor@New Hope,
7pm

4/14, Pastor@Tabernacle,
12pm

4/16, Resurrection Sunday
(Easter Prgm, Baby Blessing)

4/19, Kingdom Kids
Rehearsal, 6pm

WEEK 03

4/19-4/21, Pastor@Christ
The King, 7pm nightly

4/22, Church-Wide
Learning Lab, 9am

4/29, Spring into Action
(cleaning or outreach),
12-3pm

WEEK 04

4/30, Spirit Sunday @ The
Lamb (LOG Attire)

5/6, Mother's Day
Brunch

5/21, Deacon's
Ordination Service

NEXT MONTH'S
SNEAK PEAK

On Sundays

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONG OF PRAISE

*UNISONOUS
SCRIPTURE READING

*DIACONATE PRAYER

#CONGREGATIONAL
SONG

ANNOUNCEMENTS &
GREETINGS

MUSIC MINISTRY

PASTORAL
OBSERVATIONS

*ALTAR/INTERCESSORY
PRAYER

MUSIC MINISTRY

THE MESSAGE

*DISCIPLESHIP APPEAL

WORSHIP IN GIVING

#BENEDICTION

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Exit Sanctuary, (#) indicates
Congregation Stands



Greetings in the wonderful name of our risen savior, Jesus Christ!

We are now past the first quarter of 2017 and God is moving mightily in our midst! April is here and it's time to spring into action, as we will be busy about the Lord's business!

Central to our engagement this month and every month is both the commemoration of Christ's death on the cross and the celebration of His resurrection from the grave. The series of events leading up to the cross and through the resurrection are fundamental to our faith and crucial to our hope. Through His death, we were redeemed from the pit, pain and penalty of our sins. With His resurrection, we were risen with Him in power and glory.

Paul declared in Philippians 3:10 that he would strive to, "Know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings." It is my prayer that this mindset will also serve as motivation for our spiritual journey as we grow up and grow closer to our Lord..

Although we are well into this year, you can always seize the moment to start anew. The Bible declares in Lamentations, *Through the Lord's mercies we are not consumed, because His compassions fail not. They are new every morning; Great is your faithfulness.* When we consider this text, it reminds us that (1) Every morning has new mercy, (2) God's compassions do not fail even when we fall and, (3) His faithfulness is great even when we are not good. This should be our motivation to either keep on pushing or get into action for the Lord.

One of the greatest blessings in ministry is to make yourself available for God to use you for His glory! Let April be your moment to transition from sitting to serving. If you are struggling in your walk with God - down, distressed and depressed - let His power resurrect your faith and cling to the strength of His mercies.

Let's have a wonderful April at *The Lamb* as we lift up the most high God in our living.

In christian service,

Rev. Christopher R. Boston, Pastor

Unisonous Scripture Readings

Christ in Our Place – Romans 5:6-11 (1st Sunday)

6 For when we were still without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly.

7 For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die.

8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

9 Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.

10 For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life. 11 And not only that, but we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received the reconciliation.

The Triumphal Entry – John 12:12-16 (2nd Sunday)

12 The next day a great multitude that had come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem,

13 took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out: “Hosanna! ‘Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!’ The King of Israel!” 14 Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as it is written:

15 “Fear not, daughter of Zion; Behold, your King is coming, Sitting on a donkey’s colt.”

16 His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written about Him and that they had done these things to Him.

He Is Risen – Luke 24:1-9 (3rd Sunday)

1 Now on the first day of the week, very early in the morning, they, and certain other women with them, came to the tomb bringing the spices which they had prepared.

2 But they found the stone rolled away from the tomb. 3 Then they went in and did not find the body of the Lord Jesus.

4 And it happened, as they were greatly perplexed about this, that behold, two men stood by them in shining garments.

5 Then, as they were afraid and bowed their faces to the earth, they said to them, “Why do you seek the living among the dead?

6 He is not here, but is risen! Remember how He spoke to you when He was still in Galilee,

7 saying, ‘The Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, and be crucified, and the third day rise again.’”

8 And they remembered His words. 9 Then they returned from the tomb and told all these things to the eleven and to all the rest.

To Know Him – Philippians 3:7-11 (4th Sunday)

7 But what things were gain to me, these I have counted loss for Christ. 8 Yet indeed I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ 9 and be found in Him, not having my own righteousness, which is from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is from God by faith; 10 that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death, 11 if, by any means, I may attain to the resurrection from the dead.

Never Weary – Isaiah 40:28-31 (5th Sunday)

28 Have you not known? Have you not heard? The everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the ends of the earth, neither faints nor is weary. His understanding is unsearchable. 29 He gives power to the weak, and to those who have no might He increases strength.

30 Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fall, 31 But those who wait on the Lord shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint.

Givers Confession (In Unison)

Lord, I confess that you are the giver of all that is good and perfect. Today, I bring you my offering as a part of my spiritual worship. As a good steward, I give you my mind, my matter and my money. I give by faith and not out of fear. Lord, let your spirit guide me to sow bountifully, give cheerfully, and tithe faithfully. Let the fruits of my righteousness be increased through my giving; and may your kingdom be advanced through the collection of the saints. This is my confession. In Jesus name, Amen!

Glory to His Name (1st Sunday)

Down at the cross where my Savior died,
 Down where for cleansing from sin I cried,
 There to my heart was the blood applied;
 Glory to His Name!

Chorus:

Glory to His Name,
 Glory to His Name:
 There to my heart was the blood applied;
 Glory to His Name!

I am so wondrously saved from sin,
 Jesus so sweetly abides within,
 There at the cross where He took me in;
 Glory to His Name! [Chorus]

Oh, precious fountain that saves from sin,
 I am so glad I have entered in;
 There Jesus saves me and keeps me clean;
 Glory to His Name! [Chorus]

Come to this fountain so rich and sweet,
 Cast thy poor soul at the Savior's feet;
 Plunge in today, and be made complete;
 Glory to His Name! [Chorus]

Lord I Lift Your Name on High (3rd Sunday)

Lord, I lift your name on high.
 Lord, I love to sing your praises.
 I'm so glad you're in my life.
 I'm so glad you came to save us.

You came from heaven to earth to show the way.
 From the earth to the cross, my debt to pay.
 From the cross to the grave, from the grave to the sky;
 Lord, I lift your name on high.

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O Give Thanks (2nd & 5th Sundays)

Oh give thanks unto the Lord
 For He is good, yes He is good
 (Repeat)

For He is worthy, worthy
 For He is good, yes He is good
 (Repeat)

Oh give thanks unto the Lord
 For He is good, yes He is good
 (Repeat)

For He is worthy, worthy
 For He is good, yes He is good
 (Repeat)

For He is good, yes He is good
 (Repeat 3x's)

Because He Lives (4th Sunday)

God sent his son. They called him Jesus.
 He came to love, heal and forgive.
 He lived and died, to buy my pardon.
 An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

(Chorus)

Because he lives, I can face tomorrow.
 Because he lives, All fear is gone.
 Because I know He holds the future.
 And life is worth the living just because he lives.

How sweet to hold a newborn baby
 And feel the pride and joy he gives.
 But greater still, the calm assurance
 This child can face uncertain days just because he lives.

(Chorus)

And then one day, I'll cross the river.
 I'll fight life's final war with pain.
 And then as death gives way to victory,
 I'll see the lights Of glory and I'll know he lives.
 (Repeat Chorus)

Announcements

Van service is available for anyone in need of a ride to/from church services. Please call the church office at 414-355-0931 to be placed on the van list.

Adults and Children, you are invited to attend Sunday School Classes each week for spiritual enrichment. Classes start at 9:00am and are open to all ages with great teachers on hand. Hope to see you there... thank you, the Sunday School Ministry.

All Lamb of God Church Members, please place your church contributions in the envelope provided in your bulletin or at your pew. This will assist the church office in recognizing your active membership status.

All Ministries, please call **Bro. Elvin Brackens** at 414-614-5518, or the church office to report your meeting and/or rehearsal cancellations.

In the event of an emergency outside of regular business hours or during a church closure, please contact Deac. Chester Amos at 414-336-6493.

Please inform the church office when you're troubled or in need of prayer. Information shared is confidential and should come from yourself or an immediate family member. We Love all our members and want to show our concern when needed... thank you, Pastor Boston.

Place your order for a sermon or service by:

- (1) calling the church office at 414-355-0931,
- (2) seeing Bro. Harold or Sis. Hattie Johnson in the Audio/Visual Ministry,
- (3) e-mailing inquire@thelambmke.org.

Communion is available for our Sick and Shut-in, please call the church office with information.

Our "Little Lambs" Nursery will reopen soon for our babies and small toddlers. We've made improvements to the space and more are coming! We're still looking for volunteers. Contact Sis. Laverne Rawlins (lavern.rawlins@gmail.com) if you are interested in serving.

Let's Support Our Pastor!.. Show up and be filled with the Spirit as Pastor Boston preaches and teaches The Word across the city this month:

April 12, 7pm

WGBSC's Passion Week Revival @ New Hope
2433 W. Roosevelt Dr.

April 14, 12pm

MKE AIM Good Friday Worship @ Tabernacle
2500 W. Medford Ave.

April 19-21, 7pm (nightly)

Bishop's Revival @ Christ The King
7750 N. 60th St.

Baby Blessings on Resurrection Sunday...

All babies must be registered in advance. Please call the office or send an email to inquire@thelambmke.org by **Wednesday, April 12th** with the child's name and the names/phone numbers of the parents.

YAYA Easter Program, April 16th, 9am...

Jesus came to us as the promise of the Father -born of a woman- so He was first a child. Join our youth as they share knowledge about this season and that great getting up morning!

Program rehearsals are as follows:

Mondays & Wednesdays- April 3, 5, 10 @ 6pm

Saturday- April 15 @ 2pm

Resurrection Sunday, April 16th... We look forward to experiencing the power of this day! Worship will begin at 10:15am. Although everyday presents a good opportunity to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ, this season presents a special occasion to share the Good News. Please invite family, friends, and acquaintances to celebrate here at *The Lamb*.

Know Hunger No More Pantry has distributed over 6,000 pounds of food to 2,600+ people... To God be the Glory! The Pantry is open for those in need on Wednesdays from 12 to 2pm. If you are interested in volunteering in the pantry, please connect with the Mission Ministry.

In Our Prayers

Sister Lillian Howard
 Sister Jewel Presley
 Pastor Lawrence Presley
 Sister Mattie Glosson
 Sister LaRita Winston
 Brother Carl Woods

Sister Gertrude Moore
 Sister Hattie Johnson
 Sister Velories Glover
 Sister Shirley Amos
 Sister Barbara Smith
 Deacon Algje Wright

Mother Rosie Hardrick
 Mother Roslyn Burks
 Mother Thelma Lampkins
 Mother Margaret Walls
 Brother Tyrone Scott
 Alean Thomas - Mother of Sis. Barbara Holloway

Dorothy Lewis - Sister of Sis. Barbara Brackens
 Doris Triggs - Cousin of Sis. Judy Mosley-Taylor
 Charles Whitmore - Husband of Sis. Janet Whitmore
 Mable McGraw & Valerie Sandford - Family of Sis. Hattie Sandford
 Bro. Elvin (Barbara) Brackens & Family (Bereavement)
 Sis. Delia Hampton & Family (Bereavement)
 Sis. Marietta Brown & Family (Bereavement)
 Sis. Barbara (William) Redd & Family (Bereavement)
 Sis. Daisy Brooks, Sis. Mary Benford & Family (Bereavement)

SICK / SHUT IN

Sister Geraldine Glass
 Sister Savannah Jackson



EGGCITED ABOUT JESUS

A YAYA Ministry Event

The When

Saturday, April 15th, 3:00 pm

The Where

At The Lamb

The Ask

It's a youth event, but adults can get in on the fun by donating candy, fillers and/or monetary gifts to help cover the cost of supplies for this blessed event.

The Deadline

Wednesday, April 12th will be the last day to submit donations to help ensure a successful Easter Egg Hunt and Easter Bag giveaway on Resurrection Sunday.

52 Week Money Challenge

Week	Deposit	Account Balance	Week	Deposit	Account Balance
1	\$2	\$2	27	\$27	\$729
2	\$4	\$6	28	\$28	\$757
3	\$6	\$12	29	\$29	\$786
4	\$8	\$20	30	\$30	\$816
5	\$10	\$30	31	\$31	\$847
6	\$12	\$42	32	\$32	\$879
7	\$14	\$56	33	\$33	\$912
8	\$16	\$72	34	\$34	\$946
9	\$18	\$90	35	\$35	\$981
10	\$20	\$110	36	\$36	\$1,017
11	\$22	\$132	37	\$37	\$1,054
12	\$24	\$156	38	\$38	\$1,092
13	\$26	\$182	39	\$39	\$1,131
14	\$28	\$210	40	\$40	\$1,171
15	\$30	\$240	41	\$41	\$1,212
16	\$32	\$272	42	\$42	\$1,254
17	\$34	\$306	43	\$43	\$1,297
18	\$36	\$342	44	\$44	\$1,341
19	\$38	\$380	45	\$45	\$1,386
20	\$40	\$420	46	\$46	\$1,432
21	\$42	\$462	47	\$47	\$1,479
22	\$44	\$506	48	\$48	\$1,527
23	\$46	\$552	49	\$49	\$1,576
24	\$48	\$600	50	\$50	\$1,626
25	\$50	\$650	51	\$51	\$1,677
26	\$52	\$702	52	\$52	\$1,729

Our Church Covenant (1st Sunday)

Having been led, as we believe by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our savior, and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, we do now in the presence of God, Angels and this assembly most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church - in knowledge and holiness; to give it a place of comfort; to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor and the spread of the gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotion; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealings, faithful in our engagements and exemplary in our deportment; to avoid all tattling, backbiting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale of and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Savior.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember one another in prayer; to aid one another in sickness and distress, to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation, and mindful of the rules of our Savior, to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage, that when we remove from this place, we will as soon as possible unite with some other church where we can carry out the Spirit of this covenant and the principle of God's word.

And now unto Him, who brought again from the dead, our Lord Jesus, be Power and Glory forever.

"One Lord, One Faith and One Baptism," AMEN. (Eph. 4:5)

Lamb of God Missionary Baptist Church

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On Spotlight ...

April is Donate Life Month



Annette Washington

When he passed his road test, Robert Washington put the orange sticker on his driver's license. He registered as an organ donor.

At age 20, Robert's life was tragically taken and his decision to save lives allows his spirit to live on.

"We cry tears of joy," says Robert's mom, Annette. "He has helped so many people with his gift. I am so proud to be his mom."

You can save lives too.

Your decision to donate may mean a second chance at life for people in need. Register to be an organ, tissue and eye donor. Be sure to share your decision with your family.

DonateLifeWisconsin.org