August Birthdays

Diane Slocum	1	Bradley Gangwer	14
Landon Mendes	1	Fred Slater	16
Kylie Eckardt	2	Claire Benham	17
Justin Wierckz	3	Kathy Smith	18
Carter Doak	3	Maddy Pytlowany	18
Ann Thorn	4	Ellie Benham	18
Andrew Bond	4	Abrielle Turien	19
Melody LaNew	4	Susan Carpenter	19
Oliver Beswick	6	Rachel Jordan	20
Craig Rush	7	Tony Schelter	21
Rodger Altena	7	Owen Holland	23
Lisa Mazurek	8	Jane Sandborn	24
Janie Schelter	8	Owen Eckardt	25
Ken Michaud	8	Charles Mattice	26
Katie Grove	10	Declan Holland	27
Laura Woodman	10	Harrison Mazurek	27
Phobe Doak	10	Barb Ackerson	28
Tristan Smith	11	Heath Carter	31
Maggie Benham	12	Chris limenez	31

August Anniversaries

Luke & Jane Sandborn	2	1986
Michael & Amber Holland	6	2011
Ben & Stacy Gangwer	8	2009
Alonzo & Jennie Orantes	9	2013
Joe & Veronica DePotty	11	2018
Doug & Susan Flessner	13	1988
Clair & Tami Sutliff	14	1993
Kurt & Barb Ackerson	15	1987
Ron & Barb Bond	20	1977
Dave & Mary Beswick	23	1997
Doug & Lois Musbach	23	1980
Dennis & Kathy Smith	23	1968
Larry & Lynne Hilton	25	1967
Todd & Dawna Dylewski	26	1996
Paul & Mary Quigley	31	1968



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The Church

Series 4

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We continue our **got relationship!** series with a final group of messages dealing with our doctrinal beliefs explaining the Articles of Religion. We have covered Spiritual Growth, Sanctification, and Gifts of the Spirit. Now we will look at **The Church** (as opposed to the church).

How do the holy scriptures portray the Church?

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August 17, 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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Prayer at the Schools – TONIGHT at 6:30!

Join others for prayer this evening at 6:30pm at one of the four Lakewood Schools: Lakewood Early Childhood Center, Lakewood Elementary, Lakewood Middle School, or Lakewood High School. Our children, teachers, administrators, bus drivers, custodians, and staff greatly appreciate your prayers as the 2025-2026 school year begins.

Community Dinner - Aug 21

It is our turn to serve dinner at Central UMC on Aug 21. Sign up at the Welcome Center if you would like to work and/or supply desserts.

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! Click on links to the Sign-Up Genius to sign up to serve!

Men's Breakfast - Sept 13

Our Men's Breakfast resumes on Sat, Sept 13 at 8:30am. All guys (both younger and older) are invited to a delicious breakfast served to you by some of our finest Lakewood Women. Come enjoy delicious food and some great company. Welcoming more ladies to help cook and serve! Contact Candice Barr if interested (517) 755-9615.

Membership Pathway (plus Pizza) – Sept 17

If you would like to attend this informational meeting, please contact Pastor Tim (E-mail: timl@michiganlakewood.org / Text: 270-790-1341) by Sun, Aug 31. Those who attend the meeting (about 2 hours long) and qualify will be eligible for church membership at Lakewood Church.

SAVE THE DATE:

- Prayer at the Schools TONIGHT 6:30pm
- Centershot Tues, 8/19 6:00-7:30pm
- Day of Caring-Church Edition Sat, 9/6 Sign-Up Genius!
- Care Group 9/10 Life Issues-5pm / Grief Recovery-6pm
- Men's Breakfast Sat, 9/13 8:30am
- Membership Pathway (plus Pizza) Wed, 9/17 6:00pm
- **Euchre Fellowship** Sat 9/20 6pm
- Jacob Atem Sun, 9/21 10:30am Sloppy Joe Potluck following!
- Affiliation Assessment Update Forum Sun, 9/28 11:30am
- Community Hymn Sing Sun, 8/31 Woodland UMC 6:00pm
- Special Local Church Conference Sun, 10/12 11:30am

Update My Info

I would like more into abou	t: (check all that apply	
☐ H2O Kids	GF412 Youth	
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Please complete and return this section if you wish to update info or respond to the above.		
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Sunday Gatherings

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08/10/25: 145