### July Birthdays

Jeffrey Aldrich	1	Franky Pytlowany	15
Joe Altoft	1	Mark Erickson	17
Elaine Bosker	1	Joe DePotty	17
Kassidy Ockert	1	Grant Thrun	18
Max Thrun	3	Joanne Jackson	18
Mae Rush	4	Jim Warner	20
Richard Grove	7	Jessica Flessner	21
Mark Von Keitz	8	Pastor Tim Linick	21
Jane Mazei	9	Tom Kosten	21
Lei Wiltshire	10	Janie Rush	23
Teasha Sinke	11	Kurt Ackerson	23
Amber Holland	13	Betsy Myers	24
Heidi Carter	13	Forrest Winters	25
Ella Grove	14	Brian Rayner	26
Jo Raines	14	Steve Werner	30

### July Anniversaries

Thomas & Tammy Sinke	1	1978	
Herb & Bonnie Rush	3	1971	
Jeff & Nancy Booi	10	1976	
Dennis & Melinda Pepper	14	1984	
Dan & Amy Brown	15	1999	
Frank & Tammy Pytlowany	15	1995	
Matt & Jessica Flessner	18	2015	
James & Kathy Stowell	18	1975	
Phil & Linda DePotty	26	1975	
Landon & Aimee Mendes	26	2008	



### **Prayer Request/Praise Report?**

Text Pastor Tim at 270,790,1341

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## Spiritual Growth

Series 4 1 John 1:7-10; 2:1-2

We return to our **got relationship!** series with a final group of messages dealing with our doctrinal beliefs and the Articles of Religion. We will be exploring topics like Spiritual Growth, Sanctification, Gifts of the Spirit, The Church, Sacraments, and Judgment & Destiny.

First we dive into a conversation about Sin after Salvation and how we embrace **Spiritual Growth** in our daily walk with Christ. The Lord has...

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### Application:

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1.God does not want us to S	
2. As humans, we do have I	and do S
3. If we do sin, we must not G U!	

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July 20, 2025

### Welcome to Lakewood Church!

### **Sunday Gatherings**

**9:30am** – Sunday School (adult & kids) Sunday School is in the education wing.

10:30am – Worship Service & Live Stream Nursery — Infants to Age 3 — Room 106 H2O Kids — Age 4 to Grade 4

6:00pm - GF412 — Grades 6 to 12

### **First-Time Guests**

We're so glad you're here!

Please scan CONNECT QR and complete the form!

Then pick up your free gift and coupon for a Free Pizza at the Welcome Center!

### -Small Group Connections -

Sundays – Prayer Room 4:30pm – Bible Study Tuesdays – Prayer Room 8:30am – Prayer Circle

Tuesdays (Resumes in Fall) 9:15am – Ladies' Bible Study

Second Wednesdays – Room 101 6:00pm – Care Group











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### GF412 Lake Party - July 26

Our Annual GF412 Lake Party is scheduled for Sat, July 26 from 12:00noon to 5:00pm! This is open to middle school and high school students. Scan QR for sign up / forms!

### Centershot Archery - Sign up now!

Sign up now to participate in Centershot Archery from Aug 12 to Sep 30 (Tues evenings from 6:00 to 7:30pm). Beginners Class will be held on Tues, Aug 5 at 6:00pm.



### Community Dinner – Aug 21

Our church's turn to serve dinner at Central UMC is Aug 21. Sign up to volunteer to work and/or supply desserts at the Welcome Center.

### Day of Caring - Church Edition - Sept 6

The Day of Caring – Church Edition is on Sat, Sept 6 from 9am to 4pm. This one-day event is a chance to bless our church home with cleaning, updates, organization, and cheerful service – plus a fellowship potluck! Volunteers may choose to serve in the morning, afternoon, or all day!

### Membership Pathway (plus Pizza) – Sept 17

Several have had questions or expressed interest in possibly becoming members of Lakewood Church. Church members have more of a voice and an actual vote on major decisions in Local Church Conferences. If you would like to attend this meeting, please contact Pastor Tim by Sun, Aug 31. Those who attend the full meeting (about 2 hours long) and are eligible for church membership, will later be accepted into membership during a Sunday morning church gathering.

#### SAVE THE DATE:

- Pizza with the Pastor TODAY 11:45am
- GF412 Lake Party Sat, 7/26 12noon to 5 pm
- Back-to-School Bash Sun, 8/3 1 to 4pm at the Fairgrounds
- Centershot Begins Tues, 8/12 6pm (Beginners Aug 5 6pm)
- Keenagers 8/12 11:30am
- Euchre Sat, 8/16 6pm
- Blessing of the Backpacks Sun, 8/17 10:30am
- Prayer at the Schools Sun, 8/17 6pm
- Day of Caring Church Edition Sat, 9/6 More info soon!
- Membership Pathway (plus Pizza) Wed, 9/17 6:00pm
- Jacob Atem Sun, 9/21 10:30am plus Fellowship Dinner!
- Affiliation Assessment Update Forum Sun, 9/28 11:30am
- Special Local Church Conference Sun, 10/12 11:30am
- Jacob Atem Sun, 9/21 10:30am plus Fellowship Dinner!

### **Update My Info**

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GF412 Youth
☐ Ministry Service
☐ Believer Baptism
☐ Baby Dedication
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### **Sunday Gatherings**

06/29/25: 126 07/06/25: 137

07/13/25: 107