January Birthdays

Allison Avery	2	Jacqueline Possehn	15
Pat Potter	5	David Mattice	18
Melinda Pepper	5	Pat Butler	20
Elijah Dean Steed	6	Dennis Pepper	21
Ivan Orantes	11	Wes Meyers	21
Judy Warner	12	Tina Hendrickson	22
Sawyer Holland	15	Ella Huyter	26
Sadie Winters	15	Herb Rush	27
Benjamen Possehn	15	Emilee Grove	30

January Anniversaries

Mark & Vicki Erickson	3	1981
Conor & Candice Barr	7	2018

New-and-Improved







We have seen how the Season of Wonder can be most fulfilling when Opening Your Heart's Door to God's Plans, to Friends & Strangers, to Silence and Song, and to Divine Encounters. Now let us truly explore Opening Your Heart's Door to New Opportunities . . .

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December 28, 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 - Ignite — Grades 5 to 12 GNITE

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 – Room 101 9:30am – Ladies' Bible Study 2nd Wednesdays – 101/PR 5:00pm/6:00pm – Care Group











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Read the Bible Through In One Year!

Have you read through the entire Bible in a year? Maybe you have done it before, but cannot remember much about what you read?! There is a very helpful website out there (bibleinayear.org) which gives you several options on how to reach that goal in 2026! You can receive a daily E-mail reading or follow your own method whether reading it straight through (Genesis to Revelation) or doing in chronologically! Join Pastor Tim and Christy in this New Year's Challenge for 2026! Whatever version or method works for you . . . is the best choice!

Please complete the Ministry Survey!

Even if you have done it before, please take 10 minutes to complete the new-and-improved Ministry Survey (QR code on flap) indicating your experience/interest in various ministries (PAST/PRESENT/PROSPECTS)!

Coats for Kids

Lakewood Area Lions Club is looking for donated new and slightly used coats and boots. There will be a box in the Gathering Room until Jan 9.

Sunday Night Bible Study

The Sunday night Bible study will be resuming on Sun, Jan 4 at 4:30pm in the Prayer Room. Anyone and everyone are invited to attend!

Ladies Bible Study

The Ladies Bible Study will be resuming on Tues, Jan 6 at 9:30am.

Financial Peace University Class

Lakewood Church is hosting a Financial Peace University class starting on Jan 7 at 6 PM. Together over 9 weeks, we walk through God's ways of handling money so we can experience freedom with our finances!

Register online (fee to sign up) at https://www.fpu.com/A3E571.

There is now an offer of \$20 cash back for the next 6 registrations!

Centershot Winter Sessions

Centershot sessions begin soon! Beginners have a special session on Tues, Jan 13 at 6pm. All other groups join in on Tues, Jan 20 at 6pm.

SAVE THE DATE:

- Sun Night Bible Study Resumes Sun, 1/4 4:30pm
- Ladies Bible Study Resumes Tues, 1/6 9:30am
- Financial Peace University Begins Wed, 1/7 6:00 to 800pm
- Men's Breakfast Sat, 1/10 8:30am
- Keenagers Lunch at Buddy's Tues, 1/13 11:30am
- Centershot for Beginners Only Tues, 1/13 6:00pm
- Centershot for All Groups Tues, 1/20 6:00pm
- Care Group Wed, 1/14 5:00-Life in 101 / 6:00-Grief in PR
- Euchre Sat, 1/17 6:00pm

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Sunday Gatherings

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