

Welcome TO LOST CREEK!

The “largest church on a gravel road,” Lost Creek doesn’t fit tidily into any one box. Our worship brings “tradition” and “today” into the same room. We’ve been on this rural corner for almost 120 years and continue to do new and exciting things. We are a United Methodist congregation with members from all kinds of faith journeys and backgrounds. We love God with our head, our heart, and our hands. We are an energetic, engaged, and generous bunch of people who care about our community, our nation, and our world.

Our “True North” is to deepen relationships with Jesus Christ, and our mission is to make disciples of Christ for the transformation of the world.

We feel strongly that wherever you may come from, whatever your background, Lost Creek is a place where you can find a path to follow Jesus. Key signposts along that path are illustrated by what we call our “Four Commitments:”

1. A relationship with Jesus Christ as Savior.
2. An infilling of the Holy Spirit.
3. To be engaged in telling your story (evangelism).
4. To be actively involved in at least one area of ministry offered by our church.

We are convinced that while these four commitments do not *completely* describe the Christian journey, they are critical landmarks to deepen our relationship with Jesus.

To Our Guests:

Thank you for joining us this morning! We hope you will see that you have a home and a place here — to encounter God and follow Christ with us. You will find an Information Card in the pew. Please fill it out and drop it in the offering plate. We don’t use this information to bug you — we would just like to get to know you better.

- Nursery care for children under 4 is available for any portion of worship
- Coffee can be found in the Fellowship Hall and at the Coffee Station.
- There is Children’s Church in our Shine Zone during worship for children ages 4 through the end of 3rd grade. Children will leave the Sanctuary together after the Children’s Time and return in time to receive Holy Communion with their families.



FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:
lostcreekumc.org

Announcements



CAKES for CAMPERS!

SUNDAY, APRIL 19 | 9:00 A.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for a delicious breakfast fundraiser next Sunday to help our children and youth attend church camp this summer!

Lost Creek's Annual

BBQ & QUILT AUCTION

SILENT AUCTION · LIVE AUCTION · LIVE MUSIC

SATURDAY, APRIL 25 *at* 5 P.M.

OAK PARK | 805 E. KIRK ST. | PERKINS, OK

Oak Park JAZZ FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, APRIL 18 | 6 P.M.
FREE ADMISSION



LOST CREEK'S 14TH ANNUAL BELIZE MISSION GOLF TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, MAY 2 | 9:00 A.M.
THE GOLF CLUB AT CIMARRON TRAILS

REGISTER AT THE SIGN-UP TABLE!



Announcements



Special Guest Speaker

DAVID WORTHINGTON

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22
6:00 P.M. | OAK PARK

David serves as the Global Ambassador of Methodist Heritage Sites for the UMC and is responsible for preserving and promoting the significance of Methodist Heritage sites worldwide. Join us at Oak Park to hear him deliver his phenomenal lecture titled “Wisdom from the Past, Hope for the Future: A Methodist Heritage Story.” You don’t want to miss this fantastic opportunity to learn about our Methodist history as well as our future!

OSU TROMBONE CONCERT

TUESDAY, APRIL 21 | 7:00 P.M. | SANCTUARY

Come hear the incredible OSU Trombone Ensembles as they put on a concert here at Lost Creek!



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QR CODES!



PRAYER
REQUESTS

**WE’VE MADE IT EVEN EASIER FOR
YOU TO CONNECT WITH LOST CREEK!**



CONNECTION
CARD

You can now use these QR codes to register as a guest, share a prayer request, make your offering or update your contact information. It’s all as handy as your phone!



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This Week

TODAY

- 9:00 a.m. | Sunday School
- 10:15 a.m. | Worship
- 11:30 a.m. | Alaska Mission Lunch

TUESDAY

- 5:30 p.m. | Community Meal

WEDNESDAY

- 9:00 a.m. | Food Bank Prep
- 6:30 p.m. | Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

- 9:00 a.m. | Crafty Creekers
- 6:00 p.m. | Food Bank
- 6:00 p.m. | Finance Committee

SATURDAY

- 6:00 p.m. | Oak Park Jazz Festival

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

4.13.26

Paxton Box

4.15.26

Stevie Terry

4.16.26

Claire Fanning
Will Fanning
Jan Pratt
Gracie Houser

4.18.26

Heather Spiva

ORDER of WORSHIP

SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2026

PRELUDE

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

WELCOME

Aaron Box

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 40

OPENING HYMN

How Firm a Foundation (UMH 529)

PRAYERS

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Ashtyn Ball

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 12:3-8 | Lexi Wheatley

SONGS

No Longer Slaves
Holy Spirit

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 2:14-22 | Emma Bryant

SERMON

Making Room at the Table | Pastor Ashtyn Ball

TITHES & OFFERINGS

Take My Life, and Let It Be

DOXOLOGY

CHOIR ANTHEM

Guide My Feet

HOLY COMMUNION

FOUR COMMITMENTS

CONFIRMATION

2026 Confirmation Class

CLOSING HYMN

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

BENEDICTION

IN JESUS' NAME

POSTLUDE

Joysong

NOTES:

Confirmation Sunday



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LOST CREEK

United Methodist Church

Meet the Staff



Michael Carpenter
Senior Pastor



Ashtyn Ball
Associate Pastor



Diann Rudd
Music Ministries

For a complete staff listing, visit lostcreekumc.com/about