

2022 Annual Report


LIBERTY
CHURCH, PCA



Pastor's Views

End of year report for 2022, Liberty Church PCA
TE Van Devender, Interim Pastor

State of Our Church:

In contrast to 2021, 2022 was a time of relative stability and healing within our community. There were certainly some interesting patches with a few particular concerns that surfaced, but on the whole, LCPCA took those things in stride and continued to keep “the main thing the main thing.”

Our worship service continues to be strong and well-attended. Our elders are working well together and are certainly sincere and dedicated servants as evidenced by their role in leading worship. RE Phil Lambooy has completed his first year on the session and has proven very useful in filling the pulpit on occasion.

Our finances are stable, and the Lord has blessed us with sufficient funds for some work on the church and a few new initiatives. Our staff are dedicated servants who take their work seriously and go above and beyond their job descriptions in order to do “what has to be done” when necessary. Along those lines, Dianna Cote has joined our staff this year in her capacity as supervising the new purchase order system that we put in place this year (thanks to James Hoff, Sarah Crowe and Dave Tracht in particular) and, so far, has proven to help us keep the credit card purchase and receipts together.

Spiritually, the church is continuing the climb out of the Covid lock-down hole that hit us back in 2020. We began last year to get our SS and bible studies and worship service on a better track and, praise the Lord, that has continued and even accelerated a bit. Several initiatives have been put in place to ease some of the points of friction (see below) and also to move into a more vital spiritual community. We are hoping to implement a “mentoring” program for developing spiritual leaders in the New Year and the Session will be holding a spiritual retreat in Feb. 2023 to build unity and focus on how to build up our church's witness in the coming years. On the whole, LCPCA has continued its history of being a solid, confessional, worshipping community in 2022 and we have every reason to expect God's blessings in 2023. I think it was a significant indicator of “getting back to normal” that we held our first VBS program since 2013 this past Summer. I was very impressed at the work and enthusiasm of all who participated in this huge undertaking.

A brief summary of 2022 from a pastoral perspective.

Brief Overview:

2022 was a very busy year! From my own personal perspective, there was a fairly significant increase in what I would call “pastoral counseling” as members got used to me being around and began to seek out conversations (and I initiated some myself). This was good and necessary because such interactions are essential to know the community in order to lead and preach to it.

Our congregational family also encountered times of joy and sadness. We had infant baptisms (Crowe) and a covenant wedding. (Chilton) We shed tender tears when we lost [Val Thomas and Rose Hoffman](#) and with members of our family who lost loved ones ([Smiths, Knotts, Bohmer](#)). On a personal note, I lost dearly beloved brothers in Christ also and was

called to minister at their funeral and interment services in addition to ours here.

We were saddened by the discipline case that arose in our midst and wept at the lack of repentance for the overt sin that occasioned it. The Session spent untold hours dealing with this issue which, necessarily, was not often visible to the congregation. However, the Church did its Biblical duty and we expect the Lord's blessing on our faithfulness in this as in all things.

Liberty Christian School

2022 continued the upward trend of improved working relations with our major ministry. I participated in many of the LCS functions such as New Teacher Orientation, Graduation Ceremony, Pastor Appreciation Day, and class monitoring, etc. Several of the elders also visited the classrooms and were encouraged by the experience.

I consistently met with the Head of School, Marcia Antoine, on a bi-weekly basis to discuss progress in relations as well as challenges that might occur. I interviewed all of the proposed new hires to ensure a viable Christian testimony as well as how each would "fit" within our joint educational priorities for the school.

We started a joint steering committee consisting of a facilitator (me), the Head of the School, a school board member, and two elders. This committee met regularly over the Summer and proposed several initiatives (such as joint session/board meetings) which were acted on with good results.

The school and the church together weathered a somewhat tense situation when a very public issue arose regarding a man who had taught at the school several years ago. He was found guilty of child abuse and the authorities were very intent to discover if there were any questions about his time here (again, several years ago). This occasioned a "town hall" zoom meeting with the student's parents that I attended. Their questions were answered and strong leadership from the school and the board did much to stabilize what could have been a problem.

We look forward to furthering improved relations with LCS and every member of our congregation has just reason to be proud of the ministry happening there. This next year our current Head of School will be retiring and we, church and school together, will miss her leadership even as we cooperate together to find a qualified and zealous replacement.

The Wider Church

Your elders participated regularly in Presbytery meetings this past year. RE Madden has also served on the important Leadership Development Committee which screens candidates for ministry. He and I attended the General Assembly in Birmingham, AL where I served on the Overtures Committee, the most challenging and time-consuming committee in the Assembly.

I further continued to serve on our Presbytery Judicial Commission which dealt with several judicial issues over the course of the year. Again, this is a time-consuming task.

[The "Almost but Not Yet" Search for a Senior Pastor.](#)

Perhaps the issue with the greatest possibility of discouragement transpired in October when we had a highly qualified candidate who appeared to be an answer to our prayers. In God's providence, it did not work out because he perceived that his ministry skills did not fit with our Church. His somewhat abrupt change of mind was difficult for us, but we put our church and our lives in God's hands and did exactly what we had to do: we saw this as God's way of preserving and protecting both the candidate and us.

Satan may very well have meant it for evil, but God used it for good, and so we, and our pastoral search committee is continuing our journey, undiscouraged and undaunted.

Conclusion:

As I said, 2022 was a very busy year. There are a lot of moving parts at Liberty Church and many ministry efforts happen "under the radar." I may have failed to mention some particular ministry or occasion that should have been included but I plead for grace

and forgiveness if such is true. Scanning my calendar over the past 12 months, these are the things that stood out to me. Most importantly, I simply wish to encourage us all to a deeper, more joyful, reliance upon the goodness of our God through Jesus Christ. Liberty Church is much beloved by Him, and it is a blessing to serve alongside you all as we follow His Spirit into Liberty's future.

SESSION REPORT 2022

Once again as the year ends, we can marvel at the work of our great God. I know that this is obvious (I am preaching to the choir), we all know of His faithfulness and goodness and lovingkindness and I could go on for quite a bit, but I will leave the theological expositions to those much more qualified. After all Pastor Arch is the one paid to be good, Pastor Barry used to remind me that I am good for nothing. But I digress.

The first and foremost fact is that our church has been sustained by our gracious Lord and much of that has been accomplished by His wonderful provision of our Interim Pastor Arch. We all know what a blessing it has been that he has stepped in to lead us. And I don't just mean that he is stemming the tide, he has jumped in from the very beginning to actively lead us and to help us grow as a church and also to help in the oversight of the school. The Session is grateful for his leadership and guidance and wisdom and competence. He has shown that in every issue with which we dealt. So once again, on behalf of the whole congregation, Pastor Arch, we thank you.

Secondly, we are blessed with a wonderful staff as they support Pastor Arch and the congregation. We thank them for their long hours serving our body using their various gifts and abilities to build God's kingdom and to give him the glory He deserves. And so, thank you, to Lisa, Susan, David, Sarah, Mike, Beth, and Dianna as well as to the many unsung servants who participate in the many and various ministries that our church invests in to serve the body and build one another up in the Lord.

Thirdly, we are blessed with a gifted and hard-working Deaconate. They also use their many talents to serve the Session and the congregation and others providing Mercy Needs, and overseeing the Finances and providing good stewardship of our Physical blessings. To Tom, Brian, James, Chris, and Charlie we say, Thank You, on behalf of the Session and the Congregation.

The Session would also like to thank you, the Congregation for all your hard work and all that was accomplished in 2022. Your ministry to the leadership and to each other truly displays the loving witness of the Body of Christ. We ask that you would continue to pray for Pastor Arch, the staff, and the leadership of the church that as a church we would continue to be a light to the world, a city set on a hill, that we would "Let [our] light so shine before men that they may see [our] good works and glorify [our] Father in heaven."

As in years past the Session met over 30 times in 2022, formally, as well as informal meetings, striving to provide shepherding leadership of the flock at Liberty. We also strived to be present at Presbytery meetings as well as Pastor Arch and Steve Madden attending General Assembly in Alabama.

As you are aware, in the closing months of 2022, there are many opportunities to volunteer, both in the church and the school. We urge you to prayerfully consider using your God-given talents and abilities to serve the Body. We, the Session, will continue to pray for the Body and as the Lord leads guide our church to grow in God's grace.

Chuck Klein
Clerk of Session

DEACONS

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, as the year 2022 comes to an end we can begin to see more clearly God's faithfulness in his provisions provided for us throughout the year. Being moved through gratitude we begin to glorify God with the stewardship of replacing the roof on the Mission's house. In addition, the heating and air units were replaced in the main sanctuary and fellowship hall. New lighting was also installed in the new and old sanctuaries. A new security system with cameras was installed throughout the parking lot.

Keeping brick and mortar in its place we drew our attention towards the Block House and giving it a fresh coat of paint and some needed repairs.

The Deacons planned several workdays thru out the year and with the help of the congregation, general maintenance and repairs were completed including several trees that needed to be professionally removed.

Many thanks to the labor of love that went into keeping our grounds groomed.

The Labor Day Picnic was a success with the help of many hands to do the set-up, lean-up, and the preparation of food provided by all.

The Deacons look forward to crossing over the threshold of the new year glorifying God with a servant's heart.

In His Service,

Tom Crone

Deacon Chairman

OPEN HEARTS MINISTRY

Open Hearts Ministry- Serving Foster Families and Vulnerable Children The Open Hearts ministry continued to grow the areas of services in 2022, again with increased need for tangible items from the Blessings Closet.

- In January, we began hosting Foster the Family support groups, which meets monthly for prospective & current foster, kinship and adoptive moms. We also provide childcare during the support group so moms can get a break and build community. Many volunteers served through set-up & clean-up, providing snacks, and providing childcare each month. The plan is to continue to host monthly meetings throughout next year as well.
- After each support group, we invite each mom to “shop” in the Blessings Closet as they may have a new child in their care, or need to switch out sizes/seasons of clothing. Open Hearts was able to provide furniture, bedding, baby equipment, and other resources to foster families when they welcomed a child into their home.
- We were able to provide two new Foster the Family support group locations (Catonsville & Bel Air) with clothing, shoe, and baby equipment donations as their host churches also established Blessings Closets.
- Praise God for being able to serve at The Children’s Home since May 2018. When the campus was shut down during COVID-19, visitors were not allowed on campus. The Bible Study leaders began meeting with the girls every other week, back in person since October 2021 (after needing to meet virtually for over a year due to COVID. Praise the Lord!. We share topically about God, Jesus, sin, forgiveness, grace, and share our testimonies. In December, the girls were blessed with Christmas gift bags of necessities, treats and gift cards, while learning about the greatest gift of all, Jesus.
- We gave donations of formula, diapers, wipes, baby equipment and clothing to Alpha Pregnancy Center multiple times throughout the year.
- Donations of adult clothing and shoes were sent to the Westminster Rescue Mission.
- In December, members of the congregation donated to girls in the Diagnostic Unit as well as the stockroom necessities for Foster the Family Baltimore . Donations of board games were collected for family gifts and socks and toiletries were collected for the girls. Thank you again for the support of this ministry!

In His love,

Erin Tracht

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

We praise God for the faithful giving of the Lord's people. As members of the FMC, we see those monies given by the congregation as a form of worship to our Lord and always try to keep this truth in the forefront of our work for Him. The final reports for 2022 are still to be completed, with reconciliation of all accounts being done in early January of next year. The final reports will be distributed to the congregational sometime before the planned congregational meeting in late January 2022.

For the most part 2022 has been a year of a decrease in our overall budgeted expenses coupled with a slight decrease in tithes and offerings as of the date of this report. The church received forgiven funds through the PPP2 program through the application initiated by Liberty Christian School of approximately \$44,000.00. Additionally, other income was received via the sale of stock and memorial giving. So in light of these as well as reduced expenses the church should finish 2022 in a strong financial position.

The church is also undergoing a financial audit for fiscal year 2021. Audits are usually planned for every four years. We are behind schedule with regards to this due to delays from Covid. The results from this audit should be completed early in 2023.

There is much that takes place behind the scenes which makes up the ministry of caring for funds given in the Lord's name and given as a form of worship to Him. From the ushers who collect the offerings, to the counting teams, to the treasurer and committee members, to those who track each members giving and issue statements, all these parts play a critical role in the faithful administration of the Lord's funds. As chairperson, I am humbled by what I see and am so thankful that I am supported by such a wonderful group of brothers and sisters in Christ.

Submitted by

Brian Moran

FMC Chairman

PULPIT SEARCH COMMITTEE

On Thursday night, October 28, 2021 at 7pm, your Pulpit Search Committee took its first step. That evening the twelve members that you, Liberty Church, chose to represent you for arguably one of the most important tasks in the life of a church: to find the man of God's own choosing to pastor and come alongside her in the work of ministry; began the search to find her next Senior Pastor.

From that first night, we have met faithfully and conscientiously just about every Thursday evening to do just that. We waded through many dozens of Ministerial Data Forms, resume's, and other paperwork each potential candidate had sent us. The PCA's Administrative Committee sent us bulk mailings of potential candidates. Some men sought us on their own or were suggested to us. We watched and listened to countless hours of sermons and then met each week to evaluate all of these things. We even came up with "deal-breaker" questions to weed out of consideration those who held to positions not in line with the PCA's and Liberty's conservative reformed foundation and tradition. We also had many 2 hour long ZOOM calls with those candidates that met our initial criteria.

So our task was a big one. The Holy Spirit knit the twelve of us together over time. It was not without its moments of tension and difficulties. BUT...it just goes to show you that even though we were twelve individuals, we were one in Christ through the working of the Holy Spirit. And we have been encouraging one another as at times the work does get wearying. We especially appreciate our prayer warriors amongst you and the ladies that Peggy Walker gathered to pray for us regularly. Tori Upperman even held a few breakfast's for us. And Beth Wheatley regularly provided us wonderful baked goods to snack on whilst we deliberated. Thank you all!

We are committed to continuing with this task that you have entrusted to us. We were disheartened to have come so close a few months ago only to have the candidate decide that he was not qualified to lead a church our size that has so many important ministries. So after the first of the year we will begin back weekly to meet to wait upon our Lord to lead us to the right man for our Senior Pastor. We all covet your prayers and encouragement.

Submitted:

RE Steve Madden: Co-Chairman along with Peter Crowe

PRAISE TEAM

Our Praise Team continues to serve the church in our Sunday Services each week. Our goal is to lead congregational worship in spirit and truth. We hold deep and rich lyrics that are scripturally sound and point us toward God and our need for salvation in Christ Jesus highly and seek that in the music we play.

We believe with proper focus and reverence; the Holy Spirit is at work when we sing together as a church and what a blessing it is!

This past year, we introduced a few new songs and reworked hymns. We plan to continue to seek “new” songs to add as we seek to bring honor to God through music in 2023!

We love to sing as part of worship, and it is truly a blessing and an honor to lead the congregation in song! We pray for another year to praise God together!

A special thanks from the Praise Team goes to our Sound Team: Joe Rouland, Daniel Hancock, Ryan & Avery Saylor and Doug Smith. These folks do a largely thankless job, but what a crucial role they play! Thank you for all of the work you do behind the scenes to serve God and our church!

Submitted by Dave Tracht

CHOIR

Praise to the Lord for His gifts to men, including the gift of music and praising Him through song. The choir currently has 20 members including the director and Chuck Mitchell, who volunteers as accompanist. We meet Wednesdays from 7-8:45 for rehearsal, prayer, and fellowship. Praise to the Lord for the new choir members He has brought us this year: Debbie Belcher; plus Victoria, Ilana, and Tova Cox, who are singing with us while on home assignment from the mission field in Cambodia. When they return we will again have 17 members.

The Liberty choir rehearsed weekly and sang 3-4 Sundays per month through the first week in June and again from September through the end of the year. In addition to Sunday worship, the choir sang in the Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Christmas Eve services. On December 4, several members of the congregation along with Liberty's choir visited and sang with the residents of Transitions Oakland Manor. The choir also sponsored a Christmas Carol Sing and Concert on December 11 to benefit LCS.

Singing Scripture helps us to hide God's word in our hearts. Our choir members share and remind those who hear of God's greatness, character, and works. The choir encourages the congregation to sing Psalms through occasional use of the Psalter. Singing to God is a weapon of warfare as we fill our mouths, ears, and minds with praise and petition to God. The world's messages are in competition with the truth of God's word. As the choir sings, we exhort the congregation to take thoughts and attitudes captive to Christ.

Sincerely submitted,
Susan Smith

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

LADIES SS: In the beginning of 2022, Joyce Klein taught the book of Joshua and used a workbook by David E. Pratte. After Joshua, Joyce and Tori Upperman (a new member!!) co-taught the Book of Ruth using the same workbook by David E. Pratte. The book is titled "*Bible Study Questions on the Books of Joshua and Ruth.*"

In September 2022, the Ladies began studying the book of Genesis using Nancy Guthrie's study, "*The Promised One - Seeing Jesus in Genesis.*" This was supposed to be a 10 week study but halfway through the study, Tori and the ladies decided to stretch it out because each week has a lot of work. Tori project's that they will finish this study on February 12, 2023.

MIXED ADULT CLASS SS: Re Phil Lambooy and RE Don Wheatley taught through the book of Titus. After that, RE Phil Lambooy taught through both 1 and 2 Timothy. After a summer off, RE Phil Lambooy, RE Steve Madden, and Bob Eckles (another new member!!) started teaching through the Johannine Epistles (1, 2, & 3 John) which will continue well into the winter term in 2023.

We have been blessed by these men and women teachers who will all agree that they learned much more in preparation to teach than those listening to them. Please let me know if you feel you might be gifted in teaching (and a member of Liberty Church) as we are ALWAYS in need of Adult SS teachers. And also...please make use of these classes we have each Sunday; you will be edified and blessed!

Submitted by:

RE Steve Madden

NURSERY AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Children's Sunday School

2022 has been another strong year for Children's Sunday School. The five age groups include Toddlers (2-3 year olds), Pre-K through 1st Grade, 2nd & 3rd Grade, 4th & 5th Grade, and Youth (middle & high school). All classes have continued using Answers Bible Curriculum from Answers in Genesis. This curriculum adapts concepts to each developmental age group allowing us to synchronize the lesson topics being taught across all classes. This allows families with children in multiple age groups to easily follow up at home on the lesson topics that are taught each week in Sunday School. This year we have had about 25-30 children attending Sunday School across all of the age groups.

Our teachers this year include: Amy Huey, Bri Luff, Peggy Walker, Carol Byrd, Sarah Eckles, Emily Eckles, Mary Jordan, Natalie Klein, Shawn Huey, Andy Byrd, Stuart Luff, and Brendon Lee.

Wonders of Worship

Wonders of Worship (W.O.W.) has been a blessing to all involved this year! We are using the New City Catechism curriculum which is adapted from the Calvin's Geneva Catechism, the Westminster Shorter and Larger catechisms, and the Heidelberg Catechism. This curriculum takes complex biblical and doctrinal concepts and teaches them at an accessible level for the children in WOW (4 year olds-2nd grade). This 52 week curriculum includes three parts:

Part 1: God, creation and fall, law

Part 2: Christ, redemption, grace

Part 3: Spirit, restoration, growing in grace

Each week we are blessed to have about 8-10 children in WOW.

Our teachers for WOW include: Liz Davidson, Natalie Klein, Kaiah Chilton, Carol Rose, Candice Walker, Hannah Watkins, Anthony Anderson, Bri Luff, and Caroline Luff

Nursery

Our Nursery continues to serve families with young children 1 through 3 years old during our services and we want to thank all those who have volunteered over this past year to make this possible. We also hope to reestablish the infant nursery in 2023 to serve families with children younger than a year.

Vacation Bible School

This year Liberty held the first Vacation Bible School since 2013. It was a huge success, bringing in over 30 volunteers and over 60 kids from our church, Liberty Christian School, and the local community. The themed focus was "Zoomerang: Returning the Value to Life" from Answers in Genesis. Throughout the week the children "traveled" to different parts of Australia and marveled at the unforgettable wildlife, culture, and beauty of Australia while discovering that from the tiniest to the oldest, each person is made in the image of God—wonderfully designed to know Him and live for Him!

In the Summer of 2023, we plan to hold VBS with the Answers in Genesis theme "Keepers of the Kingdom: Standing Strong in Today's Battle for Truth".

Submitted by

Sarah Crowe

Nursery and Children's Ministry Director

LIVING STONES/YOUTH GROUP

Living Stones is our youth ministry for middle & high school students. We are encouraged by what has been happening this year and we are seeing growth not only in numbers attending, but more importantly in the depth of faith of the students and in our discussions and study.

In the spring, we finished a rich study on The Parable of Jesus. This helped us to better understand the context of these biblical accounts as well as how we could apply the lessons learned to our daily lives.

This fall, we began our study of secular creeds, “identity” and how we have arrived at a place in our society without much of a moral fabric remaining.

We have spent quite a bit of time and effort in setting proper context for these important conversations and have had meaningful discussions as we have started to delve into these deep topics.

Over this past year, we have seen many new faces join us at different times as students invite friends and classmates. While we don't focus strictly on numbers, it is encouraging to see students sharing their faith by bringing their friends. This is no small thing, and we are happy to see it!

We have several events coming up, including snow tubing, a trip to the Museum of the Bible, and a summer retreat.

We are thankful for your prayers and support as we continue to seek to serve our youth!

Current needs include the following: families or individuals to make and serve dinner to the youth at Friday night meetings, sponsors for retreat costs for families with multiple children or those with financial need, volunteers to help periodically for Friday nights.

Thank you again for your prayers and support. If you are interested in helping in anyway, please let me know!

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MISSIONS YEAR END REPORT

Sharing the Gospel

Liberty Church currently supports 28 individual missionaries/ministries

11 foreign, 17 local, domestic

Included in these ministries we support 4 university/college ministries; 2 Christian Schools (LCS and Mount Clare) and 2 county wide high school ministries (Young Life)

Now that many of the Covid restrictions have been lifted, we were able to have 3 Missions Sundays, where the missionaries share during the Sunday School hour, and one church wide mission luncheon and speaker.

Thanks to the generosity of the members of Liberty, there were funds available for one-time additional gifts and honorariums totaling \$23,400.

Each week we include special prayer requests in the bulletin from the various missionaries and ministries.

Several members of the committee took lunch to the RUF1 students at Johns Hopkins University in the spring and fall.

The Mission house has been a real blessing to missionaries who are on home assignment and we were able to host the Cox family during the summer and fall of this year.

The Missions Committee and the missionaries that Liberty supports continue to covet prayers for wisdom and guidance as we all seek to be good stewards of God's abundant blessings.

Respectfully submitted,

The Missions Committee: Barb Hunzeker, Chair; Candice Walker, Secretary; Joyce Klein, Treasurer; Chuck Klein, Session rep; Sharon Booker, Geof Smith, Cathy Scheuch, Mary Jordan and Caroline Luff

LIBERTY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

The Mission of Liberty Christian School is: Partnering with Christian parents to provide our children with a quality, Christ-centered education. This past year we continue to be blessed by the Lord in many ways. Some of the many ways we have been blessed are:

We continue to grow, our enrollment for the 2022/23 school year increased by 14 students, an increase of 9% over the 2021/22 school year. We now have 14 more students to share the Gospel with and provide them with a quality Christ-centered education.

The COVID years impacted many of our programs. We had to discontinue our elective subjects, Summer Camp and the before school and after school programs. This school year has been the first that we have most of these programs back in place.

We have increased our activity in the community. During the year we held Trunk or Treat, the Spring Auction, Pastor Appreciation Breakfast / Chapel, and Fall and Spring Festivals. The school is becoming more involved in the community not just to encourage more interest in the school but also to bring people together in our community. This is another way the school is involved in spreading the Gospel in our community

COVID stopped all of our interscholastic sports programs. This fall we were able to have interscholastic basketball and cheerleading. We are planning to bring back a soccer program next fall.

In May our Robotics team, the Robo-Lions, competed in the Robotics World Championships in Dallas, Texas. This was a great achievement by the Robotics team to be one of the few teams from Maryland to compete in the World Championships. It was a great experience for our kids to meet and compete with kids from around the world.

During the 2021/22 school year the eighth-grade was not able, due to COVID restrictions, to take their mission trip to Costa Rica. This year's class was able to take a mission trip to Costa Rica. This was the school's first trip to Costa Rica and the class worked with Youth With a Mission to clean up a school, do some painting and landscaping and work with local kids. This trip was a great opportunity for our students to see another country and to serve God in a different environment.

This year we have a part-time School Counselor. This is not a Guidance Counselor but a counselor that helps children and parents with problems they are having in their lives. COVID had a great impact on learning and relationships, so returning to school has been difficult for some children. A counselor has been a blessing because he or she can sit with a child and share God's love with them and help them through difficult times. Please pray for these children, they missed so much, both relationally and educationally when they were not physically in school.

God continues to bless us to keep the school in a stable financial position.

Liberty Christian School has been a light to the community for 42 years and there have been many lives enriched and changed through God working in the ministry of LCS. We thank Liberty Church for their support and assistance without which there would not be a school. We welcome anyone who would like to volunteer at the school or come and visit the school. Please be in prayer for our school.

Submitted by

Andy Byrd

LCS Board Chairman

