

OBITUARY

Leon Remington, 88



Leon Remington, 88, of Mt. Washington, died on Thursday, July 23, 2026. He was born in 1938 in Hancock County, KY, to Maitland R. Remington, Sr., and Eva Marie Jolly Remington, both of Hancock County. He graduated from Caneyville High School in 1956 and spent many of his early years in and around Grayson County, KY.

From 1961-64, he served his country honorably in the U.S. Army's Headquarters Detachment 51st Ordnance Group, stationed in West Germany. In 1965, he married the former Linda F. Lee of Clarkson, KY, and they spent 61 years together. He received his bachelors degree in History and Government, his Masters in Education, and his Rank One in Education Administration from Western Kentucky University. He remained a life-long, avid Hilltopper fan and donor.

Mr. Remington came to Bullitt County in 1969, where he would spend the rest of his life dedicated to public education and com-

munity service. At the Bullitt County Public Schools, he served as the Assistant Principal of Shepherdsville High School before moving to Mt. Washington to serve as the last principal of Mt. Washington High School (which would later become Bullitt East). He spent the rest of his career at the Central Administrative office of the Bullitt County Board of Education, first as the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and then retiring as the Deputy Superintendent of Bullitt County Public Schools in 1996.

In 1990, Leon was the head coach of the Mt. Washington 12 and under

girls softball all-star team when they won the Babe Ruth regional championship in Alachua, Florida, which was the equivalent of the national tournament at the time. He then went on to coach the Bullitt East High School girls softball team for 7 years. He was also a long-time member of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association, two-time President of the Mt. Washington Lions Club, member of the Warren County (KY) Evening Lions Club, as well as a fourth generation farmer.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Maitland R. and Eva M. Remington, and his sister, Bonnie Faye Holland (Hartford, KY). He is survived by his wife, Linda F. (Lee) Remington (Mt. Washington), his two daughters, Laurel Rhea Remington (Mt. Washington, KY) and Lee Renee Remington (Louisville, KY), and his two beloved grandsons, Remington Charles Williams and Alexander "Ross" Williams (both of Louisville, KY). He also leaves behind

a brother, Maitland R. Remington, Jr. (Kitty) of Monticello, Florida, and a host of nieces and nephews, including Juliana Lamb (Chris Johnson) and Annabeth Burke Sears (Billy), who were like granddaughters to him.

For over two decades, he fought cancer with the same fierce determination with which he lived his life. No one who knew him ever doubted where he stood, especially when he felt something was the correct thing to do.

Family, friends, and acquaintances are invited to a visitation at McFarland-Troutman-Proffitt Funeral Home in Mt. Washington, KY, on Monday, July 27, 2026, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., followed by a memorial service celebrating his life beginning at 7:00 p.m.

A graveside burial for close family will take place on Tuesday, July 28, 2026.

Memorial donations may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Western Kentucky University student academic scholarships.

LJ looks to make parks equipment more accessible

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THE PIONEER NEWS

LEBANON JUNCTION – At the same time that a county agency was talking about grant opportunities to upgrade equipment in the Wall Street Park, the Lebanon Junction City Council was approving the purchase of three new items.

At the July meeting, the council unanimously approved the purchase of three pieces of equipment which would be ADA accessible for children.

Mayor Larry Dangerfield said the cost of \$22,587 could be covered in the 2026-27 budget.

He said it was important that those with special needs have access to the playground equipment.

Councilmember Teresa Smither-Preston felt there would be a number of youngsters in the city who would love to take advantage of new playground options.

The Bullitt County Parks and Recreation advisory board has been working on seeking grants. With the application process about to open, the board is hoping that Lebanon Junction would seek a land and water conservation grant to help with the playground improvements.

The Wall Street Park is busy but the playground equipment is old. There is a lot of property which could easily accommodate new equipment.

In other business:

\*Fire chief Adam Heath updated the council on the recent flooding in the city.

He said several water rescues were made. Fourteen were evacuated in the Cedar Springs Subdivision when an earthen dam showed signs of weakness. There was not a breach of the dam.

Overall, he said the efforts went well as the county and city worked together with all the First Responders. Over 10 inches of rain was

recorded in Lebanon Junction over a two-hour period.

Lessons were also learned. The current vehicles for the fire department are not built to haul rescue boats.

The state funds sent to the fire department would be dedicated to the purchase of a new truck. Heath said that would be around \$15,000.

With a looming deadline to order a truck, the council approved Heath seeking bids and letting the mayor make the decision. And the state fire funds would be used toward the purchase.

Heath told councilman Tim Sanders that the new truck would only be used, as needed, to haul the boat.

Besides the flooding, Dangerfield said the public works department had to handle a water line break at the same time.

Councilman Tony Hellard felt everyone did an excellent job.

As has been a common theme of many governmental bodies over the past few months, Dangerfield said social media is not to be trusted. He said the Facebook reports that the dam had burst were not true. Plus, he said that subdivision is not even in the city limits.

The dam has been repaired and inspected, said the mayor.

\*Dangerfield said he would like to purchase an upgraded camera system to provide protection at the ballpark. He said vandalism damaged some equipment.

\*The city collects an occupational tax but there is a way to invest that money and collect even more revenue.

Dangerfield got approval to invest \$1 million occupational tax dollars into a seven-month CD.

He said First Harrison Bank, which has a branch in the city and has been a major supporter, would be

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Hebron Estates approves new nuisance ordinance

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THE PIONEER NEWS

HEBRON ESTATES – When two of the four commissioners are absent, the mayor can spring into action.

Mayor Jerry Clark found himself as part of the quorum needed to hold business for the Hebron Estates City Commission in July.

And the second reading of the revised nuisance ordinance was the most important item on the month's agenda.

City attorney Mark Edison wrote a revised ordinance that included a reduction in the height of grass or weeds that would

constituent a violation. From this point on, grass or weeds can be no higher than eight inches before a citation could be written by the code enforcement officer.

Agricultural property would have different requirements on the height of grass.

Wording for dead or decaying trees was also added to the ordinance.

The maximum fine is \$500 per day per offense.

Commissioners Russell Forshee and Bob Denner joined Clark in approving the nuisance ordinance.

In other business:

\*The mosquito spraying contract with Hillview was

renewed for \$900 per spraying.

The cost has been the same for the past 7-8 years.

\*Drainage work will be done on Garden Drive.

RLH Reynolds was the lowest of the three bidders at a cost of \$34,769.

Clark said there had been drainage issues for over 30 years on Garden Drive.

\*The commission voted to have an easement repaired on Scenic Trail. The repairs will stop any future flooding of a home.

The cost will be \$4,860 and the commission approved the work.

\*Hillview police chief Bill Mahoney gave his monthly

report.

With 25 calls, he said it was a good month. There was one theft report and one solicitor.

There were 15 citations given out for speeding, with East Hebron Lane being the biggest issue.

If residents have a complaint about fireworks, Mahoney said they should call the non-emergency line to Central Dispatch as soon as possible.

The next meeting of the Hebron Estates City Commission will be at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 4, at the community center on Burkland Boulevard. The public is encouraged to attend.

Worship Together

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Sunday Morning..... 9:00  
Sunday Evening..... 5:00  
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Ron Halbrook, Evangelist

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Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
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850 Fisher Lane,  
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502-904-0616  
visionvalleybaptist.org

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Pastor Tim DeVries

**ST BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH**

211 West Oak Street

Lebanon Junction

**543-5918**

Father Adam Carrico, pastor

Mass Schedule

Sunday..... 9AM  
Tues. & Thurs. ....8:30AM  
Sunday Confessions  
8:15-8:45



**ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH**

187 So. Plum Street  
Shepherdsville

**543-5918**

Father Adam Carrico, Pastor

Mass Schedule:

Saturday ..... 4:30 P.M.  
Sunday ..... 11 A.M.  
Mon./Wed./Fri. .... 8 A.M.

Confession

Saturday .....3:45-4:15 P.M.  
Sunday..... 10:20-10:45 A.M.

**First Baptist Church Mt. Washington**

320 N. Bardstown Rd.

**538-7361 or  
965-6539**

Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

Bible Study/Sunday School  
9:30 a.m.

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Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m.

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Shepherdsville, KY 40165

**SUNDAY**

Bible Study: 9:45 AM  
Worship: 11:00 AM-6:00 PM  
**WEDNESDAY**

Bible Study & Youth 6:00 PM  
Pastor: Carl M. Thomas  
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**Bethel United Methodist Church**

7357 Hwy 44 E.

Mt. Washington, Kentucky

Sunday worship service...9 a.m.

Thursday Bible Study

Children: 6 p.m.

Adults: 7 p.m.

**Rev. Wallace Votaw**

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3699 N. Preston Hwy.

Shepherdsville

1 Mile South of Hebron Lane

Bible Study..... 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meeting.. 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Jeff Anders - Pastor

**955-1288**

*Southern Baptist Convention*



**St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church**

155 Stringer Lane

Mt. Washington, KY 40047

**538-4933 • 955-5366**

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Sunday .....9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

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Sunday Evening .....6:00 pm

Wednesday Night .....7:00 pm

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Sunday Morning Bible Study 9:45

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30

Sunday Evening Worship 5:00

Wednesday Evening Bible Study 7:00

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