

Welcome to Lincoln! We're glad you chose to worship with us today!

- Announcements
- Worship Music
- Morning Prayer
   Cameron Pannabecker



#### **Coming Up:**

Oct 27 ..... Trunk Or Treat 4-6pm

Nov 8-9 ... Christmas light installation

Nov 17 .... Gospel Center Rescue Mission Graduation

at Lincoln 2:00pm

Nov 22 .... Thanksgiving Food Give Away - 4:00

Nov 24 ..... A Thankful Morning of Prayer and Praise

(Morning Services) \*Sunday School ends

Dec 14 .... Light Show Festival 5:00-7:30pm

Dec. 15 ... Lack Family Concert 9:30am

Dec 15-22. Drive In Light Show nights

Dec 24 .... Christmas Eve Services 4:30 & 6:00pm

Call or email the office for more information on these events, or sign up for the Weekly Update



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### **BLESSED ASSURANCE**

First John 1 by Pastor Jon Hathorn

#### **BACKGROUND**

False teachers and lost hope

"I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know that you have eternal life." 1 John 5:13

#### FICTION and NON-FICTION

I John is a letter written with a great deal of Credibility

#### THE IMPORTANCE Evidence

- We all like evidence
- Scientific Evidence vs. Legal Documentation
- Eyewitness testimony is one of the most important things in the world

#### PERSONAL TESTIMONY v. 2

- The reality of Jesus is very important
- Our salvation depends on His reality

#### SHARING OUR TESTIMONY IS ABOUT

- Sharing our own experience
- Heard, Seen and Touched

# IT'S A TESTIMONY ABOUT FELLOWSHIP WITH GOD v. 5 THINK ABOUT THIS

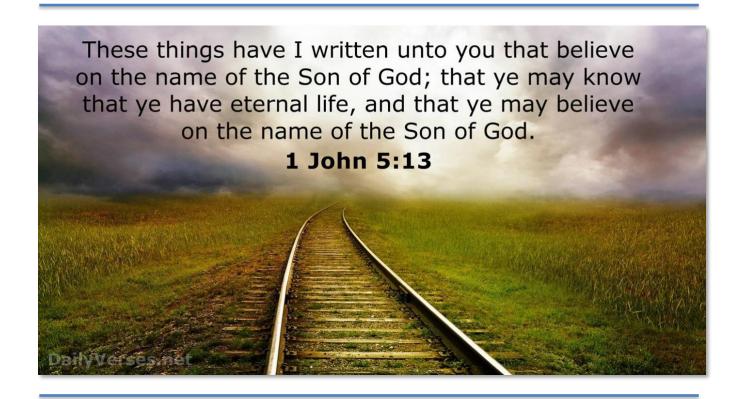
 God is perfect – therefore anything less than ;perfect is sin,- He is the standard

# IF YOU AND I ARE SINNERS THERE IS A CONFLICT WITH GOD

A CALL TO LIVE DIFFERENTLY v. 6-7

#### IT'S A PROCLAMATION OF FORGIVENESS v. 9

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us..." v.9



## **Special Announcements**

The Memorial Service for Cynthia (Cynie) Downs will be at 10am November 16th, here at Lincoln Presbyterian Church. There is a reception following in the Agape Hall.





#### **Upcoming Christmas Installation**

- Dates: November 8 and 9
- Contact Harry Ulep at ulepharry@gmail.com

#### **Lincoln Mission Trip Meeting**

 Today after church in the Agape Hall





#### **Operation Christmas Child**

 Operation Christmas Child's Shoe Box Ministry begins November 3rd

### **Prayer Requests**

Please Pray for our Weekly Prayer Families & Missionary...

- LPC Staff & Lay Leaders
- Sherry Shields: Continued prayers of strength for our grandchildren as they graduate, pursue and elevate careers, and grow in the new relationships. Prayers of safety as we travel for family gatherings. Praises to God as He continues to bless our family with health, healing and guidance.
- Rebecca Severin: My sister, Linda, in El Paso has just been diagnosed with breast cancer and is awaiting approval from her insurance company to proceed with treatment. Linda is a retired nurse, a Christian with a church home, but has no family members there. My prayer requests are that she will trust the Lord moment by moment on this cancer journey; scriptures and hymn verses will remind her of His presence and love for her; and that He will be her strength.
- Julie, Gina & Richard Senegor
- John & Carol Sharpe

To reach the Prayer Chain; call Terri Long, 957-3816 or email her at <a href="mailto:TLong54@sbcglobal.net">TLong54@sbcglobal.net</a>

#### **LPC Ministerial Staff**

Pastor/Head of Staff - Jon Hathorn
Assistant Pastor - Justin Linscheid
Director of Children's & Family Ministries - Raquel Perez
Director of Music/Worship Leader - Tom BetGeorge
Director of Student Ministries - Josh Imboden
Office Manager - Megan Worth

If you have a prayer request, you can email it to the office or <u>Submit a Prayer Request</u> through our website.

#### Resources available on our website:

Connect Card / Prayer Request

Young Adult Ministry

**Student Ministry activities** 

Kids Ministry activities

LPC Daily Devotionals

**Adult Bible Study** 

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