

### Church Leadership and Structure

*Acts 2:43; Acts 6:1-6; Acts 14:23*

1. **To be the church, we must understand the unique role of the apostles (Acts 2:43)**
2. **To be the church, we must understand the role of elders (Acts 14:23)**
3. **To be the church, we must understand the role of deacons (Acts 6:1-6)**
4. **To be the church, we must understand the responsibility of every member (Acts 6:3)**

#### **Opportunities For Application:**

##### **Deacon Led Ministries**

While the deacon ministries are deacon-led, any member is welcome to help with these ministries. The following ministries are deacon-led ministries: hospital visitation, transportation, community events, welcome team, shut-in and nursing home, widow and widower, compassion, snow removal, outreach, Hispanic, family care, recovery, and assimilation. If you are interested in learning more, or helping with any of these ministry areas, please contact John Caldwell at (434) 660-0288.

##### **Congregational Responsibilities**

The church members are responsible for oversight of the following four areas. First, the congregation approves all pastoral staff and volunteer leader assignments. Second, the congregation approves the church budget. Third, the congregation approves new church members. Fourth, the congregation approves any non-budgeted expense over \$10,000. Further, every member should be involved in the ministry of the church.

#### **Personal Application :**

Do you understand how the church operates and organizes? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in serving in a deacon-led ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

# The Proclaimer



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**September 5, 2021**

## Announcements

### Goodyears

The Goodyears will have a meet and greet with our new Minister of Music, Cliff Lambert, on Wednesday, September, 15th at 11:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. We will have a free Chick-fil-A box lunch. You must sign up by calling the church office (434-352-2336) by noon on Friday, September 10th. All Goodyears are welcome, as well as any senior church member, 55+. Since this is an indoor event, we ask that you be respectful of those with compromised immune systems by wearing a mask until seated and eating. We are thinking of all and the ability to carry on with future meetings and activities. We hope to see you at 11:30 am on September 15th.

### WMU Yard Sale

WMU will have a yard sale on Saturday, September 18th from 7:00am until noon, with all proceeds going to WMU Missions. Set-up will start on Thursday, September 16th at 1:00 pm and take place all day Friday, September 17th starting at 9:00 am. If you have items to donate, please bring them to the church on Thursday or Friday. Volunteers are needed to help with the set-up and clean-up, as well as on the day of the sale. If you would like to volunteer or have questions, please contact Linda Moon at (434) 665-6270.

### Bless Appomattox Day

Do you have ideas for our Bless Appomattox Day on October 2? We need your input of practical ministry projects. If you have an idea for a ministry project, please contact the main office at (434) 352-2336. The goal is for the church to recommend ministry projects that we will organize and carry out. Ideas could include clean-up at widows' homes, trash pick up, helping community organizations, etc. This is a day to bless the community of Appomattox through the ministry of Liberty Baptist Church.

### God Can Move Mountains Women's Conference

Women are invited to a women's conference September 24-25<sup>th</sup> themed "God Can Move Mountains". Melissa Small will walk through Matthew 17 and what it means to move mountains with just the faith of a mustard seed. LBC ladies will lead praise and worship and testimonies will be shared by our very own ladies, including Caitie Maharg and Brittney Detweiler. You don't want to miss this time to grow in fellowship together! Breakout groups will also be offered for discussion time. The entire conference will take place in the Ministry Center. Dessert and coffee will be served Friday night. Saturday morning breakfast items will be available, and boxed lunches will be provided by Magnolias for lunch. The cost is \$10 to cover lunch. Please call 434-352-2336 or register online at [www.libertybconline.org](http://www.libertybconline.org) by September 17<sup>th</sup>.

#### BE SURE TO PICK THESE UP IN THE LOBBY

"Be the Church"  
Fall Newsletter

"Sunday Morning at Liberty" with Insert  
"Ministry Opportunities" with Insert

## This Week At Liberty

### Sunday, September 5

8:30 am Early Morning Kid's Church  
8:30 am Early Sunday School  
9:00 am Hispanic Worship Service - Fellowship Hall  
9:30 am Early Worship Service - Sanctuary  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service - Ministry Center  
11:00 am LBC Kids / Children's Church

### Monday, September 6

8:30 am Office Closed - Labor Day Observance

### Tuesday, September 7

9:00 am LBC Women's Exercise - Fellowship Hall  
6:30 pm Trail Life - MC 2nd Floor  
7:00 pm WMU Brenda Doss Circle - Fellowship Hall  
7:30 pm Focus Prayer & Worship - Fidelis Room

### Wednesday, September 8

6:00 pm Prayer Group - Fidelis Room  
6:30 pm Women's Hope Group - Room 209  
6:30 pm Men's Hope Group - Parsonage  
6:30 pm Youth Wednesday Nights  
6:30 pm Women's Prayer Meeting - Room 202

### Thursday, September 9

9:00 am LBC Women's Exercise - Fellowship Hall

### Friday, September 10

6:00 pm Firepit Fridays - Allen Austin's Backyard

### Saturday, September 11

7:00 am Gideon's Prayer Meeting - Room 210  
9:30 am Men's Bible Study - 2119 South Fork Road, Appomattox

### New at Liberty?

Use your phone to scan the QR code below to fill out a visitor card.



## Vital Signs

August 29

Sunday School ..... 285  
Worship ..... 441

## Online Giving

You can go to [libertybconline.org/giving](http://libertybconline.org/giving) and use the links to give. You can also give by sending a text to 77977 with keywords **Lbcvirginia** for General giving or **Lbcdesignated** for designated giving.