

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 know you are here 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.
- Please visit our self-serve **Library** in the Lower Lobby anytime the building is open.
- Join us for our next **Starting Point class Sunday, January 11, at 11am in the Olympic Room** to meet others looking for church community, hear the heart of our church, and meet pastors and staff.



ROOTED

Cultivating a Christ-Centered Marriage

Saturday, January 17
9:00am - 4:00pm
Lacey



General Fund


Thank you for your generous and faithful giving!

November Giving	Nov. Net Expenses
\$264,627	\$207,609
YTD Giving	YTD Net Expenses
7.1.25-11.30.25	7.1.25-11.30.25
\$1,185,852	\$1,217,364

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



Caring for Our Community This Christmas

Needs

- Diapers (esp. size 5 & 6)
- Baby wash
- Size 6-12 month new clothes
- Baby wipes

[Shop on Amazon to be delivered directly to LC3](#)





EMBRACE grace

Lakewood
Thursday Evenings | 6:30 PM

Support for young women experiencing an unplanned pregnancy.





Christmas Is Coming!

*sign up to attend on Events on the app or website

Family Nativity

Sunday, December 21, 6pm | Lacey

Family Nativity is for everyone! Without any rehearsals, kids of all ages can participate in this beautiful, song-filled reenactment of Christ's birth as kids lead us through the story in Luke 2.

Christmas Eve Services

December 24, 2, 4, 6 & 11:15pm | Lakewood
December 24, 4 & 6pm | Lacey

Bring your family, invite a neighbor, and come ready to sing the story of Christ's birth. Together we'll share in candlelight and reflect on the wonder of God's love made flesh.

Childcare for 3mo-4yrs available, please pre-register.

Serve our community by sitting in Kid's Main at our Lakewood Campus. Every seat filled downstairs opens a seat for a guest in the Worship Center—and snacks are provided as our thank-you.

Today

Grab a family photo on stage (we'll have someone there to help), then make sure you get a Christmas cookie before you leave!



Every Man A Warrior*
Mondays beg. Jan 5, 6-8:30pm | Worship Center
Learn how to pursue a deeper relationship with the Lord and apply His truth to the everyday life—marriage, parenting, work, money, and more.

Alpha
Tuesdays, Jan. 6-Mar. 17, 7-8:30pm | Kids Main
Explore life's big questions in a friendly, open setting. Enjoy dessert, a short talk, and discussion where every opinion is welcome. [LC3.com/Alpha](#).

Winter Bible Study*
Mondays, 6:15-8:30pm | Kids Main
Wednesdays/Thursdays, 9:15-11am | Kids Main
Beginning the week of January 12,
A weekly women's Bible study leading you through Proverbs.

Conquer Series*
Tuesdays, Jan 6-Mar 10, 6:30-8:30pm, or
Wednesdays, Jan 7-Mar 11 | Prayer Room
A 12-week journey designed to help men break free from the grip of pornography.

7 Pillars of Freedom*
Fridays, Jan. 9-Oct. 30, 6:30-8:30pm | Cascade Rm.
Saturdays, Jan. 10-Oct. 31, 7:30-9:30pm | Cascade Rm.
Continue your recovery from unwanted sexual behavior with a trusted group of men on the same journey.

Perspectives*
Sundays, January 18-May 31, 2026, 2-5:30pm
Discover your role in God's global purpose through Perspectives, a powerful 15-lesson discipleship course that will shift how you view God's mission and your place in it.

Flood Relief Work Trip
We're putting together a team to help with flood relief in the Lynden area. Get pre-approved by Samaritan's Purse.

Women's Precept Bible Study
Tuesdays, beg. January 6, 6:30pm | Upper Gym
Join us for an introduction to the Precept inductive Bible study method, followed by a 14-week study of the patriarchs in Genesis 12-50.



MISSION IN FOCUS: Care Net

All year long, LC3 joyfully supports Kingdom impact both locally and globally. One of our valued local partners is Care Net, a network of pregnancy and family resource centers providing compassionate, Christ-centered care since 1982. Through eight clinics across King and Pierce Counties—including the Lakewood location right across from Clover Park High School—Care Net offers free, confidential, and non-judgmental support to women, babies, and families in need.

When our team recently delivered donations from the LC3 family, we witnessed this ministry in action as local teenagers were being lovingly supported and cared for. It was a powerful reminder that life-affirming ministry is happening right here in our own backyard.

This December, needs increased significantly, and LC3 responded with generosity and faith. Because of you, vulnerable parents and babies received essential items that provide comfort, dignity, and hope during a critical season. Care Net is deeply grateful for your prayers and support.

As we celebrate the birth of Christ, thank you for sharing His love in tangible ways. If you would like to participate further in standing with Care Net for life, please use the QR code below over the next week. Every gift—big or small—makes a meaningful and life-giving difference.



Prayer Requests

- For lives and families to be supported and saved for Christ
- For more strategic local partnerships like LC3
- For more volunteers: people to welcome, meet, and follow up with clients, housekeeping, and more



Ask About Jesus!

QUESTIONS ABOUT A PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH HIM?



Text "JESUS"
to 253.544.4412



PRAYER

Pray for our Missionaries: Physical & Emotional Needs: health & safety; triumph over loneliness & depression; financial supply

Pray with our prayer groups (Lakewood):

- Pray for our services: Saturdays, 5:30pm & Sundays, 8:30am | Worship Center, or 9am | Prayer Room
- Ignite Hope Prayer Time: Second Saturdays, 7:30pm | Prayer Room
- Turko-Russian Prayer Team: Third Sundays, 8-9am | Cascade Room
- Niger Prayer Gathering: Sunday January 11, 9am | 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.



CONNECT

E-mail: Info@LC3.com

Phone: 253-582-8040

Office Hours: Mon-Fri 9am-2pm
(Lakewood Campus)

Wifi: LC3 Guest - No password

LOCATIONS & SERVICE TIMES

Lakewood Campus

Saturday 6pm | Sunday 9 & 11am

8810 Lawndale Ave. SW
Lakewood, WA 98498

Lacey Campus

Sunday 11am

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 in January!
(Lakewood Campus).



STORIES

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

December 20 & 21

A SONG RESTORED

Charlotte Ragudos

Growing up on the island of Oahu, my exposure to music came at a very early age. I grew up in a setting where my singing was used at every family function, and that gave me a sense of worldly validation. I was constantly told to sing by my parents at every big celebration, and in turn, I'd receive money and acceptance from people with whom I had no relationship. Singing was something I loved to do, but singing for the world quickly became a chore rather than a gift.



As I grew older, I realized my love for music became a way for me to express myself, and how singing really carried me through some of the darkest seasons of my life.

On Christmas Eve of 2021, I was sexually assaulted, and the result of this left me in the worst condition I had ever been in. In the aftermath, I struggled heavily with PTSD, drinking, and sexual immorality. I was searching desperately to fill a God-shaped void in my heart.

When I came to LC3 in 2022, God met me through community. I found places to belong and heal through ministries like Cadence, Reboot, W2Connect, and eventually the Worship Arts Team. It was there that worship transformed my relationship with both God and music. No longer was I singing for approval—I was singing *to* the Lord.

Singing about God and to God has filled parts of me I didn't know needed to be filled and helped me release pain I had carried for years. Being part of LC3's Worship Arts ministry has given me purpose to share not just my love for music, but my love for God with my community. God has given me confidence, rooted in His calling not in performance, to lead my community in encountering Him, and I am deeply honored to use the gift He placed in me to serve my church family and to further His kingdom.