

LAKESIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
LAKESIDE LANTERN
Sharing The Grace Of God In Our 65th Year

MAY 2024



Greetings Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

I want to wish a Happy Mother's day to all mothers.

“And she made a vow, saying, “Lord Almighty, if you will only look on your servant’s misery and remember me, and not forget your servant but give her a son, then I will give him to the Lord for all the days of his life, and no razor will ever be used on his head.” (1 Samuel 1:11 (NIV)

Hannah was the second wife to Elkanah. She was barren but prayed to God year after year for a child. The Lord granted her request and gave her Samuel, the gift-child she offered back to God. Samuel became a great prophet and judge over Israel.

Children are a gift from God to mothers. I pray that all mothers be blessed this Mother's Day.

This month, May 18 and May 19, 2024, Lakeside will host District Lay Servant Training. A basic and advanced course will be taught. Please call the church office if interested in attending for further details. Pastor Debra and Richard are teaching the advanced course, “From Your Heart to Theirs, Delivering an Effective Sermon.”

Richard and I continue to look forward to working with everyone in ministry at Lakeside and our surrounding community.

Blessings,

Pastor Debra



MEN'S BREAKFAST

ALL MEN ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND!

Meet your fellow men on **Saturday, May 4th at 8:00am** for some great food, fellowship, and a few laughs!

Richard Thompson brings great conversation around Biblical Truths
(Cooks please come around 6:30 AM)

BOOK CLUB

WHAT AN EXCITING TIME TO JOIN US!

The Book Club meets on the third Monday of every month at **12:00, Noon** in the LIBRARY!
Bring a sack lunch as we FELLOWSHIP and embark on literary adventures!

(And if you would like to attend in your pajamas, there is a link sent out from Anne to connect you to the live event via Zoom)

- MAY 20 CLARE SHORE "Braiding Sweetgrass" by Robin Wall Kimmerer
- JUN 17 JANICE HATT "The Homecoming" by Kate Morton
- JUL 15 BETTY MCMURCHY "The Magnolia Palace" by Fiona Davis
- AUG 19 D'ETTE MATHEWS "The Personal Librarian" by Marie Benedict & Victoria Christopher Murray
- SEP 16 ELAINE HARRIS "The Rose Code" by Kate Quinn
- OCT 21 ANNE MCCARTNEY "West with Giraffes" by Lynda Rutledge
- NOV 18 CHOICES FOR 2025 PRESENTATIONS
- DEC 16 LUNCHEON FOR ALL MEMBERS

Connect Cards: Why do we use Connect Cards?

- * Messages for the Pastor
- * Prayer requests
- * Change of address/phone number
- * Messages for the Church Office.
- * Attendance
- * Update our birthday list
- * Keep us informed if you need a home visit
- * Notify us when seasonal visitors are away

If all of your information is the same, simply fill in your name and the date!

Thank you for remembering to do this every week

LAKESIDE'S KEENAGERS invite everyone to attend a program by the local Alzheimer's Research and Treatment Center.

There are many types of dementia, all caused by a different process occurring with the brain. Alzheimer's disease is the most common cause of dementia among older people accounting upwards of 80% of the cases over the age of 65. Please join us on **Wednesday, May 8, 2024, at 11:00am** as ARTC shares insights, new developments, and hope for this devastating disease.

Please RSVP to WILHELMWELLNESS@gmail.com or text to 561-317-2808; include your name, phone number, and number of attendees in your message. We want to set up enough chairs!

Please come and bring your friends. We are asking everyone to arrive at 11:00am in order to begin on time.

(Feel free to bring a sack lunch & drink. We will all sit around to eat and chat afterwards.)

Church and Mission Giving – Tithes and Offerings can be placed in the Collection Plates during the Worship Service. Electronic gifts via PayPal are another way to give from home. You can click on the giving option on the website at lakesideumchurch.org under the GIVING banner.

If you prefer to make your gifts by check you can mail it to:

Lakeside United Methodist Church
1901 12th Avenue S.
Lake Worth, FL 33461

MUGS and MUFFINS

Wednesday, May 22, 2024, @10:00am, in Fellowship Hall

Bring your own mug from home. Join us for fellowship as we munch on muffins, consume our coffee, and taste our tea!

Contact Nancy Gettys for info: 561-301-7655

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.

We welcome our new Office
Assistant, Autumn Nally.
She is busy learning all
about Lakeside and the vari-
ous office duties.
Stop by and meet her any
weekday, 9:00am - 1:00 pm.

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

On Monday, May 6, 2024, at 6:00pm, the Lakeside Ladies are going to Atlantis Grill for their monthly dinner.

It is located at 5805 South Congress Ave; Atlantis, Florida 33462.

As usual, if you plan to join us, contact Teresa Wilhelm via email, text, or phone by 12:00 Noon on Sunday, 5/5/24. If you forget, you may still attend the activity, but we cannot promise that you will be sitting with our group.

Due to multiple, single checks for our group, the restaurants request you pay your bill with cash. (Many are now charging an additional fee to use credit cards.)

wilhelmwellness@gmail.com

cell #: 561-317-2808

MATTHEW MEALS

SATURDAY, May 25, 2024, 4-6pm

Volunteers are needed at 3:00pm to help with food preparation.
More volunteers needed 4:00 - 6:00pm to help serve meals to our community.

Contact Jane Harden for info: 561-568-1137

“ ‘SOAPSTONE’ The Bible” is on Sabbatical for the month of May.

C. R. O. S. FOOD PANTRY

C.R.O.S. Ministries will again be using Lakeside's east parking lot to distribute food to those in need on the First, Third, & Fifth Thursdays:

May 2nd, 16th, & 30th @ 4:00-6:00 pm

To help reduce expenditures by the church office, the leaders have suggested eliminating the excessive use of colored in in publications.

Also, due to the increased cost of paper, conservation will be implemented at every opportunity.

Every small instance of cost-cutting activity will result in noticeable savings over time.

Thank you for your understanding.

Mission Jar Focus Forgotten Soldiers Outreach

Lakeside is still collecting Travel-size toiletries, small food items, and other necessities for the men and women serving our country.

MAY

BIRTHDAYS

- 6 - Joyce Blankenship
- 8 - Monica Harden
- 9 - Marilyn VanVleet
- 11 - Beverly Hartman
Garfield King
- 13 - Emma Orrock
- 19 - Jim DuBose
- 21 - Bobbie Jo Lindsay

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