



Receiving God's Blessing  
Becoming God's Blessing

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Great indeed, we confess, is the mystery of godliness:  
He was manifested in the flesh,  
vindicated by the Spirit,  
seen by angels,  
proclaimed among the nations,  
believed on in the world,  
taken up in glory.  
1 Timothy 3:16

Worship Service 9:00 am

**August 21, 2022**

# WELCOME

## WELCOME FRIEND ~ WE'RE GLAD YOU ARE HERE!

If you are a guest with us this morning, welcome to worship!

Our ushers and greeters are happy to answer any questions you might have.

### IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT LEWIS LAKE:

**Bibles, Hymnals, Connect Cards & Special Offering Envelopes** are located on the bookcase at the back of the sanctuary.

**Connect Cards** help us to get to know our visitors a little better and can also be used to share a prayer request with us. If you like, please fill one out and drop it in the offering plate.

**Staffed Nursery** for ages infant to 3 years is located in the Narthex (through main doors and straight ahead).

**Restrooms** are located at the back of the sanctuary (on the right side of the back wall tucked behind the stairway).

**Join us for coffee and refreshments following the service.**

**Thank you for worshipping with us today!**

Sermons preached at Lewis Lake can be found on our web site ([www.lewislake.org](http://www.lewislake.org)) on the "Media" page, where you find your favorite podcasts, & on our YouTube channel.

**Please subscribe to our YouTube channel while you are there.**



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## PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

- Cookie Kilian ~ Healing from brain surgery
- Premature Baby Anthony is doing better
- The grieving family of David Bos
- The grieving Family of Brandon Houtsma
- Keegan Drost & Family ~ Adjusting to life back at home, still has a long road ahead in his healing.
- Ukraine
- Helen Soligny ~ treating for cancer.
- Griff Belsheim (son of Danny & Teri) ~ rare childhood hip disorder
- Those affected by domestic violence, abuse & neglect
- The downhearted, and the ones sad of soul.
- The elderly, shut in, and those who find themselves homeless
- Our Church and Our Church Leaders
- The persecuted Church
- Parents isolated from their children
- Those serving on the mission field:
  - Dave & Diane Norman
  - Harlan, Josie, Ava, Elaina, Anya, Tirzah, Judah, Nathan, & Ida Lloyd
  - Ron & Janet Ziegelbaur
  - Dave, Sarah, Joanna, Samuel, Matthew and Rebekah Troolin
- Pastor Bob & Sandy
- Pastor Joe & Michele; Joe Jr., Emily, Kylie and Violet
- Roger & Tami Goley
- Jesse De Young
- Our Country and Our Leaders
- Our Military (past, present, and future) and the families of those deployed who wait on their safe return.
- Those serving in law enforcement/corrections
- First Responders and those working in healthcare

**Would you like to be added to our Prayer Chain List to receive prayer requests via email?** email the Church office: [lewislake1030@gmail.com](mailto:lewislake1030@gmail.com)

**Do you have a prayer request?** Call the office 320-396-3293,

email request to [lewislake1030@gmail.com](mailto:lewislake1030@gmail.com) or Text Tami 320-630-7371

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

*But let all who take refuge in you rejoice;  
let them ever sing for joy,  
and spread your protection over them,  
that those who love your name may exult in you.  
For you bless the righteous, O LORD;  
you cover him with favor as with a shield.*

Psalm 5:11-12

Prelude

Opening

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 5:11-12

Worship in Song:

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

*Before the Throne of God Above*

Invocation & Greeting

Scripture Reading

Luke 1:67-79

Romans 11:33-36

Hymn of Response: 318 "*We Come, O Christ, to You*"

Congregational Prayer

The Offering

Prayer of Consecration

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

Hymn: 485 "*I Stand Amazed in the Presence*"

Message: **GOD'S INVOLVEMENT IN MAN'S AFFAIRS**

Genesis 18

Closing

Hymn: 348 "*Take the World, but Give Me Jesus*"

Benediction

Doxology

# SERMON NOTES

## **God's Involvement in Man's Affairs Genesis 18**

*God neither needs nor seeks permission to invade our lives. When he does, he has the right to expect a proper response.*

As Unannounced Guest v.1-8

- Expectation: Hospitality

As Unsolicited Promise-Giver

- Expectation: Belief

As Unappointed Judge v.16-21

- Expectation: Righteousness

## UPCOMING EVENTS



### R.U.R.A.L. MUSIC FEST

August 25-28, 2022

Jodie & Shannon Rolf are organizing rides.

Please Contact Jodie at 763-250-3051

or email him at [jscrolf@gmail.com](mailto:jscrolf@gmail.com) if you would like to attend the event or are willing to be a driver.



### Corn on the Curb

Come find us Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>

We will be serving Root Beer Floats as a fundraiser for Covenant Ability Network of Minnesota (Formerly CER)



We have a brand new weekly email that goes out on Monday mornings called the "Lewis Lake Pulse." It covers what's happening in the coming week at Lewis Lake, and Pastor Joe's recommendations for feeding your soul. Send us an email at [office@lewislake.org](mailto:office@lewislake.org) or use the QR code below to sign up for the emails you would like to receive.



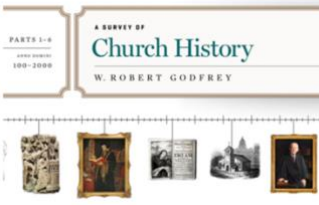
**Watch for the Lewis Lake Church App!**

Coming soon to the App Store and Google Play.

# SUNDAY SCHOOL

**Sunday School is on break for the Summer.**

## OPPORTUNITIES TO PLUG IN AT LEWIS LAKE



### **CHURCH HISTORY STUDY**

Sunday Evenings at 6:30 PM  
Clark & Rachel Hauger  
will host this study in their home  
5079 357th Ave NW - Dalbo, MN 55017



### **On break for the Summer**

Watch the bulletin, Newsletter and announcements  
for special Summer outings.



**Men's Bible Study**  
**Thursday Mornings at 8:30 AM**  
At Jim and Wendy Akkerman's home  
**ON HOLD UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**



**Pastor Bob's Friday Morning Bible Study**  
Fridays at 10:30 AM  
**NOT MEETING SEPTEMBER 2ND**



**Check out our podcast channel where ever you  
listen to your favorite podcasts.**

# LEWIS LAKE CALENDAR

## EVERY SUNDAY

Doors are open/Coffee is on 8:00 am  
 Prayer group in Pastor Bob's office 8:45 am All are welcome.  
 Worship Service 9:00 am  
 Fellowship & Refreshments 10:15 am  
 Sunday School **on hold for Summer**

## THE WEEK AHEAD

<b>Thursday</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>8:30AM</b>	<b>Men's Bible Study</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>Pastor Bob's Friday Morning Study</b>

## BEYOND THIS WEEK

September 2022

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Missions Sunday</b>	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>	<b>Youth Group</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>JUST Women</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>Pastor Bob's Friday Morning Study</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>Sunday School and Confirmation Kick Off</b>	
<b>Monday</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6:15 PM</b>	<b>Women Ministries Meeting</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7:45 PM</b>	<b>Council Meeting</b>

Ministry Team Meetings

Ministry

Community Outreach/Involvement

Small Groups/Studies

Special Events

Fellowship/Social

Youth Group

Go to [lewislake.org](http://lewislake.org) for a full calendar of events.

Or access the calendar on the Breeze App.