

Lakeside's Vision

To become a Christ-like community of belonging, invitation, caring and transformation, as by the Holy Spirit we experience God's love and share that love with our neighbours.

Thank you for your partnership in this ministry through giving financially. There are several ways to give. Offering envelopes and a wooden offering box are on the table at the back, or you can give by e-transfer to:

giving@lakesidecommunitychurch.ca

Lakeside Community Church is a part of the Free Methodist Church in Canada. For more information on our family of churches, visit: fmcic.ca

Connection Cards are available on the back table. Please use one to add/update your contact information or wish to be invited to Lakeside's Facebook Group.

LCC Governance Board

Noreen Schulte,
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Wendy Goldman,
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April 27th, 2025 Sunday Services 10:00 AM

WELCOME EVERYONE!

We are glad you came today. As we celebrate and worship together may God also minister to us individually. We invite you to stay for refreshments following the service.

Ephesians 1: 3-14

³⁻⁶ How blessed is God! And what a blessing he is! He's the Father of our Master, Jesus Christ, and takes us to the high places of blessing in him. Long before he laid down earth's foundations, he had us in mind, had settled on us as the focus of his love, to be made whole and holy by his love. Long, long ago he decided to adopt us into his family through Jesus Christ. (What pleasure he took in planning this!) He wanted us to enter into the celebration of his lavish gift-giving by the hand of his beloved Son.

⁷⁻¹⁰ Because of the sacrifice of the Messiah, his blood poured out on the altar of the Cross, we're a free people—free of penalties and punishments chalked up by all our misdeeds. And not just barely free, either. Abundantly free! He thought of everything, provided for everything we could possibly need, letting us in on the plans he took such delight in making. He set it all out before us in Christ, a long-range plan in which everything would be brought together and summed up in him, everything in deepest heaven, everything on planet earth.

¹¹⁻¹² It's in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for. Long before we first heard of Christ and got our hopes up, he had his eye on us, had designs on us for glorious living, part of the overall purpose he is working out in everything and everyone.

¹³⁻¹⁴ It's in Christ that you, once you heard the truth and believed it (this Message of your salvation), found yourselves home free—signed, sealed, and delivered by the Holy Spirit. This down payment from God is the first installment on what's coming, a reminder that we'll get everything God has planned for us, a praising and glorious life.

Prayer Chain List

If you would like to join the Prayer Chain List, please sign the form on the back counter.

Our Daily Bread

The June-August 2025 Daily Bread booklets have arrived and are on the back counter.

Coming Events:

Apr. 30th Thrift Store

This Wednesday is our day to volunteer at the Thrift Store.

May 4th

The Sermon Focused Small Group will be meeting next Sunday, May 4th after church. Please bring your own lunch and join us downstairs for a time of fun, fellowship, praying for one another, and discussing what stood out for us in the morning's message and what we're going to do about it. Everyone is welcome. Hope to see you there!

Let's lift up next week's sermon leader, Vern Frudd, and worship leader Noreen Schulte, in prayer as they prepare to guide us in worship and the Word.

Prayer Requests and Praise Reports:

Please pray for the governance board - the next board meeting will be May 20.

* Continued prayers for Neil Steinwand, Bob Rutherford, and Angelle Weaver.

Offering Report (January 1 – February 28)

Budget (2025): 20,833.00

Actual (2025): 17,844.00

SERMON NOTES

"To become a Christ like community"
Robin Wiens

What stood out for you in the service today?
Who will I share that with?