

LAKESIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
LAKESIDE LANTERN
SHARING THE GRACE OF GOD IN OUR 55TH YEAR

JUNE

Greetings from your Pastor

I am happy to announce we are making great progress on our updating of the audio/visual system in the Sanctuary. Through your generous contributions to our Capital Campaign we have been able to address these issues and are nearing completion of this first step in our renovations. This crucial element of our worship experience would not be possible if not for the prayerful consideration of our dedicated congregation. I thank you once again for your support of this much needed work.

For those of you who were in our latest Wednesday night study and for those who were not, I love this description by Garrison Keillor of Methodists.

For all my Methodist friends!!

Garrison Keillor on Methodists

"We make fun of Methodists for their blandness, their excessive calm, their fear of giving offense, their lack of speed, and also for their secret fondness for macaroni and cheese.

But nobody sings like them. If you were to ask an audience in New York City, a relatively Methodist-less ...place, to sing along on the chorus of "Michael Row the Boat Ashore," they will look daggers at you as if you had asked them to strip to their underwear. But if you do this among Methodists, they'd smile and row that boat ashore and up on the beach! And down the road!

Many Methodists are bred from childhood to sing in four-part harmony, a talent that comes from sitting on the lap of someone singing alto or tenor or bass and hearing the harmonic intervals by putting your little head against that person's rib cage.

It's natural for Methodists to sing in harmony. They are too modest to be soloists, too worldly to sing in unison. When you're singing in the key of C and you slide into the A7th and D7th chords, all two hundred of you, it's an emotionally fulfilling moment. By joining in harmony, they somehow promise that they will not forsake each other.

I do believe this: People, these Methodists, who love to sing in four-part harmony, are the sort of people you can call up when you're in deep distress.

**If you're dying, they will comfort you.*

**If you are lonely, they'll talk to you.*

**And if you are hungry, they'll give you tuna salad (or tuna casserole).*

**Methodists believe in prayer, but would practically die if asked to pray out loud.*



*Methodists like to sing, except when confronted with a new hymn or a hymn with more than four stanzas.

*Methodists believe their pastors will visit them in the hospital, even if they don't notify them that they are there.

*Methodists usually follow the official liturgy and will feel it is their way of suffering for their sins.

*Methodists believe in miracles and even expect miracles, especially during their stewardship visitation programs or when passing the plate.

**Methodists drink coffee as if it were the Third Sacrament.*

**Methodists feel guilty for not staying to clean up after their own wedding reception in the Fellowship Hall.*

**Methodists are willing to pay up to one dollar for a meal at the church.*

**Methodists still serve Jell-O in the proper liturgical color of the season and think that peas in a tuna casserole adds too much color.*

**Methodists believe that it is OK to poke fun at themselves and never take themselves too seriously.*

And finally, You know you are a Methodist when:

It's 100 degrees, with 90% humidity, and you still have coffee after the service.

You hear something funny during the sermon and smile as loudly as you can.

Donuts are a line item in the church budget, just like coffee.

When you watch a Star Wars movie and they say, "May the Force be with you," you respond, "and also with you."

And lastly, it takes ten minutes to say good - bye !"

Our study A Disciples Path by Jim Harnish was a great way to revisit our roots, for those who have been lifelong Methodists as well as those who are exploring what it means to be a Methodist for the first time.

I am blessed to be on this journey with you and look forward to what GOD has in store for each of us. My prayers are always with you.

Blessings and Peace

Pastor David

Bible Study Series Postponed!

We will take a short break from our weekly Bible Studies, due to school ending and summer starting. We feel everyone needs a little time off. We will let you know when we are ready to start again via bulletin announcements, power point, newsletter and e mails.

The Capital Campaign was kicked off on March 8, 2013 for the refurbishment and replacement of Sanctuary Sound and Lighting systems as well as a replacement for the Dishwasher in the Fellowship Hall Kitchen. Our goal is \$20,000 for this much needed work. To date we have raised \$5,878.92 toward our goal with the generous giving of our faithful congregation. I pray that God would touch each of us to join in on this crucial part of our ministry here at Lakeside UMC to make our worship service and activities the best they can be. We honor God when we strive to give our best for His glory. I pray God's richest blessings upon each of you as you prayerfully consider your gift to this much needed work.

Blessings, Pastor David

Mission Jar

For the next month we will collect donations and items for the Adopt-A Family organization. *Adopt-A-Family is a 501 (c)(3) not-for-profit, charitable organization established in 1983. They are dedicated to restoring families in crisis to stability and self-sufficiency by providing access to all encompassing services for families and their children.*

Items needed:

Diapers	Diaper wipes
Children's shoes	Children's socks
Children's underwear	Towels
Sheets	Washcloths
Personal Hygiene Products (not trial size, please)	

Connect Cards

Please remember to sign your name on the weekly Connect Card. If you have changes, indicate the new information on the card. These cards are used for attendance for the churches annual reports and to keep your contact information current. Thank you!

MATTHEW MEALS-

We are blessed each month to be able to serve our community by giving them a hot cooked meal. Now that several of our helpers have returned up north, we could really use your help. Lakeside's next Matthew Meals will be on Saturday, June 29th.

Volunteers are needed to prepare the food, serve the meals, and clean up the kitchen afterwards. Cooking begins around 1:30pm. The meals are served 4-6pm. in the Fellowship Hall. Prayerfully consider helping with this great outreach to our community. All are welcome.

Pop Tabs: We are still collecting pop tabs from soda cans, soup cans, etc... They are used for the aluminum in them. The McDonald House is the charity that benefits from these. Please give them to Kathy Chandler.

**Nursery News**

Over the summer Christina & Teresa will be away a couple of separate Sundays. By law, 2 adults must be in attendance with the little children. Please prayerfully consider volunteering once or twice to help out. You won't be alone; One of the regular Nursery Teachers will be with you. Please call the church office and offer to help: 561-585-7519.

Card Ministry

What kind, loving, generous people we have at Lakeside! Your faithfulness in signing the cards weekly is much appreciated by the receivers of the cards! We have heard how uplifting those cards truly are when delivered to mailboxes. Also, special thanks to those that have donated postage and cards. Your support keeps this Ministry going.

Be sure to notify the Church Office when you hear of someone in need of a card: 561-585-7519.

Again, thanks for your support of Lakeside's Card Ministry!

Volunteer Bereavement Committee being formed.

Our mission is to help ease the burden on families after the death of a loved one by offering the family a meal. These meals will be provided by volunteers of Lakeside United Methodist Church as requested. If you would like to be called on to help with a Bereavement Meal by providing a dish, helping with set-up or clean-up, please contact Jean Crawford (561-584-4458) or Betty McMurphy (561-968-9497).

HELP NEEDED: The Trustees could use some helpers to remove wallpaper from the walls in the outer room of the women's bathroom in the Sanctuary. Please contact Garfield King 512-8960

UMW Reminder:

The Red Bird Mission in the Mts. of Kentucky thank you.

We send them BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION and LABELS FOR EDUCATION. They redeem these for equipment and supplies.

Look for them on the following products: General Mills cereal; Pillsbury refrigerated dairy products; Betty Crocker meals and baking products; Kleenex boxes and Campbell Soup Labels.

So far in 2013 we have mailed in 696. No Cost to you, just a commitment to look and act.

The deposit envelope is to the right as you enter the Narthex.

A Special Prayer for Father

God, bless all the fathers in the world. Guide them to be good role models and loving to all their children. Help them to be a father like You are. Give them grace and patience to handle situations in a loving way. **Amen**

Spread the diaper in the position of the diamond with you at bat. Then fold second base down to home and set the baby on the pitcher's mound. Put first base and third together, bring up home plate and pin the three together. Of course, in case of rain, you gotta call the game and start all over again.

Fathers Day Quote by: Jimmy Piersal, on how to diaper a baby, 1968

KASC (Keenagers Adult Summer Camp)

Camp opened last month with returning campers and some new faces! Coach Rosalie & Coach Sandi had some fun crafts for us to make! In fact, we had SO MUCH FUN, we've decided to add another hour of FUN!

Beginning Wednesday, June 12th, KASC will begin at 11:00! We'll do crafts for an hour or so, stop to eat lunch, and then get back to crafting! Camp is open to all adults in our neighborhood, not just Lakesiders. Feel free to bring your own projects, or work on one of ours. Items created will be sold at the Fall Bazaar.

Invite a friend or two and come to Camp! Future camp dates are the second Wednesday of each month: June 12; July 10; August 14; September 11; & October 9

Remember the new starting time . . . 11:00! Bring a bag lunch; a cold drink will be provided. Looking forward to seeing you at KASC on Wednesday, June 12th @ 11:00!

United Methodist Men
will meet on Monday, June 3rd at 7 PM in the Library. Hope to see you there!

Men's Breakfast Group

Saturday, June 1st at 8 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

Coupons For C. R. O. S.

Keep those manufactures' coupons coming! We also collect coupons for fast food restaurants. These help extend food dollars for those that are struggling. Continue to place them in the box in the Sanctuary Foyer. Ask an usher if you do not know where to find the box. An extra "Thank You" goes out to those of you that take the time to cut out the newspaper coupons!

Family Movie Fellowship

JUNE: MONSTERS UNIVERSITY (6/29) Story-line Mike Wazowski and James P. Sullivan are an inseparable pair, but that wasn't always the case. From the moment these two mismatched monsters met at University of Fear they couldn't stand each other. Monsters University unlocks the door to how Mike and Sulley overcame their differences and became the best of friends.



Father's Day Dinner

Saturday, June 15th, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We are having a "Sports Theme" so come wearing your favorite team shirt if you have one. All men are invited, whether a dad or not. Perhaps your dad is too far away to come; Why not invite another man from the church, your work, or your neighborhood to attend the dinner with you? Everyone is invited, not just men. All are welcome! Tickets are \$8.00 and are available from the Youth during Fellowship Time after church, or from Christina Harden, Youth Director.

UMW NEWS

Intercessory Prayer Circle, Tuesdays, 10:30 AM Library

FOOD PANTRY

The next date for the Food Pantry will be Friday, June 21st. The Food Pantry will be open 10am to 12:30 pm. We gave out 42 bags of food last month. Thank you for your continued support of this outreach ministry.



ICE CREAM SOCIAL-

Join us on Sunday, June 30, after the morning worship service for an ice cream social! We will be welcoming Pastor David and his wife, Nanci, back to Lakeside United Methodist Church for another year.

The ice cream will be provided, but we will need donations of ice cream toppings and sandwiches as well.

Please let Michael Garrett or Nancy Gettys know what you will be bringing.



Mother's Day Fun and Thanks

Princess Tea Party

What an elaborate affair was experienced by the daughters of our King, Lord, & Savior! All Princesses received a crown upon entering and were served scrumptious fruit, sandwiches, and desserts! A variety of entertainment added to the festivities. Our own Prince Charming enhanced the ambience. A drawing culminated the day with the crowning of a Queen. It was our own Maryann Davis! After many photos, the "Princesses" departed, promising to return on Mother's Day donning their crowns!

We extend our grateful appreciation to Christina Harden, Lakeside's Youth Director, for planning and organizing such a wonderful event for the ladies of our church! Thanks also go out to Boy Scout Troop 204, their leaders & their Mothers, the ladies that performed for us, the food preparers, and the decorators. It all blended into a marvelous Princess Tea Party! Thank you to the ladies that attended this fun-filled celebration!

Palm Beach County Food Bank

Lakeside has applied to become a partner agency with the Palm Beach County Food Bank. This agency collects and distributed food at no cost to dozens of agencies that feed the hungry. Food distributed includes non-perishable canned and dry goods, refrigerated and frozen product when available and fruit and vegetables. This food can be used for our food pantry, Matthew Meals and even our Vacation Bible School.

Partner agencies must be non-profit organizations with a current tax-exempt 501 (c) 3 status and must have operated a food pantry or meal program for at least 6 months. Other requirements include proof the organizational staff has attended a safe food handling program within 6 months of application approval, agree to an annual visit and inspection by the PBCounty Food Bank, show proof of regular pest control at the address and in the area where the food is stored. Each time food is given out the total number of households and number of people in a household will be recorded and submitted to the PBCounty Food Bank to help determine the amount of food Lakeside will receive the next month. At least 2 volunteers must go to the warehouse in Lantana to pick up the food.

Contact Sally Chennell if you have questions about the Palm Beach County Food Bank.

Time Away! Pastor David, Lay Leader: Bob Going, and Lay Members: Nancy Gettys and Barbara Russum will all be attending the Florida Annual Conference of the United Methodist Churches from June 12th through 15th. Please pray for them as they travel to and from Lakeland.

Our youth will be going to Warren Willis Camp for their summer camp activities from June 17th to the 22nd. Please keep them in your prayers as they go and come from the Leesburg area.

Our congratulations to Parents: Deonta and Keia (Garrett) Greenwood Sr. on the baptism of their son, Deonta Ramon Greenwood Jr. on Sunday, May 26th. Deonta, also known as D.J. is the grandson of Michael and Evelyn Garrett.



Happy Graduation!

Congratulations to the following Graduates! May God continue to guide you as you begin a new chapter in your life!

Chante` Marie Garrett graduated from West Boca High School. She will be attending Palm Beach State College with plans to continue onto Florida International University after that. Chante` is aspiring to be a registered nurse and has already achieved State Certifications in: Certified Phlebotomist, Certified Clinical Medical Assistant, Certified Medical Assistant, Certified Clinical Laboratory Assistant, Certified EKG, and Emergency Medical Responder. Chante` is the daughter of Michael J. and Evelyn Garrett.

Janae Kimberlee Harden graduated from Lake Worth Community High School. She will be attending Palm Beach State College, and plans to study nursing. Janae is the daughter of Christina Michelle Harden and granddaughter of Thomas and Jane Harden.

Madoline Mae Hartman graduated from Lake Braddock High School in Burke, VA. She is planning on attending Old Dominion University in Norfolk, VA. and has not declared a major as of yet. Madoline is the daughter of Edward and Erin Hartman of VA. and the granddaughter of Maurice and Beverly Hartman.

Thomas Alexander Knapp graduated from Southmoore High School in Oklahoma City, OK. He will be attending Oklahoma State University and has not declared a major as of yet. Thomas is the son of Mark Knapp of OK. and the grandson of Beverly Knapp.

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**We have a Place for
You!**

Sunday Small groups

8:45 AM

Sunday worship

10:00 AM



Did we miss your birthday?
Please let us know.

Happy Birthday!



**Where God's World
Comes Together!**



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- 2 Phyllis Harrington
- 5 Betty Lee Gray
Edward Walters
- 6 Kate McCartney Edwards
- 9 Travis Boer
- 10 Jane Harden
- 15 Charles Frye
- 18 Luann (Davis) Call
- 21 Lane Laubscher
- 28 Maurice Hartman
- 29 Barbara Short
- 30 Robert Bacon

Save The Date

We are planning fun,
games, crafts,
and good times for this
year's **Vacation Bible
School...**

...it is something YOU
will not want to miss.

More information will
be coming soon!

Monday thru Friday

**5:30 p.m. to 8:30
p.m.**

w/ Saturday Fun Day!

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is Right Around the
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