

The Work of Ministry

¹¹ And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers,¹² to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ,

¹³ until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ,

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Ephesians.4:11-13

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Our Gatherings

Sunday Bible Class: 9:00 A.M. - in the building or Zoom

Assembly: 10:00 A.M. - join us in the building or live stream on You Tube. Recording available by 4:00

Wednesday: Adult Bible Class - 7:00 P.M. on Zoom

Teens - 7:00 P.M. in the building classroom

Ladies' Thursday Bible Class weekly - 10:00 a.m. on Zoom.

Life Group Meetings: Contact a host or facilitator

Jim Karkosky or Rex Farnsworth

Gary Calkins or Ray West

Darrell Davis or Don Mellor

Phil Leupold or Brad Jones

Ray Glasman or Christopher Baidoo-Essien

Rich Ewing or Wendell Tillman

Kenny Coleman or Matt King

Don Russell

Len Otte or John Lauterbach

Mentoring the Next Generation

And what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses
entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also. 2 Timothy 2:2





The Youth & Family Calendar

March 21st - LTC Auction, ***There will be a Zoom option for those of you unable to be physically present.*** If you have any questions please talk with Brett Nowlin.

March 2^{7th} - Work of Service, teen classroom



It's hard to believe we're approaching our 6th growing season in the Community Garden. Today I stumbled upon a bulletin article from 2015 and we're sharing a part of it here as a reminder of our hopes for the garden:

“Our objective for the garden is that, in addition to serving our community, it will make possible the development of long-term relationships with them. As people apply for plots, they will be assigned in a way that gardeners from our congregation are intermingled with gardeners from the community. As we garden side-by-side together, share advice and seeds, our prayer is that more than plants will be taking root and growing. We pray that contacts made in the garden and in the associated activities will grow into relationships between us and our neighbors.

The Lakeview Community Garden will ultimately offer nearly 50 garden plots – to our neighbors and to members of the church. Plots will be assigned on a first-come/first-served basis, as applications are received. We expect to dedicate one plot to growing vegetables for the Rescue Mission and hope a group will be interested in working on that.

Part of the Garden is being set aside as a “commons area,” with a firepit and park benches. This area will be used for seminars related to gardening, healthy eating, food preservation, etc., as well as various fellowship activities involving gardeners and their families, neighbors, and church members.

HOW CAN YOU BE INVOLVED?

PRAY – for the work being done to prepare the garden. Pray for the people God will lead to the Garden. Pray for the people who will interact with them.

VISIT – As people begin working in their plots, drop by occasionally to see what folks are doing, visit with them, encourage them.

Sadly, many of these objectives have fallen along the way side and been forgotten as key members of the garden ministry have left or stepped out. We need your help if the garden is to continue and become a healthy outreach.

- ▲ Currently we have just three Lakeview families using a garden space. Would you like a space?
- ▲ Will you help plant and maintain a space dedicated to the food pantry?
- ▲ Are you interested in helping with maintenance of common areas?
- ▲ Can you help maintain the tables & benches around the firepit?

PLEASE NOTE! Do not prune or trim the fruit trees and/or vines. If you think you can help in this area, talk to Brian Winslow or Britt Gordon.



	Worship Service	March 7	March 14	March 21	March 28
Statistics <i>February 28, 2021</i>	Song Leader	Matt King	Bob Ellsworth	Don Russell	Dan Fitzsimmons
	Communion Meditation	Leonard Otte	Dick Towell	Brad Jones	Don Mellor
	Reading	Kevin Brazile	Tate Jones	Jason Hennig	John Lakvold
	Closing Prayer	Leon Likens	Bob Hanson	Josh Fitzsimmons	Brett Nowlin
A.M. Attendance: 173					
Life groups: 72					
Contribution: \$16,047					

For scheduling conflicts, contact Matt King at 206-484-7863

While we continue to practice safe social gatherings and limited contact with items touched by others, we will continue our practice of not passing a collection basket. To provide more privacy and confidence that your contribution does make it's way to your intended destination, we've added a secure drop box.

For those of you who prefer to make your donation in person on Sunday morning, you'll find this box mounted on a wall in the SE area of the auditorium, near the hall going to the 2 & 3 Year-old classroom. *Thank you!*

✚ Terry Martin is asking for prayer for Rebecca Cruz, who has been admitted to Stanford Hospital for treatment of a cerebral thrombosis. Rebecca is a relative of Terry's and the mother of a young son.

✚ Linda Chaffe, a former Lakeview member now living in Oklahoma, is asking prayer for all three of her daughters and their husbands. All six have tested positive for Covid. John and Linda have been vaccinated and are well.

Good News!

✚ Don Lanham's first procedure went well, and the doctor has reported that they were able to remove all the melanoma.

✚ Ken Wilson's procedure lasted for over four hours, but he came out smiling and the results were good.

Please continue to remember

Joe Behrent, Don Glisson, Jean Graham, Bob Hanson, Merna Jacobsen, Marilyn Likens, Mike Martin, Terry Martin, Charlotte May, Desiree McCarty, Jimmy McCarty, Brett Nowlin, Kate Rohr, Verna Selden, Cheryl Tillman, Daniel Tilman, Jack Voyles, Jane Voyles