

Thank you for joining us for services. May God bless you throughout this week!

Weekly Schedule

Sunday

Sunday School	10:00 am
Morning Worship	11:00 am
Children's Church	11:00 am
Evening Worship	6:00 pm

Wednesday

Prayer Service	7:00 pm
Rooted Youth Ministry	7:00 pm
Treehouse Kids	7:00 pm
Momentum (College/Career)	7:00 pm

Weekly Tithe Report	March 1, 2026
Designated Offerings	\$3,511.00
Tithes and Offerings	\$20,014.72
Attendance	164

Nursery Schedule

Sunday 3.08.2026	Wednesday 3.11.2026	Sunday 3.15.2026
Kim Newsome Debra Woodall		Yamury G. Amber Mainous

Parking Lot Monitors

Sunday 3.08.2026	Wednesday 3.11.2026	Sunday 3.15.2026
Randy Woodall Steve Woodall Eric Parker	John O'Neal	Gary Fowler Matt Schloss Dave Germino

GOODTIMERS: Please plan now to attend our monthly luncheon on Tuesday, March 10, at noon in the church Fellowship Hall. A detective from the Crime Prevention Dept. of the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Department will be speaking to us regarding how to identify crime, fraud, phone scams and other schemes and how to better protect ourselves against them. This should be very informative and interesting. Meat and drink will be provided. Ladies, please bring your favorite side dish and invite a friend to attend also.

LADIES: 37th Florida State Ladies Retreat-April 10-11,2026. "Wrapped in God's Love". Theme verse: Romans 8:38-39.- Florida Baptist Encampment-Groveland. Registration due by March 19, 2026. Please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule.

EASTER-Easter is quickly approaching! Hostess Teams 1 and 3 will be in charge. Please see the Hostess Team List on the bulletin board in the vestibule to make plans to be here. Thank you!

Gospel Sing-Central Missionary Baptist Church-Saturday, March 14th-6:00 P.M.-Gulf State Quartet and The Believer's Quartet-Refreshments to follow.

Happy Birthday

March 8	Christy Broussard
March 11	Ivory Haas
March 12	Cindy Johnson
March 14	Dax Broussard
March 14	Destinie Kolanowski
March 18	Leo Rossiter, Sr.
March 21	Heather Fuentes
March 27	Jeannette Vinson
March 28	Isaac Brown
March 30	Aaron Fuentes
March 30	Heather Young

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March 8, 2026

WORDS OF COMFORT AND ENCOURAGEMENT
Welcome to **Lone Oak Baptist Church!**

We are thrilled that you have chosen to be a part of our services here at LOBC today. Hopefully you remembered to "spring" your clocks – both physically and mentally - ahead one hour before you retired last night. If you did, or if you didn't, let's not belabor fretting about it. Let's turn and tune our hearts to worshipping our Lord today. Greet a neighbor with a handshake and a smile and let's lift our voices in praise to the God that inhabits our praise.

THANKS FOR COMING OUR WAY TODAY.
WE ARE BLESSED BY YOUR PRESENCE.

PASTOR'S THOUGHT: Psalm 39:5 – "Behold, thou hast made my days as an handbreadth; and mine age is as nothing before thee: verily every man at his best state is altogether vanity. Selah"

How would you like to spend 2 years making phone calls to people who aren't home? Sound absurd? According to one time management study, that's how much time the average person spends trying to return calls to people who never seem to be in. Not only that, we spend 6 months waiting for the traffic light to turn green, and another 8 months reading junk mail. These unusual statistics should cause us to do time-use evaluation. Once we recognize that simple "life maintenance" can chip away at our time in such huge blocks, we will see how **vital** it is that we don't busy ourselves "in vain" (Ps 39:6).

Psalm 39 gives us some perspective. In David's complaint to God, he said, "**You have made my days as a handbreadth, and my age is as nothing before You**". What David meant was that to an eternal God our time on earth is very brief. And He doesn't want us to waste one moment of it. When we do, we throw away one of the most precious commodities that He gives us. Each minute is an *irretrievable gift--and unredeemable slice of eternity*. Sure, we have to make phone calls, and we must wait at that annoying traffic light, but what about the *rest of our time*? Are we using it to advance the *cause* and the *kingdom* of Christ? Are we using our time to enhance our relationship with our Great God? Simply put, are we spending our time wisely??

As modern day believers, let's not be afraid to address the time wasted that God has given to us. Let's change those tendencies that lie within us of forfeiting and wasting time to secondary causes; and let's enhance our relationship with God for the purpose of advancing both the *kingdom* and the *cause* of Christ.

Sincerely & Prayerfully,
Bro. Kerry

CLOSET COMMUNION NEEDS TIME FOR THE REVELATION OF GOD'S PRESENCE.

Morning Worship Service

Prelude		Accompanist
Scripture		
Call to Worship	“Soon and Very Soon”	No. 551
Prayer and Welcome		
Hymn	“Leaning On the Everlasting Arms”	No. 354
Special Music		Choir
Hymn	“Praise Him! Praise Him”	No. 106
Offering		
Special Music		Trish O’Neal
Morning Message		Bro. Kerry Beaty
Invitation	“Jesus, I Come”	No. 336
Closing Prayer		

Evening Worship Service

Prelude		Accompanist
Call to Worship	“When the Roll is Called Up Yonder”	No. 543
Prayer and Welcome		
Hymn	“The Wonder of it All”	No. 65
Hymn	“God is So Good”	No. 41
Offering		
Prayer		
Special Music		Shirley Shelton
Evening Message		Bro. Kerry Beaty
Invitation	“Room at the Cross for You”	No. 331
Closing Prayer		

Thank You for not moving around during the service or commitment time. Those around you may be making life-changing decisions. If it is absolutely necessary or an emergency arises, please exit quietly through the rear doors.

March 9 – Men’s Prayer Breakfast-Brick House-8:30 A.M.
March 8 - Men’s and Ladies’ Meetings after P.M. Service
March 10 – Good Timers’ Luncheon-12:00-See back of bulletin for more information
March 11 – Conference Night with meal
March 17 - Ladies’ Luncheon-ABC Pizza-11:30 A.M.
March 25 – Messiah Ministries – Dr. Reichman-7:00 P.M.
March 27 – 28 – Girls” Retreat-Groveland
March 28 - VBS Workday- 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.
See back of bulletin for more important announcements!

ROOTED

YOUTH MINISTRY 6TH – 12TH Grades

I am so thankful that we have a God whom we can go to, and he will listen to us. The Bible tells us in Hebrews 4:15 & 16 that we have a God that can feel our pain and relate with us. Not only does he feel our hurt, but he is there to help us through temptation. However, the key to gaining his help is through prayer! We must come to him boldly and ask and he will give us mercy and grace! Don't forget to go to him in prayer this week!!

Hebrews 4:15-16 *“For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feelings of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.”*

TREEHOUSE KIDS

Pre-K-5th Grades

Plan now to bring your kids to our Easter Egg Hunt on April 4th. More information will be coming soon. Parents, if you can help with this event, there is a sign-up sheet in the main foyer of the church. Also, tell your kids to invite their friends. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Music Notes

CHOIR:

Easter Cantata
Practice has begun,
and we are still
looking for additional
choir members.
Come and join us this
afternoon as we
practice @ 5 P.M.
Hope to see you!!

WE DON'T HELP
PEOPLE BY
SHOWING THEM
OUR TROPHIES,
WE HELP PEOPLE
BY SHOWING
THEM OUR
SCARS.
...Mark Lowry

ORCHESTRA:

Come join us for
orchestra practice at
9:15 AM on Sundays.
Bring “your”
instrument and let’s
make music together!