

MEET OUR CHURCH STAFF:

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YOUTH WINTER RETREAT

JAN. 13-16

Please pray for our Youth and Chaperones as they travel to Pigeon Forge, TN for a Winter Retreat Renewal!

WEDS. NIGHT SUPPERS

Suppers will resume on Weds., Jan. 25. Join us at 5:30pm! Cost is \$7 adults, \$3 children under 12, family max is \$22. Children and Youth activities will begin and Adult studies are in the works. Come and enjoy fellowship with your church family!

CONFIRMATION CLASS

If your student is in 8th grade or above and hasn't completed confirmation class, then now is the time to sign up. Classes will begin late January and confirmation Sunday will take place early May. If your student wants to participate, email Todd at todd@lexumcsc.com.

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

Registration will be open for the 23-24 school year to LUMC members on Jan 22nd. All Registration is online and all information can be found on the church website under the preschool tab or you can just click this link to go directly there: <https://lexumcsc.com/lumc-preschool/>

KARAOKE NIGHT

FRI., JAN. 20

5:30PM-7:00PM

The Anew Service and Grace Station will be hosting a karaoke night in the gym from 5:30 to 7 on January 20th. We need everyone who is interested to please sign up by sending your name and the song you would like to sing ahead of time. Please send these to Michael Slapnik at mslapnik@gmail.com or you can text it to 803-528-6191. Feel free to bring a dish, dessert or snack to share! We look forward to a super fun night of singing and fellowship!

LUMW WINTER TEA

TODAY!

3:00PM-5:00PM

Attention all women of the church! Join us for the Lexington UMW Winter Tea in Asbury Hall TODAY, January 8th at 3pm. This is always a fun event. Come and see what LUMW is about. The A.L. George Circle will be serving tea and goodies! Mary Hazelton is slated to entertain us with her light-hearted humor! Contact Katy Handell with any questions:

kevinandkatyhandell@gmail.com

LRE GROUP

"LEXINGTON REACHING EVERYONE"

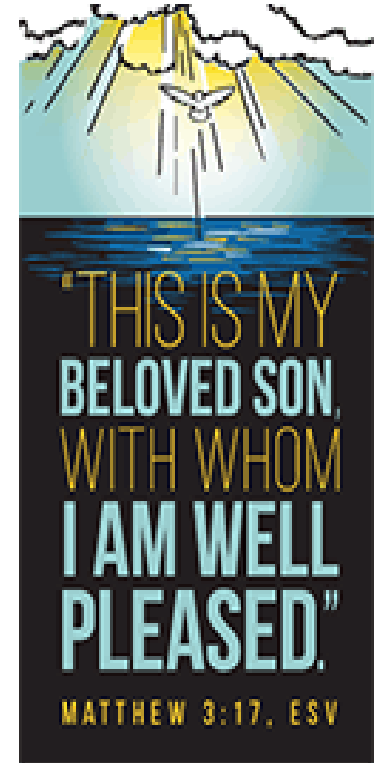
The LRE team is "Living God's Word and Sharing God's Love" by reaching out to church visitors and members who have not been attending church, maybe because of mobility issues or health concerns. The LRE team meets on Tuesday afternoons at 2:00pm in the parlor. If you would like to be a part of this team, please just show up or you can contact Julie Robinson for more information: jgr5214@gmail.com

CHILDREN'S CORNER

It's so wonderful to have more children and youth participating with us in worship services. If your child or youth is interested in reading scripture, ushering, special music, etc. Please reach out to heather@lexumcsc.com, we'd love to have their help and involvement in addition to all our wonderful grown-ups.

Children's Sunday school teachers are needed; please help fill up the winter/spring calendar. Especially Sunday, January 15th. There are 2 children's Sunday school classes, 3k-2nd grade, and 3rd -5th grade. **Please sign up [here](#) to teach/assist with Sunday school.**

Acolytes are needed please [Sign up here](#).



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<http://www.lexumcsc.com>



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CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED

The church offices will be closed on Monday, Jan. 16. In observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. day.