MISSION IN FOCUS: Unreached People Group: Niger

One of LC3's Global Outreach strategic focuses is the people in Niger and northern Africa who have never heard the Good News of Jesus. We have been working for years with missionaries to disciple local Nationals to reach their own people for Jesus. With the 2025 closure of the region to outsiders, having Nationals on the ground has become more imperative than ever to reach more people for Jesus in this Muslim region.

In Niger, the Bible Camp for Nomads is a short-term, Christian gathering where nomadic people learn about the Bible, worship, and find community in a safe and supportive environment. For the first time ever, Bible Camp for Nomads was led by local National believers without expatriate missionaries or mission agencies. To broaden outreach among Niger's nomads, the camp was renamed *Camp Biblique des Nomades*, welcoming Fulani believers for the first time and generating strong interest for next year's camp.

We praise God that all participants overcame severe travel and security challenges—including delays, flooded roads, bandit captivity with ransom, and road closures after a military mutiny—all to reach the camp safely!

The camp was a success, bringing together approximately 180 participants from diverse ethnic groups and fostering a strong sense of unity in Christ. A key highlight was the emphasis on daily small-group Scripture reading in participants' mother tongues, an important priority that was celebrated throughout the camp.

Pray with us:

- Please pray for more conversions among the nomadic groups.
- Pray for the next generation of believers to be called into ministry.
- Safety to travel and share the gospel.



Ask About Jesus!

QUESTIONS ABOUT A PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH HIM?

Text "JESUS" to 253.544.4412

PRAYER

Pray for our Missionaries: Future Long-Term Workers: those praying about serving long-term; those in the process of heading to the field; those called to support in prayer and finances

Pray with our prayer groups (Lakewood):

- Pray for Niger: Sunday, November 8, 9 AM | Cascade Room
- Pray for our services: 9 AM | Prayer Room
- Turko-Russian Prayer Team: Third Sundays, 8-9 AM | Cascade Room

We are a praying church! Please let us know how we can pray for you, updates to prayer requests, and to be added to the prayer chain by filling out a Connect Card or by emailing Prayer@LC3.com.

If you would like someone to pray with you after services, stop by the Welcome Center (Lakewood).

Do you have a deployed family member? Find out how we support families of deployed soldiers by emailing Info@LC3.com.

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CONNECT

E-mail: Info@LC3.com
Phone: 253-582-8040
Office Hours: Mon - Fri, 9 AM - 2 PM (Lakewood Campus)
Wifi: LC3 Guest - No password

LOCATIONS & SERVICE TIMES

Lakewood Campus
Saturday 6 PM | Sunday 9 & 11 AM
8810 Lawndale Ave. SW
Lakewood, WA 98498

Lacey Campus
Sunday 11 AM
3211 Eagle Dr NE
Olympia, WA 98516

'LC3 FAMILY TALK' PODCAST

Find teaching, discipling, and discussion. Available on your favorite podcast platforms.

CONNECT CARD

New to LC3? Have a prayer request? Submit prayer requests and contact information on our digital connect card.

ALPHA

Want to ask questions and learn more about faith and Christianity? Join us at Alpha!

STORIES

Discover how God is moving at LC3 on our blog at LC3.com/Blog.

October 31 & November 1

Belonging Through Song

Julie Rodriguez



When I first started attending LC3, I didn't connect with any groups. I came to church each Sunday and went home. I had returned to church after a long time separated from God by sin, and I carried a lot of shame about my past. I didn't know where I would fit in or how I could connect at LC3.

I love to sing and had participated in choir when I was younger, so I decided to join the Christmas choir. That's when I began to experience a true sense of belonging, not only through connecting with others but also through connecting with God. Focusing on worshiping the Lord through music gave me so much. During our singing in service, I felt a deep reverence for the Lord and gratitude that He forgives those who repent.

I feel so blessed to continue participating in as many seasonal choirs as I can, helping bring worship to the Lord. It's also a true blessing to serve by helping bring others to Christ through musical worship. I encourage anyone who is willing to serve the Lord through song to join us. It's a blessing both to those who serve and to those we serve.



WELCOME GUESTS!

We are so glad you joined us this weekend and hope you find your time here rejuvenating and encouraging. If you're joining us at our Lakewood campus, please visit our Welcome Center in the Gathering Area - we'd love to meet you and help you find ways to connect. Below are some tips for our Lakewood campus to help you feel comfortable.

- There is a Family Worship Room in the rear of the Worship Center where your children are free to move about, and additional seating in Kids Main during Sunday morning services.
- Please visit our self-serve Library in the Lower Lobby anytime the building is open.
- Join us for our next Starting Point class Sunday, November 8, at 11 AM in the Olympic Room to meet others looking for church community, hear the heart of our church, and meet pastors and staff.





GENERAL FUND

Thank you for your generous and faithful giving!

YTD Giving
7.1.26-9.30.26
$761,368

YTD Net Expenses
7.1.26-9.30.26
$776,581

YTD Giving Goal
$861,900

Our fiscal year runs July 1-June 30.

Ways to Give

- LC3.com/Give (QR code)
- Mail a check
- Communication Boxes in the back of the Worship Center



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*Learn more/register on Events in the LC3 app or at LC3.com/Events
At this time, all events are at the Lakewood campus unless otherwise noted.

Homeschool Support Group

Monday, November 2, 6:30 PM
A monthly meeting for parents to troubleshoot challenges, share resources and ideas, and discuss all things homeschool!

Veterans Day Breakfast*

Saturday November 7, 9 AM
Our military community is invited to join us for a special Veterans Day Breakfast honoring those who have served and those currently serving in our military. Hear from guest speaker and former LC3 pastor Chaplain (COL) Marc Gauthier, USA (Ret.) Families are invited to attend, with childcare through Grade 5 provided with registration.

Family Movie Night*

Friday, November 13, 6 PM | Lacey Campus
Gather your family and join your LC3 family for a fun night of Christmas movie magic! We'll watch The Best Christmas Pageant Ever together, with popcorn, snacks, and drinks provided. Bring the whole family, invite a friend, and enjoy a cozy evening of laughter, community, and Christmas cheer!

First Responders REBOOT*

Thursdays, Nov. 19 - Feb. 12, 6:30 PM | Lacey Campus
First Responder REBOOT is a 12-week, faith-based, peer-led course that helps first responders and their families heal from critical incident stress and trauma.

Christmas Decorating*

Sunday, November 22, 3 PM | Lacey Campus
Wednesday, November 25, 1 PM | Lakewood Campus
Help us transform our campuses for Christmas! Join your LC3 family for a fun time of decorating as we prepare to celebrate Jesus and welcome our church family and guests this Christmas season. All helping hands are welcome (children must work with their parents).

Thanksgiving Food for Soldiers*

Thursday, November 26, 10AM-1PM drop off
Cadence International is hosting a Thanksgiving Dinner for single soldiers on Thanksgiving Day. We have the opportunity to support this ministry and help provide homecooked dishes for the 60+ soldiers we are hoping to host! Sign up today.

Women's Christmas Fellowship*

Friday, December 4, 6 PM | Dessert-Lakewood
Saturday, December 5, 9:30 AM | Brunch-Lakewood
Saturday, December 12, 9:30 AM | Brunch-Lacey
Gather with us for a beautiful Christmas gathering as we celebrate the joy and hope of the season. This is the perfect opportunity to invite friends, neighbors, coworkers, and family members to a warm, welcoming event where they'll hear the true story of Christmas and the hope found in Jesus.

Embrace Grace Baby Shower*

Sunday, December 6, 3 PM
Join us for a beautiful celebration of life and new beginnings at our Embrace Grace Baby Shower! This special event honors a brave mom-to-be and surrounds her with encouragement, support, and essential baby items as she prepares to welcome her little girl. Come be part of showing this mom that she is loved and encouraged - and give a gift !



