



The Tumbleweed



Lustre Christian High School

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Pastor Julito Magdanua Speaks in Chapel By: Levi Brown

On Tues., Feb. 12, Pastor Julito Magdanua from First Baptist Church in Poplar came to share with the LCHS students what he had on his mind. The main theme was about that little passageway that the few find. Particularly he spoke on 3 main types of people in this life.

The 1st are those that sit on the throne of their own lives. They run their own lives and God is on the outside and wants nothing to do with Him.

The 2nd, is the person who allows God to be a part of their life and calls himself a "Christian" but still sits on his own throne of life. This person goes to church, opens the Bible periodically...and their favorite motto is "I do it my way."

The 3rd person, lives his life on God's terms. God is on the throne and does His will and follows it. This person lives by the word of God. This is the true Christian! You may not think

this matters much or you may be thinking that, "I'll just wait to get right with God later in life." But your days are not guaranteed. What if that day comes and you breath your last and you were "caught off guard"... it doesn't fly. Only those who follow God and do the will of the Father will enter the Kingdom of God..

He then spoke on prayer and asking God different things and asked us how much we talk with Him. "Do you ask God's permission to deal with things of the heart or do you ignore and choose yourself and go your own way?" Pastor Lito asked. He then asked what we will do after we go to college. Did you ask God? He then told us that it matters what God says, and that's all that matters, even if you may not like it. God knows the bigger picture and knows far more than we can comprehend. God says it, that settles it. He then asked us another

challenging question. "If you're really a Christian, who calls the shots in your life?"

He finished his time with the story about the wise man that built his house upon a rock. Most will remember this as a song as one we sang as a little kid. The wise man built his house upon a rock and the house stood firm. The foolish man built his house upon the sand and when the rain came down, so did the house.

What is the foundation in your life? When the storms of this life come, will your foundation withstand it?



A Hitchhiker in Chapel?! by: Kaitlyn Toavs

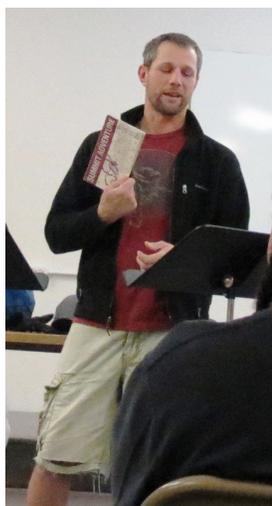
On February 22, Dawson Olfert showed up to chapel - dressed to impress. The '97 LCHS graduate was decked out in his hiking gear and ready to share about a trip he took when he was a high schooler. The summer after Dawson's junior year, he decided to take a three-week hiking trip in the Sierra Mountains that had a great impact on his life.

Mr. Olfert started out by setting down his massive backpack and revealing its contents. Inside, he had packed food, rope, a sleeping bag, a tent, a map, and several other necessities. He then began walking through the highlights of his trip. Oftentimes, the going was rough, and not all of his

memories are fond. What he discovered though, was how those experiences on the hike related to his "hike" with God as a Christian. For example, on their first day out, Dawson recalled being very out of shape and said many were stumbling with weariness by the end of the day. When Christians first begin their walk with God, the road can be rough and filled with many stumbling points. By the end of the trip, Dawson remembers the whole crew being quite smelly and in desperate need of a shower. He used this to illustrate an important point: God still loves us, even though sometimes we stink.

Mr. Olfert then directed us to sever-

al passages about staying on God's path. Matthew 7:13 says, "Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it." He also read Proverbs 2:1-9 to show the importance of staying on God's path by seeking after wisdom and understanding. When we stray from God's plan for our lives, He doesn't just hang out with us on our destructive path. Instead, He guides us back into His path. Dawson learned many valuable lessons while traipsing around the Sierras and chief among is how God meets us in the middle of our everyday circumstances and challenges us to grow in Him.



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Glasgow, MT
March 14-17

Boys' Basketball Season Comes to an End by Kylie Kirkaldie

The weekend of March 14-17 was the end of a great season for the Lions. They came into the bracket, on March 14, as fourth seed and first played the Dodson Coyotes. It was a nail biter all throughout the game and the lead kept going back and forth between teams. In the last minute of the last quarter, the Lions were up by one and were sure that they would come away with the win ... until Dodson came down the court in the last seconds and drained a three. Dodson won by two, and consequentially

the Lions were to play Frazer on Friday.

Friday, February 16, the Lustre Lions played the fierce Frazer Bearcubs. A staggering total of two technical were called against the Bearcubs that evening. The Lions had the lead at the end of the first quarter with 10-6

but then slowly started falling behind. Although, the game ended up being pretty rough, the Lions played strong all the way through. The final score at the buzzer was 62-48 in favor of Frazer and the Lustre boys' season had come to an end.



Lady Lions vs Mavericks, Coyotes, and Bearcubs by Harry An Le

Lustre Lady Lions traveled to Glasgow High School to participate the District 3C Basketball Tournament on February 16 -17.

Country 60), the girls showed a lot of effort and team spirit during the game. Especially, Get and Ashley used their chances and performed really well.

Later, that afternoon, Lustre played with Frazer. Unfortunately, the girls did not get to the Divisional; they lost the game by 10 points behind (Lustre 43 – Frazer 53).



On February 16th, Lustre Lady Lions faced off with the North Country Mavericks in the afternoon. Though Lady Lions lost to the Mavericks (Lustre 45 – North

Consolation by beating the Dodson Coyotes (Lustre 57 – Dodson 39). The win from Lustre Lady Lions brought so much joy to their fans.

The Lady Lions made a lot of memorable moments; they played as one team really well consistently throughout this season. Lustre fans were very proud of them.





Senior Star: Levi Brown

By Thomas Brown



Nicknames: Levy, Leviathan, Levinardo

Birthday: May 22nd, 1999

Favorite Activities: Farming and Ranching

Favorite Bible Passage: Philippians 4:13 and Jeremiah 29:11

Favorite Subject: Lunch

Favorite Sport: Basketball

Favorite Music Groups: 7th time down, Lorne Green, Alabama, George Strait

Favorite High School Memory: Divisionals in 2016

Favorite Food: Pizza, Tacos, and Bacon Cheeseburgers

Favorite Drink: Mountain Dew/Pepsi/Sweet Iced Tea

Favorite Period: Last period last day of school

Favorite Color: John Deere Green

Favorite TV Show: Bonanza

Favorite Radio Shows: Grass Roots Gold, Voices of Montana, Country Gold with Randy Owen, and The Pond

If you could have one wish, what would it be? To have lots of money to buy lots of farm equipment.

Pet Peeve: People who are constantly on their phones

Accomplishment that means the most: Soon graduating High School



Most Memorable Experience: Harvest of 2016, last year's drought and fire season, and fencing in Sand Springs

Advice to Underclassmen: Graduation will come... eventually!

Future Plans

Short Term: Go to MSU Northern in Havre for an Associates Degree in Agricultural Mechanics Technology

Long Term: Farm and Ranch, and get married

Senior Star: Thomas Brown

Nicknames: Tommo, Tombo

Birthday: December 26th, 1999

Favorite Activities: Work, Basketball

Favorite Bible Passages: Jeremiah 33:3

Favorite Subject: Current Events/ Econ.

Favorite Sport: Basketball

Favorite Musical Groups: DC Talk, Third Day

Favorite High School Memory: Youth Conference 2015 & 2017

Favorite Food: Pizza, Burgers

Favorite Drinks: Mountain Dew

If you could have one wish, what would it be? I wish I could fly

Pet Peeve: Something that doesn't work when it's supposed to

Accomplishments that means the most:

Becoming a captain on the basketball team and receiving all-conference honors

How Have I Changed the Most Since Coming to LCHS:

I've learned a lot and gotten older

Most Memorable Experience: Harvest 2016

Advice to Underclassmen: Don't blink, high school will be over before you know it.

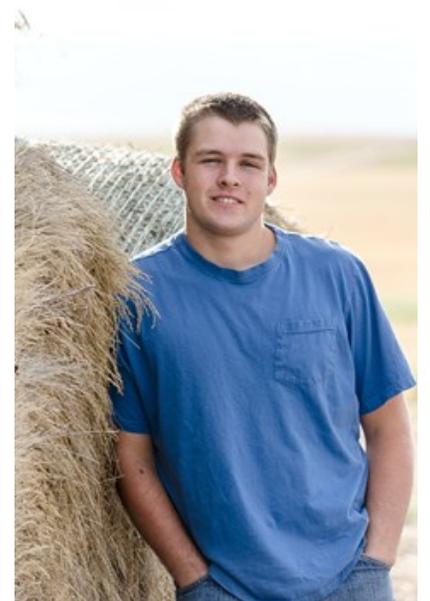
By Brayden Shimmin



Future Plans Short

Term: Go to college in Bozeman and get a degree in Crop Science

Long Term: Work a job in agriculture, get married



SCHMECKFEST

MARCH 23, 2018

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*Dawson Olfert
LCHS Students

Yardmen

*Nolan Teichroew
Norman Teichroew
Levi Brown
Thomas Brown
Brayden Shimmín
Zachary Brown
Kirubel Legesse

Name Tags

Laura Forest

We really appreciate all the willing workers, thank you!

Schmeckfest Bake Sale

**For pre-orders please call Ashley Pankratz at: 725-3312 (home) 724-7150 (cell) or email: ashleyreann@gmail.com

~ Schmeckfest is approaching and this is your friendly reminder that we ask you to bring at least 3 items for the bake sale.

Heavily requested items are verenika (there is NEVER enough), zwieback, peppernuts, perishke, pie (especially pecan) and raspberry jam.

Other popular items are fancy breads, freezer jams, jellies, syrup, homemade mustard, and pies (please DO NOT bring cream pies, including pumpkin.)

~ Plastic bags and rectangular foam trays for items are available

mustard, and pies (please DO NOT bring cream pies, including pumpkin.)

~ Plastic bags and rectangular foam trays for items are available at the MB & EMB churches.

Please be sure to label each item as well as the quantity.

Labeling is important for selling, people will hesitate to buy if they are unsure of flavor.

Label/package as followed:

- Peppernuts - 4 cups/bag
- Sweet rolls & Maple sticks - 12 / package
- Perishke, buns, zwieback - 12 / package

- Frozen Verenika - 6 or 12 on foam tray / package

~ Please refer to your Schmeckfest "Blue Book" for recipes and further instructions.

~ Please thaw all frozen baked goods before packaging for Schmeckfest bake-sale (excluding verenika!) Thawing should be done outside of the bags to prevent accumulation of moisture on baked goods.

Much appreciation for all the hard work baking and labeling!



Sausage Sales

For Sausage Sales, please call Sarah Brown at 392-5301 or Justyn and Kimberly Klatt at 392-5271. (Feel free to leave a message at either of these numbers.)

- Pre-order deadline is March 6. Prices are \$5 for bulk and \$6 for cased.
- After March 6, prices are \$6 for bulk and \$7 for cased.

Cut-up day - Friday, March 9

at Browns' shop

Please remember to bring any large stainless steel bowls (labeled with your name) for use that day.

Also remember your COOLERS with ice packs to pick up your sausage!!! Please bring medium size boxes for meat sales to use.

"Important! Important! Important!"

SCHMECKFEST QUILTS/DISPLAYS/VENDORS:

If you have a quilt to be displayed at the 2018 Schmeckfest, or would like to have a display or vendor table, please contact: Becca 392-7963, Brooke 650-6199 or Trisha 392-7177.

Auction Items Needed

Do you have any items for the **live auction** or the **silent auction** that you are willing to donate? Please let us know by March 17th: Marlin & Bonnie Reddig at 392-7175 / 525-3456 or Wilbur & Vernelle Unrau at 650-7717 / 392-5586 **Thank You**

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LCHS Calendar

March 3	The Josties in Concert at LCHS gym - 6:00 p.m.
March 6	Parent/Teacher Conferences (4:00-7:00 p.m.)
March 8	Chapel 1:16 p.m.
March 8-9	Schmeckfest Butchering / Cut-up Days
March 12	1st day of Track practice
March 12-16	Spiritual Emphasis Week - Chapel daily - 1:16 p.m.
March 14	Academic Olympics
March 16	Junior Class Pizza Dinner (RSVP by March 12th)
March 22	Chapel 1:16 p.m. / End of 3rd Quarter Schmeckfest program rehearsal - 7:00 p.m.
March 23	Schmeckfest (NO School at LCHS) 5:00-7:00 p.m.
March 26	Math Contest
March 28	2:30 p.m. Dismissal
March 29-30	Easter Break

Attention Parents!!!

LCHS Parent/Teacher Conference on March 6
(4:00-7:00 p.m.)

Call the LCHS office to set up / confirm your time
to meet with teachers by March 5th

*Note: For updated game times and school information,
please visit the LCHS Facebook page.*

All are welcome to attend LCHS Chapel Services .

Junior Class Pizza Dinner

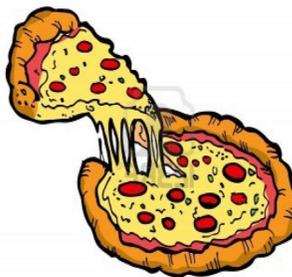
@ LCHS Cafeteria

March 16th

5:00-7.30 PM

Pay by Donation

Please make reservations by March 12th with a Junior
or call Mr. Marasco at 392-5302, or call the LCHS office



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donation rate to 1.5% on your first eligible
purchase at smile.amazon.com.

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The FRESHMAN CLASS is looking for jobs to raise money for their class.

Braeden, Josh & Ashley are available for individual or group jobs such as:
babysitting, house cleaning, farm work, etc.

If interested, please contact the dorm for Ashley (406) 392-5206,
Josh Brown (406) 392-5301 & Braeden Toavs (406) 392-5278.



