

## LEANNA CHURCH OF CHRIST

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES SUNDAY: CLASSES: 9 AM WORSHIP: 10 AM & 6PM; WED. 7 PM

## Pleading Our Case

Zechariah was a prophet of God who worked with the Jewish people that returned to Jerusalem from Babylonian captivity. In Zechariah 3:1-5, Satan is trying to do all he can to destroy these Jews. The vision Zechariah sees here shows the sinfulness of the people. “Joshua was clothed with filthy garments.” (Zech. 3:3) As Joshua stood before the Angel of the Lord in this way, he represented the wayward Jewish people of Jerusalem.

Satan was also present on this occasion. He was undoubtedly making accusations to God against the Jewish people requesting that God condemn them for their sins. Satan today is making accusations to God against the brothers and sisters in God’s family. (Rev. 12:7-12; 1 Pet. 5:8)

Let us take comfort in knowing that our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, is also present. If Satan is the accuser, then Christ is the Advocate, the heavenly Lawyer, who is pleading on our behalf before the throne of God. “My little children, the things I write to you, that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.” (1 Jn. 2:1) He paid the price for our sins with His own blood to assure us of forgiveness. “If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.” (1 Jn. 1:9)

By listening to the accuser, you will become discouraged and quit. Turn to your Advocate in confession of sins, and God will change your clothes as He did the people of Jerusalem. (Zech. 3:3-5) We have and can claim the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. “Who is he who condemns? It is Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us.” (Rom. 8:34) Always be mindful and thankful that you have an Advocate pleading your case before the Father. Praise and thanks be to God for His indescribable gift. (2 Cor. 9:15)

As you go forth this week remember to strive to keep on Imitating your Lord and God a little more each day. God bless you. I love you.

Kevin

## “Imitating Him in 2010”

*“Therefore be imitators of God as dear children.”*

*Ephesians 5:1*

### Today’s Schedule:

**Sermon:** “Responding with an Honorable and Gracious Spirit When We Are Wronged”  
Romans 12:14-21

- **5:15 p.m.** Ladies Prayer Time
- **6:00 p.m.** Chronological Bible Discussion  
Pages 1390 – 1415

### Monday Night

**7:00 p.m.**

**MYM at Leanna**

*with*

**Speaker: Lonnie Jones**

*and*

**Song Director: Larry Arnold**

*(Bring sandwich buns, cookies,  
and 2 liter drinks)*

### This Week’s Schedule/Activities:

- **Mon:** 5:30 p.m. Bible Class – “Holy Spirit”
- **Wed:** 7 p.m. Classes for All Ages
- **Fri:** 6:30 p.m. Game Night Fellowship  
Bring finger foods and favorite games
- **Sat:** Back to School Party at the Russell’s  
from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Hot dogs and buns are  
provided - Bring drinks, chips and cookies

## New Members

We rejoice with **Thomas Mingle** as he confessed his faith in Jesus and was baptized into Christ for the forgiveness of his sins last Sunday afternoon. We also rejoice with **Roger May** as he responded to the Lord’s invitation this past Wednesday night to rededicate his life to the Lord in seeking God’s forgiveness and the prayers of the church. Roger also desires to place his membership with us here at Leanna. Roger lives at 3837 Circket Lane, 37129. His phone # is 410-1342. Please encourage Thomas and Roger as you have opportunity and keep them in your daily prayers.

**Sneedville Clothing Drive – All donations must be in by next Sunday!**  
**Items will be given out in Sneedville on August 9, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>**

## PRAYER LIST

"I was sick and you visited me...." Matthew 25:36

**Bettye Arnold** is recovering from surgery at Centennial Medical Center – RM 4101.

**Bill Barrett** is going through testing and will begin chemo as soon as possible.

**Ray Barrett** is now under hospice care as his condition is quite serious.

**Martha Russell** will have surgery on her spine for a bulging disc Friday at Centennial Medical Center.

### Members at Leanna

James Bolin, Loyd Brewer, Ray Gibbs, Ursula Mayercik, Bill Neal, Dick Royle, Suzanne Sullivan, Herman York

### Leanna Shut-Ins

Jimmy & Juanita Benson, Ann Young

### Expectant Mother

Keri Tidwell

### Leanna Friends & Family

Barbara Adams – Cousin of Jennifer Warpool

Thomas Barrett- Brother of Beulah, Bill & Wayne

Margaret Berry – Aunt of Jennifer Warpool

Carlos Bickford – Friend of Randy Bolin

Jack Boyce – Brother of Carolyn Kelly

Rufus Evans – Brother of Joyce Bly

Lydia Fanning – Mother of Janice Smith

Becky Hartgrove – Sister of Paulette Barrett

Iycia Henry – Daughter of Issac & Naomi Bell

Barb Lofton – Family friend of Jennifer Warpool

Ben Nobles – Father-in-law of Donna Nobles

Keith Nobles – Husband of Donna Nobles

Doug Orndorff – Father of Ginny Orndorff

Thomas, Ruth & Lindsey – Relatives of the Shockney's

Pam Tyler – Friend of the Daugherty's

Donald Wisheart – Brother of Larry Wisheart

### Adams Place

Shirley Mingle 1229

Jeane York 1129

### Arbors at Azalea Court – Smyrna

Opal Bissinger

### Boulevard Terrace

Kate Hewgley 14A – Sister of John Comer

### Broadmore

Ina Dutton 151B

### Community Care

Jean Pope J104 – Sister-in-law of Carolyn Spivey

### NHC

Agnes Thompson 116A – Aunt of Betty Sanford

### Stones River Manor

Bea Ryan 5223 – Former member at Leanna

Betty Sanford 5228

### Sunnington Assisted Living

Abbie Benson 236 – Mother of Jimmy

### TN State Veterans Home

Hoyte Sanford

### V.A. Murfreesboro

Jack Dye – Building 8B

### Military

Tim Anderson – Grandson-in-law of the Mears'

David Caldwell – Grandson of Everett & Peggy Barrett

Jason Gingras – Serving in Afghanistan

D.K. Ivy – Grandson of Frank and Faye Gordon

Rowdy Matheson – Son-in-law of Wilson's

Chad Pieratt – Nephew of Joyce Cruse

Roy Orndorff – Son of Martha & David Russell

Chase Roden – Grandson of Beulah Mae Roden

Joshua Schmelzer – Neighbor to Leanna church

Chris Wilt – Brother of Jonathan

Randall Winsett – Nephew of Brenda Johnson

Mike Winters – Member at Leanna

### Missions

Robert Lupo and the work in Sneedville, TN

Leadership Development in the church in Asuncion,

Paraguay

A letter was received from Glen Richardson with the **Tennessee Children's Home** expressing thanks for *Change for the Children Campaign* in which \$1,454.20 was collected from Leanna. His letter is posted in the foyer.

## Those Privileged to Serve

July 25, 2010

**Ushers:** Tim Spivey Kenneth Young

### Attendance

**Cards:** Justin Pitts Cameron Tynes

**Opening Prayer:** Jerry Barrett

### Lord's Supper

**Preside** David Henry Issac Bell

**Assist** Dustin Henry Ed Ross

Roy McMahan Terry Harris

**Scripture Reading:** Michael Richardson

### Announcements

James Barrett

### Closing Prayer

Dan Wilson

### Sunday Evening Worship & Bible Study

**Opening Prayer:** Ray Shockney

**Bible Study Opening Prayer:** Don Spivey

**Closing Prayer:** David Henry

### Wednesday Evening Bible Study – July 28, 2010

#### Invitation

David Henry

#### Closing Prayer

Scotty Greear

(If you know in advance that you will be unable to serve, please call Don Spivey at 896-9683).

### MORNING WORSHIP GREETERS

#### JULY

David & Periann Henry

Bill & Paulette Mears

Kenneth & Linda Young

### MORNING WORSHIP GREETERS

#### AUGUST

Jerry & Diane Barrett

Diane Barrett

Lena Woodard

Darla York

Ed & Lucy Ross

### NURSERY ATTENDANTS

**Jul 25** am Sue Anne Tate pm Darla York

Helper: Britney Howard

**Aug 1** am Donna Howard pm Janice Smith

Helper: Allison Howard

### FOR THE RECORD

	<u>7/11</u>	<u>7/18</u>
Sun. School	78	98
AM Worship	148	162
PM Worship	78	89
Wed. Night	80	77
Contribution	\$3932	\$4476

**BUDGET \$3850**

**YTD CONTRIBUTION AVERAGE \$3836.82**

### BRIDAL BRUNCH

for the bride-to-be

**Brittnea Dye**

**Saturday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

**10:00 a.m.**

**Leanna Church of Christ**

**Registered at Bed Bath and Beyond**

**Brittnea and Ale will be living in Paraguay. Gifts of money would be greatly appreciated to help them set up their new home. No gift cards or small electrics please as they will not be able to use them in Paraguay. However, they have registered for items they hope to ship.**

### CHURCH/AREA EVENTS

**Jul 25-28** – Gospel Meeting at Science Hill Church

**Jul 30** – 7 p.m. Singing at Adams Ave Church-Lebanon

**Aug 1-4** – Gospel Meeting at Rock Hill Church

**Aug 2** – 7 p.m. MYM at East Main Church

**Aug 20** – 7 p.m. Friday Night Singing at Leanna

(Flyers for special events are posted in the foyer.)