

Soundings

June 2023 - 3498

Lake Shore
CHURCH

Dear Friends:

Pastor Brendan's installation on May 21st was a grand celebration for our church. It was the culmination of a discernment process that began nearly three years ago, and which is leading us on this transformative journey. Charon Barcone, our Associate Executive Presbyterian, in giving the charge to the congregation, joked that "Presbyterians were once known as the 'frozen chosen,' but that this reputation is melting away." She talked about how the Spirit's fire is taking hold of Presbyterians and leading us into a new future.

The Spirit has led us into this season of extended celebration. Much of this is related to the legacy of 100-years of ministry. We will celebrate our centennial again on June 11th. As we lift up the last 25 years of ministry, we will speak to our church's enduring commitment to reach each generation. We will celebrate our long legacy of Summer Camp and we will remember how it was almost 25 years ago that the dream for a new expression of worship led by a modern worship band was taking hold.

A church with a 100-year legacy is only possible when we are tuned into the Holy Spirit's guidance. We are still seeking that Spirit's voice. Pastor Marianne's recent pastor-led study on the Holy Spirit was hugely popular. The class looked at the Spirit's movement through the book of Acts and helped us to see how the Spirit nurtures our faith and leads us into life with Christ. It was a reminder that just as the early church was dependent on the Spirit's generative work, we know our future at Lake Shore church is dependent on the Spirit's leading as well.

I am grateful for the way God is guiding us into new forms of ministry in 2023 as we seek to reach new people. Pastor Brendan has been leading the charge as we have brought new emphasis to our online outreach and connection. We see the fruit of our work as we welcome and greet new people on Sunday mornings.

The Spirit was also present during our church-wide Dream Session that gathered last month. We listened to one another and talked about new possibilities for ministry programs. We wondered what more could be done to reach new families and to connect the church across generations. We had great participation from people of every age and that dream session led us into forming three new task forces. Each task force has been charged with further exploring some of the specific ideas: adopt-a-grandparent, parent's night out, and new small group opportunity called 'Life Groups'.

The current vitality of our life would not be possible without the enduring commitments of so many. Whether it was coming out to the dream session, raising your hand to help host our Memorial Day parade, volunteering to serve on Sunday morning, helping with our kids and youth ministry, or by inviting friends to join you for worship, so many of you are helping us make an impact. Thank you!

In Christ,



Pastor Adam

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**All on-line content is now available through the church
website & the app!**

**Go to - www.lakeshorechurch.com
click on the "online services" tab**

or

Download the app (questions? Ask the office.)

TRADITIONAL Worship 9am MODERN Worship 10:45am
The 10:45am is also Live-Streamed on YouTube.

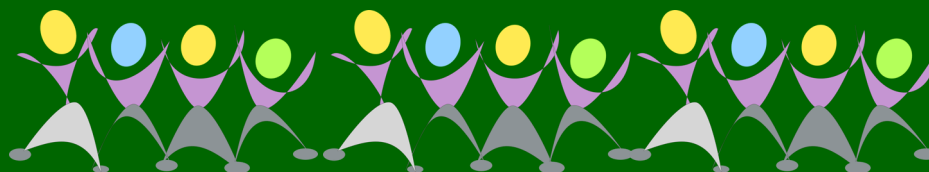


NEW Summer Worship Schedule

Beginning July 2nd through September 3rd

We will be going to one service each Sunday @ 10am

A combined worship for all to enjoy!



Join us as we enjoy a little break for the summer ☀️

We'll resume the regular services & times on September 10th

Join us Sunday, June 11th @ 10:30am for worship and the next
Centennial Celebration



This celebration will look at the years

1998-2023

And will put the spotlight on

SUMMER CAMP!



**Leading the band this day will be Kevin Saunders and bringing the message
will be Dennis Davenport!**

Spread the word ~ Invite your camp friends ~ Sign up in the Atrium

Saturday - June 24th

We're planning an outing to catch a game - interested??

There are flyers on the atrium shelf with ALL the details but the pertinent information is that it's \$40 per person - that includes: seating in the patio area, free parking, dinner, (hot dogs, slow roasted bbq pulled chicken, beans, pasta salad, coleslaw, chips and cookies) and unlimited soft drinks, lemonade, iced tea and water!



We need you to sign up if you're interested - we have to meet a quota for this to be a GO!! There's a sign up sheet in the Atrium or just call the office - 586-777-8533.



BE PART OF SOMETHING BIG.
GIVE BLOOD.

Tuesday, July 11th

11am - 5pm

Appointments must be made
online at www.RedCrossBlood.org
(sponsor code: lakeshore)
or by telephone to the
Red Cross - 1-800-733-2767

There are flyers on the Atrium shelf for more detailed information.

Be part of something big. Make an appointment.



June 4th - Sunday School Celebration! & Summer Sundays

Join us outside - after the 10:45am Outdoor Worship Service - for games and lunch! We want to celebrate all that went into making this a great year of Sunday School. There will be a Grilled Cheese Food Truck on site for those that want to purchase lunch!!



Summer Sundays will begin again on Sunday, June 11th, for kids ages 3 (and potty trained) through 2nd grade, during the 10:45 am Worship in June and the (NEW) 10am Summer Worship Services from July through September 3rd.

I AM, BECAUSE WE ARE

LAKE SHORE CHURCH SUMMER CAMP 2023!

7/26 - 7/30

DETAILS IN THE ATRIUM - 4/9/23

Questions?

Contact
Sheryl
Mieczkowski

Open to all youth
from incoming 3rd
graders through
2023 graduates.

Vacation Bible School

8/13-8/17

6-8:30PM

Ages 3 thru 5th grade

VBS



Open to the entire
community...

Bring your friends
and neighbors!

FREE FREE FREE

Ages 3 (& potty trained)
through 5th graders

**It's going to be
OUT-OF-THIS-WORLD!**



Registration
is live!

Scan this QR
code to
register!

JUNE Birthdays

6/4 Josiah Freeman	6/20 Katherine Tarrant
6/6 Brady Filipek	6/21 Scott Glowniak
Raymond Filipek	6/22 Tom Dick
6/7 Cheryl Kindlinger	Barb Lamb
Bryan Troyer	Stephan Tarrant
6/9 Jenna Dell	Stacie Thompson
6/13 Carole Koviak	6/23 Elizabeth Schweitzer
Benjamin LaRowe	6/24 Curtis Chase
6/16 Marco Bronzetti	6/27 Rosemarie Nichols
Natalie Grosch	6/28 Skip Bearance
6/17 Jeanne Bolt	Anna Markesino
6/18 Donna Mullins	Yvonne Weaver
6/19 Rick Fantucci	6/29 Carol King
6/20 Cassidy LaRowe	Ryan Mazmanian

and Anniversaries

6/1 Jean & Carl Rohde	6/22 Russ & Stephany Hepner
6/2 Scott & Marge Sumner	Brian & Sheryl Mieczkowski
6/3 Tom & Linda Dick	6/26 Tim & Gail Thompson
6/4 Ed & Theresa Harvey	6/27 Charles & Frances Bozick
David & Crystal Jenken	Lew & Darlene Ruddock
6/15 John & Jennifer Hunter	6/29 Bob & Leigh Hovis

Mission News

Summer vacation time is upon us! Please save all your unopened sample size toiletries that you may collect on your summer adventures! Please put them in the big bin in the coat closet. We use them to make toiletry bags which we include in our blessing bags. Blessing bags are available on the table in the atrium. Please add anything extra you may want to include!!



Clothes Closet/Food Pantry

During the month of May we served 111 families (334 persons). Your church family volunteered 97.25 hours to maintain the pantry and closet.

The clothes closet volunteers, our "closettes", work really hard to provide clothes and household items to our guest families. Let's make their job easier by donating only clean, current season clothing from your smoke free home. We have no storage space for out of season clothing. We, so very much, appreciate their hard work sorting, sizing, and organizing all donated items. And, then, on pantry days they move heavy racks of clothing and lay out items on tables. Thank you Gayle Spiewak, Pat Bolle, Nancy Burke, Pam Boyd, Denyse Rice!

We appreciate your support of both the pantry and clothes closet.
Peace and love, Cheryl Smark

Pastor's Breakfast Membership Matters

Saturday, June 10th, 10am

Join Pastor Adam for a continental breakfast during this 90 minute gathering discussing what membership looks like here at Lake Shore Church.

If you're interested in learning more about Lake Shore Church and the opportunities provided here, sign up and come enjoy the conversation!

There's a sign up sheet on the Atrium shelf or just email stacey@lakeshorechurch.com

We look forward to connecting with you!!

2023 Graduates

If you know of (or are) a 2023 high school or college graduate, please let us know in the office!

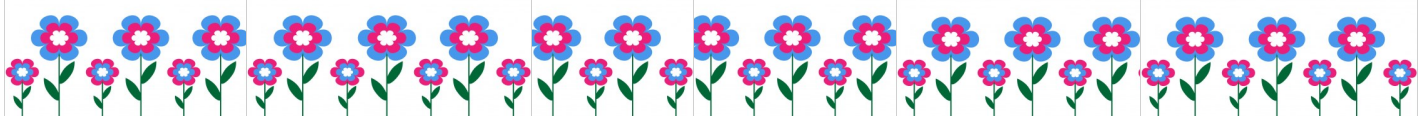
We would love to hear from you about this grand accomplishment!

Drop us a note, include a pic if possible, and we will celebrate you!!

Email the info to jeanette@lakeshorechurch.com



Thank you! And CONGRATULATIONS!

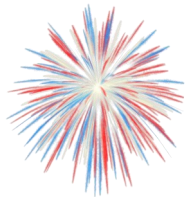


9am Traditional
10:45am Modern
Live-Streamed also
Summer Sundays

JUNE 2023



* = a Small Group

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		6:30pm Band Prac. 7pm *Anchor Grp	1:30pm Ukuleles 7pm Men's AA	1:30pm Pinochle 7:30pm AA & Al Anon	Office Closed	7:30pm NA
	SUMMER			1	2	3
4 Communion 10:45am Outside Worship Sunday School Celebration - Grilled Cheese	5	6 7pm CoDa	7 9am Staff Mtg.	8 9:30am GFC*	9	10 10am Pastor Breakfast "Membership"
11 10:30am Unity Worship Centennial Celebration!	12 1pm Food Pantry 6:45pm Personnel	13 7pm CoDa	14 1:30pm Bayview Bunch 4pm Finance Mtg.	15 9:30am GFC*	16	17
18	19 7pm Deacons 7pm Session	20 7pm CoDa	21 9am Staff Mtg. 11am Memorial for Adele Kerske 5pm Food Pantry	22 9:30am GFC*	23	24 Jimmy John's Baseball Event
25	26 1pm Food Pantry	27 7pm CoDa	28	29 9:30am GFC*	30	



With summer and vacations right staring us in the face, here is some info to let you give anytime and from anywhere!

Lake Shore Church offers many options for you to give a gift. There is, of course, the assigned offering envelopes and pew envelopes. But please, don't forget about our electronic options - Direct Donations (automated—like paying your utilities!), or PayPal or FaithStreet or easiest of all, the Lake Shore Church App! PayPal and FaithStreet are safe, secure, online giving options and can be found on our website. If you download the App to your phone - the "Give" tab is right there! Search your phone's App Store for Lake Shore Church SCS, download it - it's free - and you can make your gifts from anywhere!! It's a breeze to use and to set up recurring giving also - you're in charge of all of it! Easy breezy!



If you have questions or are interested in any of these options but want more info, just give the Bookkeeper, Jeanette Mazmanian, a call at 586-777-8533