May 26, 2024 ANNOUNCEMENTS & PASTORAL OBSERVATIONS

1. "The Conference Year In Review and Looking Forward" – A Churchwide Meeting: Please save-the-date of Saturday, June 1, 2024, from 10 am - 2 pm, for a churchwide gathering to review the 2023-2024 conference year and look forward to the 2024-2025 conference year. Each ministry of the church will be asked to highlight one thing accomplished during the prior conference year, and one thing they'd like to accomplish in the new conference year. – Pastor Nelson

2. Sunday School: There <u>will</u> <u>not</u> be Sunday School on May 26, 2024, due to the Annual Conference closing worship service.

3. Sunday Worship: Please join us this Sunday at 8 am and invite someone to worship with us this Sunday. Sunday's bulletin is attached. Virtual worship may be accessed as follows: Lomax's Facebook page at <u>https://www.facebook.com/lomaxamezionchurch/</u> or website using the Lomax Live tab at <u>https://www.lomaxchurchva.com/lomax-live/</u>.

4. Intercessory Prayer: Please note that there will not be Intercessory Prayer on Tuesday, May 28, 2024.

5. Bible Study: Please note that we will not have Bible Study on next Wednesday, May 29, 2024.

6. Senior Ministry: Due to the Annual Conference convening, there will be no Lomax Senior Ministry meeting on Saturday, May 25, 2024.

7. Lomax's Membership Conference Assessments: As we approach the FY 2023/2024 conference year ending, May 31, 2024, we are encouraging members who haven't paid your annual assessment dues of \$350.00; General Claims \$265.00 and Quarterly Conference \$85.00, to please do so. Please pay your assessments in order for Lomax to meet its church obligations, and by submitting your donations thru your church envelope, Givelify, or you may see your class leader or Sis. Ruthy Brown.

8. 55+ Health Fair: Please find attached a flyer about a Health Fair on Wednesday, May 29, 2024, for those who are 55+ years old. We hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity.

9. Green Valley Civic Association: 'Fridays in Green Valley" is scheduled for Friday, May 31, 2024.

10. Washington District Polo Shirts: Orders for Washing District polo shirts are being accepted through June 1, 2024. The order form was previously provided.

11. Children's Day Weekend/Lomax 2024 Summer Children's Festival: The Christian Education Ministry is hosting a Lomax Summer Children's Festival to promote outreach in the Community. The festival will take place in the Church parking lot on Saturday, June 8, 2024, from 12:00pm-2:00pm. There will be games, activities, face painting, a book giveaway and more. Please consider donating new and gently used children's books. Come out to support the children, and to fellowship with the Community. The Children's Day Weekend Theme: "It's a Heart Thing."