

8:15 SERVICE

- Confession & Absolution
- #799 "Alabaré"
- Introit/Gloria/Collect
- Scripture Readings
- #845 "Where Charity and Love Prevail"
- Sermon
- Apostles' Creed
- Offering
- Prayers
- #921 "On What Has Now Been Sown"
- Ministry Moment

10:30 SERVICE

- Confession & Absolution
- "Build Your Kingdom Here"
- Psalm Prayer
- "Jesus Over Everything"
- Scripture Readings
- "Take My Life"
- Sermon
- Nicene Creed
- Offering
- Prayers
- Communion
 - "You Who Are Thirsty"
 - "Amazing Grace (My Chains)"
- Ministry Moment

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE

Pastor: Tyson Bentz
Elders: Bill Langenderfer & Mark Arledge
Altar: Mary Lou Wyman
Music: Dave Rains (Director) Mike Blackmar, Adam Draa, Richard Moran, Clif Weber, Ron Wyman
Ushers: Tom Shoup & Ida Snyder
Lay Readers: Nancy Teets & Donna Shoup
Multimedia: Rick Baker & Diane Knecht
Greeters: Steve & Julie Bauer

Information

The Current Numbers (7/18/21)
Attendance : 128
Offering: \$8,151
Year to Date Giving: \$192,920
Year to Date Budget: \$204,421

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.

Lutheran Church of the Lakes

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



“YOU CANNOT SERVE
GOD AND MONEY.”

LUKE 16:13. ESV

Summer Camp

August 2-5 from 9am to 3pm

Kids 7 to 11 yrs. can register for camp online at lcol.org/connect or call the church. The excitement is building as we share life skills with the campers. This year's camp will have Cooking, Gardening, Yoga, STEAM, Crafts, Dancing and Games! Friday Aug. 6th from 5-7pm is family fun **night** with an ice cream social and time for the kids to take their parents around and see the fun things they created and meet new friends.

Volunteers are needed, see the signup sheets on the desk in the lobby.

New Member Welcome

August 8, 2021—Unified 10am Service

We welcome our new members with a single 10am service and an old fashioned picnic. The fellowship team will provide the main dish for the meal and members are asked to bring their favorite side dish, salad, dessert, or other specialty.

We will also have a Sweet Tooth Auction to support the monthly Fresh Food Distribution and the Gifts of Love program. Auction items are needed for the Sweet Tooth Auction see the information desk for more information.

July 25, 2021 - 8:15 am & 10:30 am

Welcome!

Welcome to Lutheran Church of the Lakes!

God gives us an amazing opportunity to worship Him in the presence of other people, and today I am thankful for your presence here! Thank you for joining us as we recognize Jesus as the Savior of the whole world and our own Savior. I hope you feel welcomed to this community. If you have any questions, please ask me anytime, in-person or by phone/email, or you can always ask any person of LCOL for help or directions. May God be with you this day, as you celebrate His kindness and mercy!

Pastor Tyson Bentz

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Weekly Bible Studies and Small Groups

LCOL Sunday @ 9:30am

Children's Sunday School @ 9:30am	Parent Led	Room 2
Sunday Morning New Member Class w/ Pastor Tyson @ 9:30am		Adult Study Room (just off the lobby)

Midweek Bible Studies and Groups

Tuesday Morning Bible Study ON SUMMER BREAK		
Bible Babes ON SUMMER BREAK		
Prayer Shawl Group ON BREAK Until Aug 10		
Schmidt Small Group	Hal Schmidt 517.740.2426	

Leviticus 19:1-2, 9-18

And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying, ²“Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them, You shall be holy, for I the Lord your God am holy. “When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. ¹⁰And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the Lord your God. ¹¹“You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another. ¹²You shall not swear by my name falsely, and so profane the name of your God: I am the Lord. ¹³“You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired worker shall not remain with you all night until the morning. ¹⁴You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the Lord. ¹⁵“You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor. ¹⁶You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the Lord. ¹⁷“You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him. ¹⁸You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the Lord.

Galatians 5:13-18

For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. ¹⁴For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” ¹⁵But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another. ¹⁶But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. ¹⁷For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. ¹⁸But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

Luke 16:1-13

He also said to the disciples, “There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was wasting his possessions. ²And he called him and said to him, ‘What is this that I hear about you? Turn in the account of your management, for you can no longer be manager.’ ³And the manager said to himself, ‘What shall I do, since my master is taking the management away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. ⁴I have decided what to do, so that when I am removed from management, people may receive me into their houses.’ ⁵So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he said to the first, ‘How much do you owe my master?’ ⁶He said, ‘A hundred measures of oil.’ He said to him, ‘Take your bill, and sit down quickly and write fifty.’ ⁷Then he said to another, ‘And how much do you owe?’ He said, ‘A hundred measures of wheat.’ He said to him, ‘Take your bill, and write eighty.’ ⁸The master commended the dishonest manager for his shrewdness. For the sons of this world are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than the sons of light. ⁹And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of unrighteous wealth, so that when it fails they may receive you into the eternal dwellings. ¹⁰“One who is faithful in a very little is also faithful in much, and one who is dishonest in a very little is also dishonest in much. ¹¹If then you have not been faithful in the unrighteous wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? ¹²And if you have not been faithful in that which is another's, who will give you that which is your own? ¹³No servant can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.”