

# Lakeview Church of Christ

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Feb. 18th, 2018

Sunday Bible Study 9:00 AM

Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 AM

Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 PM

Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 PM

FOR I AM ABOUT TO DO SOMETHING

new.

See, I have already begun! Do you not see it?

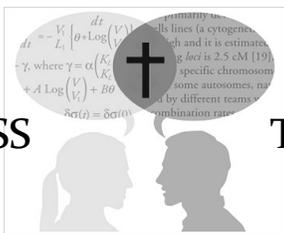
I will make a pathway through the wilderness.

I will create rivers in the dry wasteland.

ISAIAH  
43:19

**Welcome Guests!** We're glad that you are here! Please fill out a Welcome Visitor card and place in the collection plate. Go by our welcome/information center (one on each side of the room) for materials that will better acquaint you with Lakeview. For your convenience, during our Sunday morning services we do have a volunteer staffed nursery, for children up to age 3. There is also a training room, located next to the sound room, for parents with young children to use during any service. If you have questions, feel free to approach one of our ushers, ministers, or elders.

CROSS TALK



Today marks the next step in the transition to becoming a Small Group Church. The Elders of Lakeview are convinced that if we are going to succeed in this transition, we are going to need quality leaders for each group. These leadership roles include:

- 1) *Individuals who will be discussion leaders*
- 2) *People to serve as hosts, who open their homes*
- 3) *People who will lead in sharing the Good News*
- 4) *Those who will be leaders-in-training*

Over the last several weeks, we have been encouraged to pray about our involvement in life groups. The Elders have asked you to consider the value of this ministry to help Lakeview become a *city on a hill* (Matthew 5:14). You see that some of what we lack, vital involvement in one another, activities, hospitality and spiritual formation and can be accomplished with life groups. Some have felt the pull to become leaders in this ministry.

Today we begin our sign-up of individuals who will help make this ministry a reality. Leader training is mandatory for those who will help move Lakeview forward in this work. The training will begin on Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup> in Room # 4. This will be your Sunday Bible class for the spring quarter. The sign-up table is located in the back of the auditorium near the Welcome Center.

The class will consist of watching training videos produced by Buddy Bell and ShareHim Ministries. It will also involve discussions of the principles related to effective group leadership and the relevant Bible passages that teach us about character and conduct in the body of Christ. Our purpose will be to discuss and determine how the principles for effective life groups are best applied to Lakeview. Please talk to Kenny Coleman, Phil Leupold or Dennis Baker if you have any questions about life group training.

Life groups change life

## Prayer Requests

*Is anyone among you suffering? He should pray. Is anyone in good spirits? He should sing praises. -James 5:13*



- \* Marjorie Eldred is back in Good Sam Hospital. Her vitals are not good and her kidney function has diminished. Please keep her and Clio in your prayers.
- \* Sam Hyatt's brother-in-law, James Young, was taken off life support this past week after a car hit him. Please pray for his family and the woman driving as it was truly an accident and she didn't see him.
- \* Shavonne Matulevich may get a promotion at work that would be a huge blessing financially, for her and Yalaynah.
- \* The victims of the Florida school shooting.
- \* Wilhelmine Conner's first biopsy was inconclusive so she will have another one.

## Continuing Health Concerns...

*Marilyn Likens, Micah Baker, Merna Jacobsen, Joe Behrent, Pat Brewer, Huey Kie, Cheryl Tillman, Art Koch, Daniel Tilman, Fred Callahan, Charlotte May, Bernice Townley, Wilhelmine Conner, Kate Rohr, Kimberly Shields, Jack Voyles, Don Glisson, Doug Smith, Jane Voyles, Henry Hopkins, Lury Williams, Kevin Hawkins*

## Food & Clothing Bank...

*Galatians 6:2 "Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."*

We are starting a new year by feeding 32 families, totaling 105 people, last Monday. Thank you for your food and clothing donations!

Our current needs are:

- Cornbread Mixes**
- Soups**
- Tuna Helper**
- Pasta**

The Lakeview office will be closed on Feb. 19th in observance of President's Day.

## Mark Your Calendar!!

Faith Builders will be  
July 12th - 14th, 2018



## Family News

If you wish to send anything to Ralph Smith, please start doing so to his daughter's address.

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**WinGs Communion Service Team...** will have a brief meeting following the am service on February 25th, in room 4. All ladies signed up for this team are encouraged to attend. You are also welcome to attend if you would like to learn more about the service team.

### Community Garden...

Thank you for your donations. We will be planting these trees today at 1:00pm. We will be digging 27 holes to plant the pear trees and would love to see you! Also - if you are interested in growing some strawberries at your house, feel free to dig up some strawberry starts from the community garden planting. We have plenty to share!



**LTC LUNCHEON...** Join us after services on March 11th for the LTC Luncheon & Auction. We will be serving a Italian themed lunch and desert followed by a showcase of our talented LTC teams. Right after that we will begin our annual auction of goods and services by the LTC kids. If you have any questions please talk to Brett Nowlin.

### Area-Wide Events:

*Fliers are posted by the Sound Room.*

- \* Yamhill Men's retreat *The Making of a Man*– March 8-10th
- \* *Harvesting the Scriptures*– April 11-15th at Kennewick church of Christ. [www.kennewickcoc.com](http://www.kennewickcoc.com)
- \* Women & Girls Symposium *Gracefully Broken* at Southside church of Christ– Sept. 15th



## Monthly Meetings

- \* **Cancer Support Group** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues. - Lakeview library at 7:00 pm
- \* **Coffee Shop Ministry** - Tues 7:00pm- Starbucks 128<sup>th</sup> & Pacific
- \* **Ladies' Caring Ministry** - last Tues. each month, 12:15 pm
- \* **Ladies' Prayer Fellowship** - 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday at 10:00 am
- \* **Men's Breakfast** - 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Sept-May, 8:00 am
- \* **Military Support** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of the month. Location and time varies.
- \* **Tuesday Bible Study** - each week at 10:45 am, with a fellowship activity on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month
- \* **Ladies' Thursday Study** - Thursday at 10:00 am

Elder of the month for February: Lenord Otte

Ladies' Committee Leader: Pat Farnsworth

## Sermon Summaries

AM Speaker: Dennis Baker

### **The Big Picture of Small Groups** – Acts 20:17-24

The earliest records of church life reveal that a dynamic faith was spreading across the world because of the power of the Holy Spirit and the connections that began to exist among believers. These connections were established as believers met in *public and from house to house*. Churches today that practice this approach to church life have had significant growth and have found themselves fulfilling the mission of God in ways they did not think possible.

PM Speaker: Ben Cook

### **Shop Talk (pt1)** - Isaiah 43:19-21

I have been at Lakeview for 4 years now. (can you believe it?) and I can feel the seismic change. We have been in a building program for so long, it feels... weird (?) to see the end in sight. Add to that, we've shaken things up with our Wednesday children's program, our Ladies committees, and we are even planning on diving headlong into a small group program later this year. Change is actually very hard for anyone; even when it's healthy. Tonight we will talk about some of these changes at Lakeview; and some of the ways we can help these transitions to go well. Make plans to be here on Sunday night.

**Love**  
One Another

Glorify  
**GOD**

Serve the  
**World**

Elders

Kenny Coleman - 423-483-3936  
Darrell Davis - 253-219-9433  
Jim Karkosky - 253-495-8575  
Phil Leupold - 253-732-0692  
*Leonard Otte - 253-318-7695*

*Elder of the Month in Italics*

Ministry Staff

Dennis Baker - Evangelism Minister  
Ben Cook - Family Minister  
Jim Karkosky - Administration

Deacons

David Cornwall  
Bob Ellsworth  
Dan Fitzsimmons  
Ray Glasman  
Jonathan Karkosky  
Jeff Oden  
Kurt Turner  
Brandon York

**Lakeview Youth Group**

Growing in Faith, Enduring Through Challenges, Leaving a Legacy



**Stay Informed**

If you are in 7th-12th grade, or a parent of a teen, connect with us! Text- Send the text “@lvcocteens” to 81010 to receive mass text reminders and announcements (not a group text). E-mail- lakeviewteens@gmail.com - to receive e-mail updates or ask questions. Facebook- Join our group at the Lakeview Youth Group page.

SERVING

SONG LEADER  
PRAYER  
LORD'S SUPPER  
SCRIPTURE READING  
PRAYER

TODAY

TONY PIERCE  
LEN OTTE  
KEITH PURSER  
JARED CLEVENSTINE  
RICH CLEVENSTINE

5:00 PM

SONG LEADER CHET HUNTER  
CLOSING PRAYER DUANE HENTON

WEDNESDAY

SONG LEADER BOB ELLSWORTH  
SCRIPTURE READING BOB RILEY

FEB 25TH

MARCELLUS STANLEY  
REX FARNSWORTH  
MIGUEL COLON  
MICHAEL CROCKETT

Feb. 11th, 2018

Attendance - AM 218

- PM 68

Contribution: \$8,015



*Thank  
you*

**PARKING ATTENDANT SCHEDULE TODAY:**

9:00 AM

BRIAN TURNER  
BOB JORDISON

10:00 AM

ERIC ROLEY  
JEFF BYNUM

5:00 PM

DON MCCANN  
MATT CORNWALL