

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE LAKES

LC-MS



"Make disciples by caring and growing in Christ - together."

Helping Without Hurting

Each Sunday at 9:30 am

We are all called to help our neighbors and in doing so we may also unwittingly hurt them in the very way we think we are helping. Pastor Tyson will take us through the best way to help people without hurting them in the process. Everyone is welcome to join this group. Grab a cup of coffee and a snack then head over to the Bible Study room each Sunday between services.

Sweet Tooth Auction

February 2, between services in the Fellowship Hall

The Board of Christian Care is hosting a Sweet Tooth Auction. Donations of sweets and snacks are needed. Sign up sheets are on the volunteer desk. The proceeds from the auction will benefit people in our community with help with utilities, medication, rent and other life necessities.

New Disciple Class

Starting February 23, at 9:30 in the Large Study Room.

Pastor Tyson will lead this 6-week class designed for those desiring to take their next step of becoming a member at Lutheran Church of the Lakes. The class focuses on learning about the Lutheran Church and how each of us fit into church life and discipleship. Guests and members alike are welcome!

January 19, 2020 - 8:15 & 10:30 am

8:15 Service

- Confession & Absolution
- #947 All Glory Be to God on High
- Introit/Collect/Gloria
- Old Testament
- Gradual
- Epistle
- Gospel
- #685 Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus
- Sermon
- Nicene Creed
- Offering
- Prayers of the Church
- Words of Institution
- Communion :
 - #702 My Faith Looks Up to Thee
 - #606 I Lay My Sins on Jesus
 - #698 May We Thy Percepts. Lord Fulfill
- Ministry Moment

LSB Hymnals for 8:15 are located on the bookshelf at the entrance to the church.

10:30 Service

- Confession & Absolution
- Step By Step/Forever We Will Sing
- Psalm Prayer
- Forever We Will Sing
- I Will Wait For You
- Old Testament
- Epistle
- Gospel
- Children's Message
- As For Me
- Sermon
- Apostles' Creed
- Offering
- Prayers of the Church
- I Am Free
- Ministry Moment

About Communion

At LCOL, **we trust and believe God's Word and His Holy Scripture.** We believe God's Word that says that Jesus Himself is giving us not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood when we commune, that it is given for the forgiveness of our sins and to strengthen our union with Christ and with each other, and that Jesus invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sins, and forgive and love others, as He forgives and loves us. We believe the Word which says that because those who commune unworthily do so to their great harm; those who are not baptized or not properly prepared, and those who doubt should not commune. Because Holy Communion is a unified confession of faith of Christ's Body at LCOL, **we ask that all people new to LCOL who wish to receive the Sacrament would speak first with our pastor.** We ask this out of love and spiritual care for all who come here, and we ask this for the sake of our unity and Lutheran confession. **We welcome all people to come forward for a blessing; simply, cross your arms on your chest when the pastor comes to you.** If you have any questions, please, talk to our pastor.

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE

Pastor: Tyson Bentz
Elders: Hal Schmidt & Gordon Brighton
Altar: Nancy Stites
Ushers: **Dick Rose**, Rick Gray Harold Hunt, Ken Neitzel, Dan Kazup, **Rick Riley**, Ron Wyman, Lloyd Lash, Ida Snyder
Music: Praise Team under the direction of Dave Rains
Children's Message: Laurie Connin
Lay Readers: Kathy Schmidt & Dennis Pickford
Multimedia: Diane Knecht, Rick Baker
Greeters: Rick & Donn Gray, Wendy Chetkovich

This is what's going on...

Start from the Beginning The 10 am Tuesday morning Bible study completed their study of the books of the Bible last week. The group will start at the beginning in Genesis and work their way through the Bible again. Everyone is welcome to join the lively and uplifting conversation with the group.

Previous Sunday Giving Info (1/5/2020)

Attendance : 114
Offering: \$5,245.50
Year to Date Giving \$14,726.03
Year to Date Budget \$12,766.92
Online Giving: 9 families registered

Welcome!

Greetings and welcome to LCOL. It is great to have you with us today!

If you are new here, we hope you feel welcome. Come on in, take it easy, get to know us, and let us know how we can help you. If you have children, you are welcome to grab a Kid's Bag just outside the worship space. If you have little ones and need some space, there is a cry room at the back of the church. For ANYTHING else, please ask me, one of the ushers by the doors to the sanctuary, or one of our host team by the church entrance. May God bless you today and everyday!
In Christ's Name,

Pastor Tyson
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Weekly Study Opportunities

LCOL Sunday @ 9:30 am

Children's Sunday School	Rooms 1 & 2
Study w/ Pastor	Helping Without Hurting
	Large Study Room

Tuesday Bible Study @ 10:00 am

Bible Study	Books of the Bible	Library
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Thursday Women's Bible Study @ 9:30 am

Bible Babes	Sunday Scripture	Library
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Scripture Readings

Isaiah 49:1-7

Listen to me, O coastlands, and give attention, you peoples from afar. The Lord called me from the womb, from the body of my mother he named my name. ² He made my mouth like a sharp sword; in the shadow of his hand he hid me; he made me a polished arrow; in his quiver he hid me away. ³ And he said to me, "You are my servant, Israel, in whom I will be glorified." ⁴ But I said, "I have labored in vain; I have spent my strength for nothing and vanity; yet surely my right is with the Lord, and my recompense with my God." ⁵ And now the Lord says, he who formed me from the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him; and that Israel might be gathered to him—for I am honored in the eyes of the Lord, and my God has become my strength— ⁶ he says: "It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to bring back the preserved of Israel; I will make you as a light for the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth." ⁷ Thus says the Lord, the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One, to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nation, the servant of rulers: "Kings shall see and arise; princes, and they shall prostrate themselves; because of the Lord, who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you."

1 Corinthians 1:1-9

Paul, called by the will of God to be an apostle of Christ Jesus, and our brother Sosthenes, ² To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints together with all those who in every place call upon the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: ³ Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. ⁴ I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, ⁵ that in every way you were enriched in him in all speech and all knowledge— ⁶ even as the testimony about Christ was confirmed among you— ⁷ so that you are not lacking in any gift, as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ, ⁸ who will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁹ God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

John 1:29-42a

The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" ³⁰ This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks before me, because he was before me.' ³¹ I myself did not know him, but for this purpose I came baptizing with water, that he might be revealed to Israel." ³² And John bore witness: "I saw the Spirit descend from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. ³³ I myself did not know him, but he who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain, this is he who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' ³⁴ And I have seen and have borne witness that this is the Son of God." ³⁵ The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶ and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!" ³⁷ The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. ³⁸ Jesus turned and saw them following and said to them, "What are you seeking?" And they said to him, "Rabbi" (which means Teacher), "where are you staying?" ³⁹ He said to them, "Come and you will see." So they came and saw where he was staying, and they stayed with him that day, for it was about the tenth hour. ⁴⁰ One of the two who heard John speak and followed Jesus was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹ He first found his own brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which means Christ). ⁴² He brought him to Jesus.