

February Birthdays

Beau Woodman	1	Luna Gibbs	15
Mike Possehn	4	Al Klein	17
Greyson LaBerge	5	Olivia Teusink	17
NorineENZ	5	Charley Stuart	20
Dan Armbruster	8	Charlotte Wierckz	22
Ann Shook	9	Atticus Pytlowany	23
Georgia Allen	10	Mark Raymer	24
Darrell Ockert	10	Judy Wiltshire	25
Shelby Gangwer	13	Alonzo Orantes	25
Colby Carter	14	Judy Farman	28
Phil Bond	14		

February Anniversaries

James & Janice Taylor	15	1985
Darrell & Katie Ockert	15	2014

New-and-Improved



Prayer Request/Praise Report?

Text Pastor Tim at 270.790.1341



In **iAm** we examine **identity** in the junctures, junctions, journey.  
In **iDie** we take the **initiative** to die out to self, family, idols.  
In **iServe** we walk with **integrity** in methods, motives, 'mpact.  
In **iKnow** we reason with our **intellect** overcoming ignorance, rejecting apathy, beyond rationalization, and embracing a witness for Christ.

In his testimony before Felix, Paul makes it very clear...  
"I worship the God of my fathers" — Acts 24:14 (NKJV)  
Jesus' sacrificial gift sets the bar. If we want to say with Paul, "iLive" it will include a call to worship! We will cry out, "iWorship!"

However, what is worship? Is it when we **sing**? Is it when we **pray**?  
Is it when we **testify**? Is it when we **give** tithes and offerings?  
Yes... all of the above — but it goes so much deeper than all of that!

inspiration through R\_\_\_\_\_ ?  
• Q\_\_\_\_\_ — Definition: "M\_\_\_\_\_ S\_\_\_\_\_ for G\_\_\_\_\_"  
• Q\_\_\_\_\_ — T\_\_\_\_\_ of F\_\_\_\_\_, C\_\_\_\_\_

inspiration through R\_\_\_\_\_ ?  
• H\_\_\_\_\_ — S\_\_\_\_\_ of H\_\_\_\_\_ A\_\_\_\_\_  
• H\_\_\_\_\_ — S\_\_\_\_\_ of I\_\_\_\_\_ A\_\_\_\_\_

inspiration through R\_\_\_\_\_ ?  
• S\_\_\_\_\_ — H\_\_\_\_\_ U\_\_\_\_\_ the L\_\_\_\_\_ !  
• S\_\_\_\_\_ — F\_\_\_\_\_ N\_\_\_\_\_! — 365/24/7

inspiration through R\_\_\_\_\_ !  
• U\_\_\_\_\_? — not necessarily U\_\_\_\_\_ !  
• U\_\_\_\_\_? — very seldom U\_\_\_\_\_ !



LAKEWOOD Church

February 1, 2026

# 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** – **Ignite** Grades 5 to 12



## First-Time Guests

We're so glad you're here!

Please scan **CONNECT QR** and complete online form!

Then pick up your free gift and coupon for **FREE PIZZA** at the **Welcome Center**!

## Small Group Connections

Sundays – Prayer Room 4:30pm – Bible Study	Tuesdays – Prayer Room 8:30am – Prayer Circle
Tuesdays – Room 101 9:30am – Ladies' Bible Study	2nd Wednesdays – 101/PR 5:00pm/6:00pm – Care Group



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## Community Dinner — Feb 5

Lakewood is providing desserts and serving at the Community Dinner (at Central UMC) on Thu, Feb 5. Please sign up at the Welcome Center if you would like to bring a dessert, help serve, or both!

## Community Sew — Feb 7

Harmony Quilters of Ionia County will be hosting a Community Sew Day for Quilts of Valor on Sat, Feb 7, from 9am to 3pm. Anyone is invited to **Community Sew Day**. Fabric and patterns are provided. Bring your own sewing machine and notions. Lunch and snacks (and great fellowship) are provided. For more info, please see Janie Rush or Linda Dingerson.

## Text Updates Coming Soon!

For those of you who may not have seen or noticed, our subscription to **flocknote** has now ended. All of our formatted E-mails (including the Prayer Chain, Friday Connect, and Meal Ministry messages) now go through **Constant Contact**. This seems to be working well, and it has also enabled us to provide occasional major updates via text message.

## IGNITE—Two Major Announcements!

We need all students who are interested in attending the **BIG CHILL** Youth Retreat at Camp Michawana (Feb 20-22) to please sign up ASAP! Please use the code **G26LAKEBC**! The cost will be \$57.50 per student, which reflects Lakewood Church covering half of the total cost. Ignite now has a **giveinkind** page for those who would like to provide meals or other items on an Amazon wish list. Check your E-mail for the links!

## Day of Caring—Church Edition—Encore — Mar 14

We are planning on a **Day of Caring—Church Edition-Encore** so that we can finish a few needed projects in the older building. Scheduled for Mar 14 from 9:30am to 1pm. This half-day event is a chance to bless our church with cleaning, updates, organization, and cheerful service!

## Bus Trip to Creation Museum this Summer?! — Survey Soon!

We are hoping to put together a bus trip to visit the Creation Museum this summer. Watch for a survey soon to help us put details together!

## SAVE THE DATE:

- **Community Dinner at CUMC** — Thu, 2/5 – 4:00-6:00pm
- **Community Sew** — Sat, 2/7 – 9:00am-3:00pm
- **Keenagers** — Tues, 2/10 – 11:30am
- **Care Group** — Wed, 2/11 – 6:00 in PR
- **Men's Breakfast** — Sat, 2/14 – 8:30am
- **Euchre** — Sat, 2/21 – 6:00pm
- **Day of Caring—Church Edition—Encore** — Sat, 3/14 – 9:30am-1pm
- **Lakewood Golf Scramble** — Sat, 6/20 – 10am at Centennial Acres

# ReCONNECT

I would like more info about: (check all that apply)

- ☐
- ☐ **IGNITE** Student Ministry
- ☐ Online Directory
- ☐ Believer Baptism
- ☐ Church Membership
- ☐ Baby Dedication
- ☐ E-mail Newsletters
- ☐ Ministry Service
- ☐ E-mail Prayer List
- ☐ Small Groups
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete and return this section if you wish to update info or respond to the above.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Wedding Anniversary: \_\_\_\_\_



## QR-Lynk

All Lakewood Church Info In One Place!

Check it out!



## Sunday Gatherings

1/11/26: 170  
1/18/26: 168  
1/25/26: 135