

**LAKESIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
LAKESIDE LANTERN
SHARING THE GRACE OF GOD IN OUR 60TH YEAR**

MAY

April BBQ Fun Day



Pie Contest– Judges: Marty Hartman, Steve Bergkamp and Debbie Turnbull. Winners each got a Publix Gift Card: 1st-Robynne Ryals, 2nd-Joyce Kruger. Music by David Kupsick. Lots of Fun and Good Eating!





MORE FUN DAY PHOTOS



MAY AT A GLANCE

01– Sanctuary Committee
Boy Scouts

02– Bible Study

03– National Day of Prayer
Choir Practice

04– Faith Night at Roger
Dean Stadium

05– Men’s Breakfast Group

06– 6th Sunday of Easter
Holy Communion

07– Bookworms

08– Boy Scouts

09– Leadership Council
Bible Study

10– Choir Practice

11–

12– Mother’s Day Tea Party

13– Mother’s Day
7th Sunday of Easter
Ascension Sunday

14–

15–DOWLL
Boy Scouts

16– Prayer Service
Bible Study

17– Choir Practice

18– Food Pantry

19– Private Baby Shower

20– Day of Pentecost

21– Book Club
Lake Osborne Estates

22– Boy Scouts

23– Bible Study

24– Choir Practice

25–

26– Paddle for the Pantry
Matthew Meals

27– 1st Sunday after
Pentecost
Trinity Sunday
Peace with Justice
Sunday
Memorial Day Scout
Lock In

28– Memorial Day
Observance
Scout Lock In Continues

29–

30– Bible Study

31– Lighthouse Academy End
of Year Graduation
Choir Practice



HAPPY
Mother's
DAY



Paddle For The Pantry– Saturday, May 26 at 9 AM. Bring your canoe/kayak for a leisurely ride on Lake Osborne. Also, bring items for the Food Pantry, such as Baby Food, Peanut Butter, Canned Pasta, Canned Soup, Baby Diapers, Jelly, Rice, Canned fruit, Baby Wipes, Box Cereal, and Spaghetti. Everyone is welcome for this fun activity. Contact Steve Bergkamp if interested or have questions.

RECYCLE NEWSPAPERS

DID YOU KNOW????? There is a bin for recycling your newspapers at the back of the parking lot? LUMC receives CA\$H for each 100 pounds of recycled newspapers. Isn't that a nice and easy way for us to be good stewards of the Earth and also make a little \$\$\$?

BUT – DID YOU KNOW????? LUMC receives NO PAYMENT for the total contents of the bin if there is **any** PLASTIC, CARDBOARD, OR GARBAGE in the bin when they come to pick it up. That includes the plastic newspaper wrappers and plastic bags that might hold lots of shredded papers.

WHAT CAN YOU DO???? Bring your papers to the bin, put them in but take away the plastic. There is a dumpster on the other side of the parking lot if you want to put the plastic there. **THANKS FOR YOUR HELP.**

Mission Jar Focus

The June Mission Jar Focus is Forgotten Soldiers Outreach.

“Sending that little bit of home to ensure they are not forgotten”

– Lynelle Chauncey Zelnar, Executive Director & Founder

September 11, 2001, changed our lives forever, as our country all stood united as one.

In October 2003, Forgotten Soldiers Outreach was born to help send that little bit of home to our troops. Service members were provided with much needed care items, as well as letters of encouragement.

Over the years, Forgotten Soldiers Outreach has become a nationally recognized organization receiving support from all over the country. We send out monthly “We Care” packages to our United States deployed military, who have been registered by family members, friends, commanding officers or themselves.

The fact remains that deployments continue all over the world, and our list continues to grow. Now more than ever, our men and women serving in the military can use that extra morale boost that is received through our “We Care” packages.

Look on the table in the Narthex or in your April Newsletter for items to bring in for the “We Care” Packages.

Thanks for supporting Lakeside's Mission Jar. Lakeside Finance Committee

Forgotten Soldiers Outreach

NEEDS

Small Baby Wipes
 Lip Balm
 Dental Floss
 Slim Jims
 Drink Mixes
 Beef Jerky
 Sun Screen
 Batteries (all sizes)
 Travel Size Baby & Foot Powder
 Travel Size Hand Sanitizer
 Travel Size Mouthwash
 Travel Size Toothpaste
 Toothbrushes
 Men's Deodorant
 Small Cans of Pop-Top Fruit
 Candy
 Gum
 CD's and DVD's
 Pocket Size Books
 Cereal Bars
 Snack Size Nuts or Trail Mix
 Small Packages of Cheese
 & Crackers
 Tube Socks
 "Silly String"
 Playing Cards
 Flea Collars
 Sandwich Size Storage Bags
 Snack Size Storage Bags
 Packing Tape

LETTER OF ENCOURAGEMENT

What God Is To The Believer

By Alice Nelson

God is my refuge, my defense,
 My Shepherd, and my King;
 My strength, my strong deliverer,
 Of whom I love to sing.

And God is my salvation, too,
 My fortress, strong and tried;
 Beneath the shadow of God's wing,
 In perfect peace I hide.

God is my rock, forever sure,
 Here, I may always rest,
 Beneath this shade, in love secure,
 No harm can me molest.

God is my glory of my days,
 And of His grace I'll sing,
 Who gave to me His only Son,
 My Prophet, Priest and King.

I'll sing of Christ, my risen Lord,
 Whose love, so full and free,
 Through sorrow, suffering, pain and
 death,
 Salvation brought to me.

Children In Church

Six year old Angie and her four year old brother, Joel, were sitting together in church. Joel giggled, sang and talked out loud. Finally, his big sister had had enough. "You're not supposed to talk out loud in church." "Why? Who's going to stop me?" Joel asked. Angie pointed to the back of the church and said, "See those two men standing by the door? They're Hushers."



D O W L L (Dining Out With Lakeside Ladies)

Flash back to the year 2015:

The Lakeside men had been meeting for breakfast once a month for several years. Some of our women decided that they wanted a similar opportunity.

Soooo . . .

On Tuesday, May 19, 2015, a group of 10 Lakeside Ladies decided to go to dinner at Sweet Tomatoes. They had so much fun that they decided to meet monthly at various local restaurants. There have been bountiful hours of fun, food, & fellowship during the past 36 months!

In honor of their ***THIRD ANNIVERSARY***, DOWLLs will return to Sweet Tomatoes (where it all began!) on Congress Avenue in Boynton Beach on Tuesday, May 15, 2018, at 5:00pm. The address is 1100 North Congress Avenue, Boynton Beach. It is south of Gateway Boulevard on the east side of the road. This activity is open to all women. Come and bring a friend!

There are often coupons in the newspaper and online. Watch for them!

A "head count" is needed for our reservation. If you plan to join us, please contact Teresa Wilhelm by 12:00 Noon on Tuesday, May 15th. You can reach her via email, text, or phone: 561-317-2808 (cell); wilhelmwellness@gmail.com. You may also call Carolyn at the church office: 561-585-7519.

(If you forget to call us, you may still attend the activity, but we cannot promise that you will be sitting with our group.)

NEW CHURCH ADDRESS- The City of Lake Worth has been updating their records and has informed us that our church address changed as of the first of January. Please make the change on your address books, computers, etc.

Lakeside United Methodist Church

1901 12th Ave. S.

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Our next Bible Study will begin on Wednesday, May 2nd at 7 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

The book of Revelation is one of the most intriguing books of the Bible. It's also one of the most mysterious. Filled with vivid imagery, rich themes, and deep spiritual insights, it can be challenging to read and understand. Yet woven throughout Revelation's sweeping tapestry is a unifying message: The victory found in Jesus Christ. This Bible study takes an in-depth, yet practical, look at the book of Revelation, and shares how we can experience a victorious life. It will be an eight week study.

Prayer Service

We will meet on Wednesday, May 16 at 6 PM in the Sanctuary.

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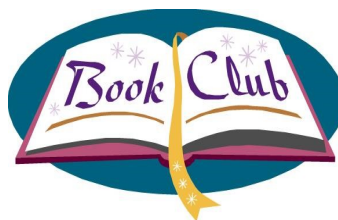
Men's Breakfast Group will meet on Saturday, May 5th in the fellowship hall at 8 AM.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 2 Dennis Simmons,
- 5 Nancy Hotchkiss,
- 6 Joyce Blankenship
- 7 Tammy Mauldin
Carl Linderson
- 8 Monica Harden
- 9 Marilyn VanVleet
- 11 Chante Garrett
Beverly Hartman
Garfield King
- 13 Emma Orrock
- 16 Rebecca Walters
- 18 Sharon Bouyoucas
- 24 Bill Athas
- 27 Maria Batista
- 29 Ken Chennell
Mary Hanna
Erlinda Gonzalez



Lakeside Chancel Choir will meet on Thursdays at 7 PM. Please contact Wendell if you wish to join them.



Book Club will meet on Monday, May 21 at 12 PM in the Library. Contact Sharon Bouyoucas at 968-1892.



Don't see your May birthday listed? Please let us know. Happy Birthday!

REMINDER: The church public office hours are Monday - Friday from 9 AM to 1 PM. Please plan to conduct your business during these hours.

CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITY



MATTHEW MEALS MINISTRY

As Pastor David says, "Be a blessing to others!"

Lakeside blesses our community with a hot, cooked meal on a Saturday at the end of every month. Why not volunteer to help with this ministry? Food prep begins at 2:00PM. The food is boxed in carry-out containers and given out at 4:00PM. Please prayerfully consider joining in this ministry. There is a place for you to help!

Saturday, May 26 will be the next Matthew Meals distribution. For more information, see Sally Chennell.



FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

We often hear the comment, "I would like to donate to the Food Pantry, but I don't know what they need!" Here is a list of items that are always needed:

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| Baby Food | Baby Diapers | Baby Wipes |
| Peanut Butter | Jelly | Big Boxes of Cereal |
| Canned Pasta | Rice | Spaghetti |
| Canned Soup | Canned Fruit | <u>CLEAN</u> plastic grocery bags |

Remember "Buy One, Get One" offers are a great way to help without spending a lot of cash!

Put your donations on the stage nearest the Food Pantry closet.

Thank you so very much for your help!

FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY

Volunteers are needed to assist with this ministry on the 3rd Friday of this month. While the pantry hours are 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon, volunteers are needed 9:30AM –12:30PM. For more information, see Sally Chennell. **The next date is Friday, May 18.** Distribution of food: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM.



Lakeside United Methodist Mission Statement

Sharing the grace of God through: Worship, Sacraments, Fellowship,
Prayer, Study, Service, Witness, and Love.

Vision Statement

Be a welcoming church reaching people with God's love within our
community and beyond.

The Lakeside United Methodist Church Memorials Committee

Gifts made in honor of a loved one are used to enhance the worship
service, or are used for beautification of the sanctuary or other church
properties. The donor, or the family, may choose to designate the use of the
funds. Please consider remembering a loved one in this manner. Contact
Tom Harden for more information.

Children in Church

A little boy was overheard praying: "Lord, if you can't make me a better boy,
don't worry about it. I'm having a real good time like I am."

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

All women are invited to attend our United Methodist Women meetings. You do not have to
be a member of Lakeside UMC.

BOOKWORMS CIRCLE meets the first Monday, September thru May, at 7 pm in Fellow-
ship Hall. Meetings usually include a book report, devotions, brief business meeting &
refreshments. Contact Chmn Shirley Turner (586-8223).

SUSANNA WESLEY CIRCLE meets the first Wednesday, September thru April, at 10 am
in the Fellowship Hall. Meetings usually include a "response" moment, devotions, brief
business meeting & refreshments. Contact Chmn Peggy Morphesis (267-3588).

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 7 - Bookworms Circle 5:30 PM– Olive Garden

CARD SIGNING OUTREACH MINISTRY

You ask "Why do we have a Card Ministry?"

Here is the answer . . .

The worst feeling in the world isn't being lonely,

It is being FORGOTTEN!!

The family members of our "Shut-Ins" tell us the cards they have received are displayed on side tables/night stands and re-read frequently! The simple act of signing your name on a card brings such joy to the "receiver".

This is an easy way for you to "Be a Blessing to others!"

PLEASE! SIGN THE CARDS EACH WEEK at the Card-Signing table after church in Fellowship Hall!! Thank you.

KEENAGER'S

The Keenagers of Lakeside United Methodist Church have become more involved in their community. No longer do they just meet and eat!

Their project this season was collecting personal care items and non-perishable foods for the homeless in our area.

In April, the Keenagers voted to sponsor some families through the Heifer Project.

Are you age 55 or older? Maybe you feel limited or that you cannot "DO" things to help your community. Come next December 12th and join us at the Keenager's meeting. Together we can make our community, and the world, a better place for everyone!

CARING FOR ONE ANOTHER

Please notify the Church Office if you have a change of address, phone number, or email address. Thanks.

A Spring Cleaning of the Heart & Soul Women's Fellowship Tea Party

*Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me
Psalm 51:10*



*Come enjoy Christian Fellowship, music, tea,
finger sandwiches and goodies*

*Mothers, daughters, friends and neighbors invited
Fun hats and Spring-themed accessories encouraged*

*Please RSVP to
Robynne Ryals @ (561) 719-5464
Or with the Church Office @ (561) 585-7519*

*Saturday, May 12th
From 11:00 - 1:00 pm
In the Fellowship Hall*

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HEADING NORTH/HOME

Northerners, please let us know when you are leaving and what your northern address or email address is, as well as if you wish to still receive the newsletter or prayer requests.

HAPPY TRAVELS UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN

**We have a Place for
You!**

Sunday Small Groups 8:45 AM

Sunday Worship 10:00 AM

Gleaning

Please contact Keith at

kcutshall@crossministries.org

for more information, or Robynne Ryals at our church.

The May Gleaning Dates:

Please understand that all of the locations listed below are tentative. Growing conditions vary year to year, agricultural markets do as well. Listed below are our best estimates based upon previous experience.

Locations could open up sooner, later or not at all. We will let you know as soon as we know. Also new growers join us from time to time and that will also create unforeseen opportunities in new locations.

Day of the Week	Calendar Date	Anticipated Locations
Saturday	May 5 th	Palm City, The Glades, Delray Beach
Saturday	May 12 th	Delray Beach
Saturday	May 19 th	Palm City, The Glades
Saturday	May 26 th	Lantana, The Glades

Faith Night at Roger Dean Stadium– Friday, May 4th. The game starts at 6:30 PM. Pastor David will have tickets so we can all sit together. Baseball Bingo, Pre-Game Invocation, Church Music, Player Testimonies are only a few of the things planned for the special. Also 1/2 of the ticket price benefits our church.

