



The Lakeview Life Group Ministry is the result of several years of consideration and prayers by the Elders and ministry staff. Our hope is that several of the factors needed for deep relationships and community will be created in the Life Groups. Important factors for deep Christian community include:

- Nurture, as a result of Inductive Bible Study
- Worship, which results in Expressions of Joy
- Serving, which comes from having Everything in Common
- Mission, which results in Daily Growth (Acts 2:42-47)

The critical element that supports healthy groups is leadership. The Sunday morning training classes are designed to get everyone on the same page. The Life Groups are extensions of the Lakeview church of Christ and entities within themselves. The Life Groups will uphold the goals and support the mission of the Lakeview church of Christ. That is why leadership is so important. The leadership team of each group will work together to accomplish the Five Tasks of Life Group Leadership.

These five tasks are:

- 1) Provide a sense of purpose and vision
- 2) Initiate activity
- 3) Encourage others
- 4) Set and uphold expectations
- 5) Facilitate the logistic of the meeting

The training ensures that all leaders are on the same page and helps each team to function as efficiently as possible. As we move through training, we will begin to identify and select the teams that will work together (hosts and facilitators/discussion leaders). We would like for each member at Lakeview to plan to participate in the Life Group Ministry and be thinking about the good things that will result from our enthusiastic involvement. Each person is needed.

Our first-round groups will meet from June 3, 2018 to December 2, 2018. After this, the leaders will get together and discuss what we have learned and what we could do different or more effectively. After a break and a period of training, we will reshuffle the groups and leaders and start again and run from February 2, 2019 thru December 1, 2019. (We will always offer training in the down time and our plan is to reshuffle the groups after each year. The reshuffle helps us to continue the development of deep relationships with new people). Pray for the hand of the Lord to give the increase to our efforts given to this small group ministry.

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



- * John & Laura Lakvold put an application in on a new place to live they hope will be successful.
- * Desire West McCarty had a relapse and is back in the hospital.
- * Cindy Oden's student, Daniel Kuyenga passed away a few weeks ago and now his twin brother, David, had a seizure at school unexpectedly. He is 4 years old.
- * Kathleen Black put in an application with Lakewood medical and asks for prayers that the funds will be available.
- * Al Robison's brother Bill has been moved to a rehab center. He will go home on Monday when he will meet with the heart surgeon to schedule surgery, His situation is time sensitive and they need a date soon. Please continue to pray for the Robison family; also for Carol and Al who will be traveling home.
- * Ken Wilson had surgery for the cancer on his head last Friday. Please pray for his recovery.

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

Encourage
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OTHER UP *1st Thessalonians 5:11*

Family News



There will be a memorial for Marjorie Eldred on March 24th at the Puyallup Church of Christ at 11am.



Bernice Townley has been moved to the Orchard Park Health and Rehab Center and would like visits. The address is 4755 S 48th St, Tacoma, WA 98409.

Question and Answer... By request, we will carve out some time on Sunday evenings in April for Question and Answer. If you've got a Bible Question, get it to Ben in the next couple of weeks. Email, text, facebook, or even old-fashioned pen and paper will work. All Bible related questions are welcome!



A big thank you to our Lakeview family for helping us to raise funds for the LTC Convention! We appreciate you all. If you happen to see some of the behind the scenes

people, like Dennis Baker, and SEVERAL adults that are volunteering their times without a kid involved, please thank them. This takes so much work to come together but they do it for a great cause... because they love your kids.

Community Garden... Ben Cook is looking for people interested in providing lunch to the gardeners on their workdays, Saturday, April 14th, May 19th, and June 23rd. If you have a crew who want to put together a lunch for them, please let Ben know!

Garden Plots 2018... We are starting to wind up for the Lakeview Garden. If you are a returning gardener, you must see Peggy and sign up before April 1st to ensure you still have your garden spot. After April 1st, we will begin assigning garden plots to households on our waiting list. If you want to sign up for a spot this year, pop in the office and talk to Peggy.

Food & Clothing Bank...

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

Thank you for your continued support! Donations can be brought to the bin behind the Welcome Center.

Our current needs are:

Tomato Sauce

Diced Tomatoes

Tomato Paste

Small ad Large Spaghetti Noodles

Snacks

Monthly Meetings

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

Elder of the month for March: Jim Karkosky
Ladies' Committee Leader: Paula Davis

Sermon Summaries

AM Speaker: Dennis Baker

Grace Has Appeared – Titus 2:11-3:5a

We agree with John Newton, acknowledging that God's grace is amazing! God's action in history demonstrates His kindness and mercy. He knows that sin has brought with it a culture of death and violence, in this environment, people feel out of place. When we realize our lost we are, God's grace appears to us.

There was a mix up last week and he will be speaking this Sunday evening.

PM Guest Speaker: Paul Renganathan

Brother Paul Renganathan is joining us from Chennai, India. Paul founded the World Bible School preacher training school there a little over 30 years ago, and the ministry has expanded to include medical care, job training, water wells and other outreach to the diverse populations of south Asia. Their students currently serve in many other countries, and have planted well over 1000 churches. We will be sharing an ice cream social after Brother Paul speaks to us this evening. Come listen, talk, and maybe imagine ways to outreach to our own community!

Area-Wide Events:

Fliers are posted by the Sound Room.

- * *Harvesting the Scriptures*– April 11-15th at Kennewick church of Christ. www.kennewickcoc.com
- * *Olympia Ladies Day, Journey of Hope. May 5th* at the Oly Church of Christ. RSVP by April 15th at 360.357.8304
- * *Women & Girls Symposium Gracefully Broken* at Southside church of Christ– Sept. 15th

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



Summer Intern

Dante Huerta will be joining us again this summer as the youth intern. We are excited to have him back!

HS Graduate Celebration

Mark your calendar for the evening of Sunday May 20th for our high school grad celebration. Parents, start looking through those photos! More info to come soon. See Kim Cook if you have any questions.

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
JIM KARKOSKY
LEN OTTE
BOB ELLSWORTH
MIGUEL COLON

MARCH 25TH

MARCELLUS STANLEY
JIM KARKOSKY
DARRELL DAVIS
DUSTIN FINLEY
BOB HANSON

March 11th, 2018

Attendance - AM 261

- PM 61

Contribution: \$6,442

5:00 PM

SONG LEADER BOB ELLSWORTH
CLOSING PRAYER LEN OTTE

WEDNESDAY

SONG LEADER BRANDON YORK
SCRIPTURE READING DAN LANGLIERS



PARKING ATTENDANT SCHEDULE TODAY:

9:00 AM

JEFF BYNUM
BOB JORDISON

10:00 AM

ROBERT GRAVES
BRETT NOWLIN

5:00 PM

RUSS JONES
DAVE NEWMAN

Thank you