

Soundings

June 2024 - 3510

Lake Shore
CHURCH

Dear Friends –

Although it seemed like a sabbatical was always something to plan but never something to actually do (it feels like we have been planning it for years), it has arrived. Or at least it will on June 9th, which will be my final Sunday preaching before I have a 3 month break from leading worship. On June 9th there will be a baptism at our 9am service and at 10:45am we will mark the end of our Sunday School year with worship followed by a lunch and lawn party. Moving into the rest of the summer, we have a great line up planned for Unity Worship each Sunday at 10:30am. The summer will be over before we know it..

I leave the church in good hands because it is in your hands. The Lake Shore Church is filled with tremendous faithful people of God. As I will be, I invite you to spend the summer in prayer. Pray for our church, pray for God's mission, and pray for your part in it. I know that the Session will be doing just that. Led by Pastor Brendan, they will be praying and seeking God's guidance as they find themselves in gratitude for the way God is transforming lives in Jesus Christ through this ministry.

All ministry continues as normal this summer. I leave you with a capable staff which now includes Jenna Dell in an expanded role (check out the article in this Soundings). Additionally, we have our most capable and experienced volunteers leading our Summer Camp and VBS programs. We are expecting record attendance in both programs this summer, a sign of our continued growth and vitality as a congregation.

Although I am taking the summer off from leading worship, I am not taking the summer off from worship. Worship is not something to take a break from, it is part of God's design for the weekly rhythm of life. Even in the midst of summer schedules, I hope you too make the weekly rhythm of worship a priority and you are able to be in person at the Lake Shore Church.

I end with my thanks. Thanks to you and our leaders and our whole church for granting me this sabbatical and seeing its value, not just for me personally, but for our whole church. May blessings abound for all of us. See you soon!

In Christ,



Pastor Adam

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Jenna Dell

Modern Worship

Jenna Dell

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Ginny Stieler

Custodian

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

Go to - www.lakeshorechurch.com

click on the "online services" tab

Or Download the app (questions? Ask the office.)

The 10:45am Worship is also Live-Streamed on YouTube & FB

The 10:45am worship will be streamed into the chapel for those who may need to step out of the sanctuary

Sabbatical

— refresh | rest | refocus —

Pastor Adam will be going on sabbatical beginning June 9, 2024, following worship services, and he will return to us for work on September 8, 2024.

A brochure was mailed out in May but if you haven't received one, let the office know and we can get one for you.

Summer Preaching 2024

- 6/9/24 - Adam Grosch
6/16/24 - Brendan Ashley
6/23/24 - Marianne Grano
6/30/24 - Ruth Azar
7/7/24 - Brendan Ashley
7/14/24 - Ron Sandison
7/21/24 - Brendan Ashley
7/28/24 - Isaac Chung
8/4/24 - Ginny Stieler
8/11/24 - Marianne Grano - VBS Celebration
8/18/24 - Brendan Ashley
8/25/24 - Marianne Grano - Blessing of the Backpacks
9/1/24 - Brendan Ashley
9/8/24 - Marianne Grano - Rally Day



June 2, 2024

Join us as we switch things up a bit on Sunday morning!

Our Traditional, 9am Worship, will be indoors & live streamed for those unable to be at church,

And....

Our Modern, 10:45am Worship, will take place outside on the Jefferson Street lawn.

(weather permitting, of course)

**All are welcome to all worship services at Lake Shore Church
Join us!**

Bring a lawn chair/blanket for outdoor seating.



CELEBRATING WHAT GOD IS DOING AT LAKE SHORE CHURCH

“Growing up at Lake Shore Church (LSC) instilled in me a sense of community, belonging, and moral guidance that shaped my formative years. The bonds formed in my youth here are invaluable and provided support during the highs & lows of my life. As an adult, I continue to find solace and strength in the familiar rituals, teachings, and fellowship here. It gives me peace amidst life’s uncertainties, offering a place for reflection, spiritual growth, and connection with others who have known me since I was a kid. The lessons I have learned from this community remain integral to my identity, and this church remains a steadfast source of guidance for my life.”



These are the words of Jenna Dell, our Modern Worship Leader, and our new Creative Communications Coordinator. She was baptized at LSC just over 20 years ago, and has remained since, growing up right in front of our eyes. Earlier this May she graduated from Wayne State University with a major in Music Business & minor in Communications.

This happy & sweet little girl with blonde hair was in service every Sunday with her parents and siblings and attended Sunday School and sang in the Children’s Choir. As she grew older, she was part of the Youth Group, sang in the adult choir, and eventually worked in the Nursery, volunteered as a Sunday School Leader and now is part of the adult leadership for our Summer Camp program sharing her musical talents and love of Jesus with the youth.

As a teenager Jenna began participating in Worship during the Special Music segment playing the piano and singing. After we came back to attending church post-covid, at the youthful age of 19 she was asked to fill in as our temporary Modern Worship Leader. What started out as an interim position, quickly grew into a permanent one given her beautiful voice, strong organizational and leadership skills, and friendly and welcoming personality. In this role Jenna told me she spends a minimum of 10 hours weekly planning the musical portion of worship service, choosing songs based on the sermon & scripture schedule, scheduling the musicians, and running weekly practice.

In her new role as Creative Communications Coordinator, she has started training with Jeanette Mazmanian, who will retire in December, 2024. Jenna will be responsible for creating the Soundings, our monthly newsletter, the weekly E-Blast, flyers for church events, building up our website and she will also be working on leveraging our social media presence with Pastor Brendan. Her formal education along with her bubbly personality and determination will certainly be an asset to the church staff and the life of our church.

Jenna is excited about her new role on staff and has some great ideas she would like to implement. One idea is going into the St. Clair Shores’ high schools to connect with the teenagers and give them an opportunity to get involved here in our tech and musical programs. The students would volunteer their time and gain valuable experience in performing with the band, and in sound engineering, as well as give them an opportunity to learn about Jesus and experience the love of our church community, Jenna sees this as a win-win for both the young people and Lake Shore Church.

The expanded role that Jenna Dell will play at here is an example of the wonderful things that God is doing for us and our local community. We are both thankful to Him and excited to see how the future will unfold.

Youth Group's SUMMER FUN - 2024

Save these dates!! Sunday, June 2nd - 2-4pm Putt-Putt and Ice Cream @



"World's Finest Frozen Custard"



July 24th-28th - Summer Camp - 3rd graders-2024 grads

"Choose Your Own Adventure"



Saturday, August 17th - 9am-5pm - Whoa Zone (Water Park)

See a youth leader for a flyer with all the details!!

Hot Dog Lunch

Petting Zoo

Pony Rides

Bounce House

Sunday, June 9th

Sunday School Celebration

Join us for a special celebration of our Sunday School year!

We will have a special recognition of volunteers and students at the 10:45am service. Sunday School students will then head downstairs for the last lesson of the year. After worship, all volunteers, students, and families are welcome to join us outside on the lawn for a celebration!

Bring a blanket or lawn chair

BREAKING

NEWS

Beginning June 16, 2024
through
September 8, 2024

UNITY WORSHIP

at 10:30am

Join us as we gather together for one
Unity Worship for the summer months.

SAY YES TO VBS!

AUGUST
4TH-8TH

6pm

8:30pm

VBS IS COMING!

ALL ARE
INVITED!

AGES 3
THRU
5TH GRADE



REGISTER HERE ↑

June Birthdays

6/4 Josiah Freeman
6/6 Brady Filipek,
Raymond Filipek
6/7 Bryan Troyer
Cheryl Kindlinger
6/9 Jenna Dell
6/13 Carole Koviak
6/16 Natalie Grosch
Marco Bronzetti
6/17 Jeanne Bolt
6/18 Donna Mullins
6/19 Rick Fantucci
6/20 Katherine Tarrant

6/21 Scott Glowniak
Andrea Mazmanian
6/22 Tom Dick, Barb Lamb,
Stephen Tarrant,
Stacie Thompson
6/23 Elizabeth Schweitzer
6/24 Curtis Chase
6/27 Rosemarie Nichols
6/28 Skip Bearance,
Anna Markesino
Yvonne Weaver
6/29 Carol King,
Ryan Mazmanian



June Anniversaries

6/1 Carl & Jean Rohde
6/2 Brett & Andrea Mazmanian
Scott & Margaret Sumner
6/3 Tom & Linda Dick
6/4 David & Crystal Jenken, Jr.
6/15 John & Jennifer Hunter
6/22 Russell & Stephany Hepner
Brian & Sheryl Mieczkowski
6/26 Tim & Gail Thompson
6/27 Charles & Frances Bozick
Lew & Darlene Ruddock
6/29 Bob & Leigh Hovis



Brew for Jesus

Brew for Jesus is a beer-based Bible study designed to be discussed in a small group setting.

This study is meant for Christians and those seeking to learn more about Christ by looking at what is involved in brewing beer and how that can serve as an analogy to concepts in Christianity.

We plan to meet at -

Dragonmead Brewery
14600 E. Eleven Mile Rd.,
Warren -

Next meeting is June 4th & every other Tuesday evening at 7pm.

Sound interesting?? Right now you can sign up in the church lobby, call the church office or speak with Pastor Brendan.



Mark your calendars for Lake Shore on the Lawn

Join us for these special, additional evening services on the Jefferson St. lawn.

July 7th @ 6pm

August 11th @ 6pm

Sept. 8th @ 6pm

Bring a lawn chair/blanket for seating

MISSION NEWS

Blessing Bags

We have a fresh batch of blessing bags available on the table in the atrium. Please feel free to take as many as you need. Also, please feel free to add any extra provisions or a bottle of water. Thank you for supporting this outreach.

Food Pantry/Clothes Closet

Throughout the school year, children have access to free lunches. With summer vacation starting, many families may struggle to provide 3 meals a day for their children. If you or someone you know is in need of free food and clothing, our food pantry/clothes closet is open June 10th, 1-2:30pm, June 19th, 5-6:30pm, and June 24th, 1-2:30pm.

We are an equal opportunity provider. All are welcome. Please feel free to pass along our open pantry dates to anyone in need.

Thank you for always supporting Mission, Cheryl Smark



9am Traditional
10:45am Modern
10:30am Unity Worship
10:30am Summer
Sundays - PreK-2nd gr.

JUNE 2024

June

* = a Small Group

Sun

Mon

6pm Band Practice

Tue

1:30pm Ukuleles
7pm Men's AA

Wed

7pm Choir
7:30pm AA

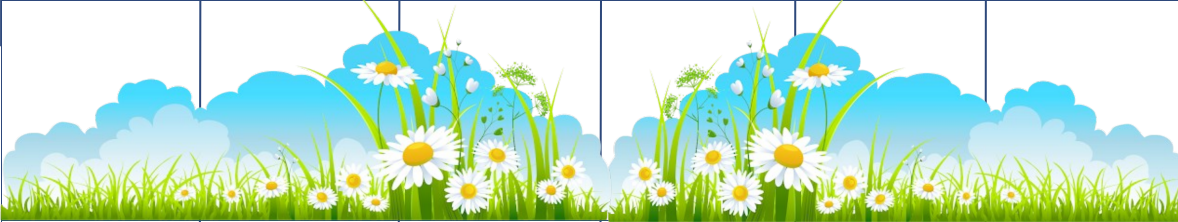
Thu

Office

Fri

7:30pm NA

Sat



2 Communion
9am Worship as usual
10:45am Worship Outdoors
12:15pm Trustees

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12pm Eastside Collaborative
7pm Second Mile Board Mtg.

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10:15am GFC*

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Last Sunday School! & celebration
Pastor Adam's Sabbatical begins after church

10
1pm Food Pantry

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12
9am Staff Mtg.
4pm Finance
5:15pm Events Team

13
10:15am GFC*



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16
10:30am Unity Worship service begins—
Summer Sundays begins

17
7pm Session
7pm Deacons

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19
5pm Food Pantry
6:45pm Personnel

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10:15am GFC*

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24
1pm Food Pantry

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10am First Impression Team

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9am Staff Mtg.
2:30pm Bayview Bunch

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10:15am GFC*

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Summer Worship Schedule

June 2nd, the 10:45am Modern service will be outdoors and the 9am Traditional service will be indoors and live-streamed

**Single Unity Worship @ 10:30am
For the summer, beginning 6/16/24 through 9/8/24
Summer Sundays each week for ages pre-k thru 2nd grade**

**Join us for the three (3) evening
Lake Shore on the Lawn Services
6pm on July 7th, August 11th, and September 8th**

