

## April Birthdays

Grace Grove	5	Dennis Dingerson	16
Barbara Bond	6	Evelyn Jimenez	19
Thomas Sinke	7	William Bosker	19
Alec Rush	8	Cole Thrun	19
Abby Mattice	8	Steven Pett	19
Mariah Dye	9	Paul Pierson	20
Brayden Bird	9	Jeff Booi	21
Larry Hilton	10	Susan Pinkston	24
Susan Thorn	12	Amelia Mattice	24
Danielle Kosten	12	Michelle Timpson	25
William Jimenez	13	Andrew Durkee	26
Shannon Warner	13	Jodi Bird	27
Troy Slater	16	Veronica Depotty	29

## April Anniversaries

Brian & Sandra Rayner	1	2017
Mark & Valerie Raymer	4	1981
Ben & Amber Ingraham	4	2015
Steve & Deb Aldrich	5	1974
Brent & Sandi Eckardt	6	1996
Pat & Linda Butler	9	1994
David & Tammy Mattice	14	1979
Brandon & Amy Pepper	16	2005
Chuck & Peg Armbruster	20	1958
Loren & Lisa Mazurek	20	1991
Dustan & Rebekah Witt	28	2007



### Prayer Request/Praise Report?

Text Landon 616-902-2354  
or Ron Bond 616-337-1458

## Unity in the Church

We a\_\_\_\_ have seasons when we are b\_\_\_\_, h\_\_\_\_,  
and f\_\_\_\_ a\_\_\_\_\_.

There's so much value in c\_\_\_\_\_.  
B\_\_\_\_\_ doesn't make family, but I\_\_\_\_\_ does!

What is my part in this church?

Is there a group or activity I feel challenged to join; to get  
more involved in, and to be better connected?

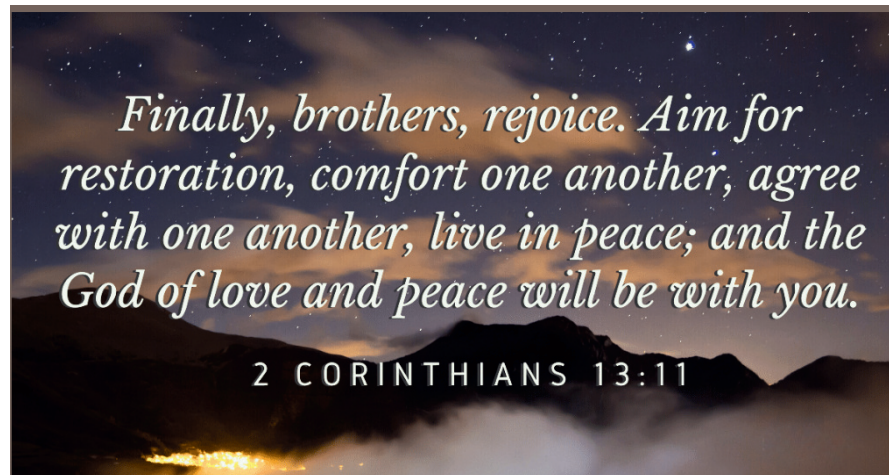
Is there an area where I could use my gifts and talents to do  
my part?

Who is someone I know I want to get to know better?



**LAKEWOOD**  
Church

**April 19, 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



**5:00pm** – 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  
6:00pm – Care Group



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## Share Your Voice: Pastor Search Input

As the Staff Parish Relations Team begins the important process of seeking a new pastor for Lakewood Church, you'll find this input card included in the bulletin. We invite you to prayerfully consider what qualities and characteristics you feel are most important in our next spiritual leader. Your feedback will help guide the search team as they discern God's direction for our church's future. Please take a moment to complete this card and return it by Sunday, April 26. Thank you for being an active and valued part of this journey.

## Ignite Student Ministry Takeover — April 26

Get ready!! Our Ignite Youth Group is taking over Sunday, April 26! From leading worship to sharing their voices, our students will be front and center, bringing energy, passion, and fresh perspective to the service. It's a powerful reminder of how God is moving in the next generation. You won't want to miss this meaningful (and fun!) Sunday led by our amazing youth!

## Mother's Day — May 5

Join us this Mother's Day as we celebrate and honor all the amazing moms in our church family! We are so grateful for the love, strength, and faith you share every day. As a small token of our appreciation, each mom will be invited to pick out a special gift after service. We hope you'll come celebrate with us! It's a day you won't want to miss!

## Graduates & Teacher Appreciation Sunday — May 17

We are getting ready to celebrate some amazing milestones! Join us on Sunday May 17 as we honor our graduates and show some extra love to our incredible teachers. If you have a high school or college graduate, be sure to contact the church office by **April 30** so we can include them in the celebration. Let's come together to cheer them on and celebrate all that they have accomplished!

## Lakewood Church Golf Scramble — June 20

Join us for the Lakewood Church Golf Scramble on June 20 for a day of fun, fellowship, and friendly competition! This four-person scramble will be held at Centennial Acres with a 10am shotgun start, featuring 9 holes, a cart and exciting game holes. The cost is just \$25 per golfer, making it a great opportunity to connect and enjoy the outdoors together. Be sure to register by May 31 to secure your spot! If you have any questions contact Candice at 269-367-4800 or [CandiceB@michiganlakewood.org](mailto:CandiceB@michiganlakewood.org)

## SAVE THE DATE:

- **Congregational Care** — Tues, 4/21 – 11:00am
- **Ignite Student Ministry Takeover** — Sun, 4/26 – 10:30am
- **Mother's Day** — Sun, 5/10
- **Keenagers** — Tues, 5/12 – 11:30am
- **Care Group** — Wed, 5/13 – 6:00pm
- **Euchre** — Sat, 5/16 – 6:00pm
- **Graduation / Teacher Appreciation** — Sun, 5/17
- **Lakewood Golf Scramble** — Sat, 6/20 – 10:00am—Centennial Acres
- **What a Mess VBS!** — Fairgrounds — Tues to Thu, 7/14 7/15 7/16

# 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: \_\_\_\_\_

## Sunday Gatherings

3/22/26: 141  
4/5/26: 187  
4/12/26: 174