

September 13, 2026

Welcome, visitors and church family! We're so glad you chose to join us today. Our shepherds desire to be supportive and accessible to you. We encourage you to speak with any of them or write a note about your concerns or issues we might help with.

A Community of
Connection,
Belonging,
& Hope
in Jesus



Our Shepherds:

Kenny Coleman

Darrell Davis

Jim Karkosky

Phil Leupold

Ray West

Preaching Minister:

Brent McFarland

Associate Minister:

Don Jacobs

Life Group Meetings:

*contact a host/facilitator for meeting
time and location*

Jim Karkosky / Rex Farnsworth

Gary Calkins / Ray West

Darrell Davis / Don Mellor

Ray Glasman / Chet Hunter

Wendell Tillman / David Cornwall

Kenny Coleman / Matt King

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Contributing to the work of:

AIM (Adventures In Missions)

Delano Bay Christian Camp

Mountain States Children's Home

Jos, Nigeria - Tom Ekpote

Paris, France - Roland Mohsen

Lord Teach Us to Pray

Now Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." ² And he said to them, "When you pray, say:

"Father, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come.

³ Give us each day our daily bread,

⁴ and forgive us our sins,

for we ourselves forgive everyone who is indebted to us.

And lead us not into temptation."

-Luke 11:1-4



PRAY WITHOUT CEASING -1 THESSALONIANS 5:17



Visitor Card

Worship Wholeheartedly, Engage Completely, Grow Intentionally

THE POWER OF PRAYER



The opportunity to pray, to communicate directly with God, is one of the greatest blessings we as Christians enjoy. It is evident that God places a great deal of emphasis on prayer and its power. While on the earth, Jesus prayed regularly, both showing and instructing His disciples that they should be people who pray ([1 Thes. 5:17](#)).

Prayer is the general term for addressing God. Since it is possible for us as His children to talk to Him, He asks us to call upon Him regularly ([Luke 18:1-8](#); [Ephesians 6:17-18](#); [1 Timothy 2:1-3](#)).

Prayer is both the privilege and duty of the righteous ([James 5:16](#)). The model prayer given by Jesus in Matthew 6 shows that prayer was designed for children of God (v. 9). Prayer is asking, seeking, and knocking with the assurance that God is ready, willing, and able to respond ([Matt. 7:7-11](#)).

Prayer is an act of faith ([Luke 18:1-8](#); [Jas. 1:5-7](#)). By praying to God, we show we believe that He is real, that He loves us as children, and that He hears and answers our prayers ([John 9:31](#); [1 John 5:13-15](#)).

Prayer is an expression of worship because praise, a big part of worship, is a major part of prayer ([Matt. 6:9](#)). The very fact we seek Him and pray that His will be done demonstrates our respect and love for God as we worship Him.

When we consider just how incredible creation is. How incredible the universe is, the world around us, our physical bodies, the birth of a child, etc. we get a glimpse of the power of God. Just think how much power you are plugging into when you pray. That can make us stand in awe, can't it.



And if we know that he hears us

— whatever we ask —

we know that we have what we asked of him.

1 John 5:15

baptism



Welcome Kylie Crumbliss!

Kylie was convinced of her need to be baptized and reached out to us.

She met and studied with Don Jacobs, then made her decision and was immersed on Monday. Rejoice with us and welcome her to the family of God!

Ladies' Thursday Morning Class resumes on September 17th, meeting in room 2 at 10:00 am. All women are welcome to join us as we study from the book of Hebrews, *The Supremacy of Christ*. We hope you'll stay for lunch together after our study. Bring a sack lunch and enjoy this time of fellowship.

Ladies' Thursday Evening meeting each week at 7:00 pm in room 4, this quarter's topic will be *Created to Be His HelpMeet*. Join us for fellowship, scripture, encouragement, and growth.

Men's Excellence in Worship Leadership

Today, September 13 beginning at 11:45 am. Lunch will be provided.

Youth & Family Calendar Planning! Please join us for the youth and family planning meeting on September 20th, right after the morning service is over. Lunch will be provided.

Our goal will be to build a calendar for the entire family and for the youth group.

Please reach out to Brett Nowlin if you have questions.

Apple Cider Press The dates this year are October 9-11. More details to come.

Food Pantry & Clothing Bank:

Currently accepting non-perishable food (that has not gone past the "use by" date) of all kinds. Our clothing bank needs children's clothing (size 6X and up), men's t-shirts, washcloths & towels. We can not use any furniture or baby items such as car seats, highchairs, etc.

Thank you!

LAKEVIEW CALENDAR

- Sunday Bible Class: 9:00 AM
- Sunday Worship Assembly: 10:00 AM
- Cancer Support Group, 2nd Monday @ 3:00 PM
- Martial Arts, Monday & Thursday @ 5:30 PM
- Wednesday Bible Class: 7:00 PM
- Ladies' Thu. Morning Class: 10:00 AM, ROOM 2
- Ladies' Thu. Evening Class: 7:00 PM, ROOM 4
- Men's Group, Thursdays @ 6:00 PM, ROOM 2
- Ladies' Prayer Group, 2nd Saturday @ 10:00 AM
- Young Adults, Saturdays @ 5:30 PM, ROOM 2

NW UNITED *in Prayer*

Individual Churches all around the NW
uniting **together in prayer.**

■ Pray Thankfully ■ Pray Boldly ■ Pray Honestly ■ Pray Willingly

What is NW United in Prayer?

NW United in Prayer is a grassroots movement to highlight prayer AND unity in the NW churches. All our area churches encourage and practice prayer, but when have we done this as an entire region united under one weekly theme?

Imagine the impact as hearts are strengthened, faith is deepened, and churches are united in seeking God's will.

Individually, each congregation does what works best for them.

Together, we do this in a sense of solidarity with other congregations who are all focusing on prayer at the same time.

Each Sunday in October, Brent will share a message with the same theme as other participating congregations, congregations from Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, and Wyoming, all talking about the same prayer theme on the same week.

Individually Together



PRAYER REQUESTS

- Sylvia Hess, Rachel McFarland's mother, has been diagnosed with breast cancer. This will be her second battle with cancer, which she defeated 13 years ago.
- Those recovering from surgeries.
- A neighbor of Kurt & Machel Turner, she has cancer and is not responding to treatment.
- The Shields family,
 - Rhonda Shields, at the death of her mother.
 - Brian, surgery to remove more of his leg due to infection.
 - Scott, a pacemaker implanted on Thursday.

Lakeview Family,

I am improving more each day. Susan and I appreciate the prayers, food, and support from many people.

God bless you all!

Love & Hugs

Don & Susan Mellor

Please remember: *Bob Bruns, Errin Calkins, Karen Clevenshine, Debbie Cornwall, Ayana Davis, Bob & Lily Hanson, Joan Haughwout, Dexter Hutton, Dennis Mellor, Derek Moore, David Newman, Tony Pierce, Eric Roley, Sunday Sawyer, Fran Tracy, Charles & Betsy Tyson, Jack & Jane Voyles*

40 Days Of Prayer

The kids are back in school, and Autumn has started creeping in. Before you know it, we'll be in the thick of holiday business and joy, and then the new year will suddenly be upon us.

It has become a tradition at Lakeview to begin the year in 40 Days of Prayer, with many of us joining together using the same daily devotional/prayer guide.

This year, we'd like to create a plan written by our own Lakeview family. Brent has provided a list of scriptures and we're asking individuals or family groups to commit to providing the devotional thought and prayer to accompany that scripture.

There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer, so you'll want to get your name on your favorite scripture today, before someone else chooses it!

Psalm 5:3	Proverbs 3:5-6	Matthew 7:7-11	Romans 8:26-28
Psalm 19:14	Proverbs 16:3	Matthew 11:28-30	Romans 12:1-2
Psalm 27:4	Isaiah 40:28-31	Matthew 26:40-41	1 Corinthians 15:58
Psalm 34:17-18	Isaiah 41:10	Mark 1:35	2 Corinthians 12:9-10
Psalm 37:5	Isaiah 43:1-3	Luke 5:15-16	Ephesians 3:14-21
Psalm 46:10	Isaiah 55:6-9	Luke 11:1-4	Ephesians 6:18
Psalm 51:10-12	Jeremiah 29:11-13	John 14:13-14	Philippians 4:4-7
Psalm 63:1-4	Lamentations 3:22-24	John 15:1-8	Colossians 4:2-4
Psalm 84:11-12	Matthew 6:9-13	John 15:9-11	1 Thessalonians 5:16-18
Psalm 90:12	Matthew 6:25-34	Acts 1:8	James 5:13-16

The suggested format: scripture, brief devotional thought, and prayer. One practical prayer focus for the church.

We do need time to compile everyone's work into one booklet, so they must be turned in by November 1st to provide time for all the steps to get our finished booklets.

So, look over the list of scriptures, pick a first, second, and maybe even a third choice. Pray about it and be sure to sign up on Sunday!



Men's Service Calendar - meet in room 2, at 9:55, for a brief meeting on the day you are serving. Wendell Tillman is coordinator

	September 13	September 20	September 27	
Opening Prayer	Ron Hollister	Brian Turner	Cruz Lujan Jr.	
Communion	Phil Leupold	Rex Farnworth	Jim Karkosky	
Reading	Dave Brazile	Wendell Tillman	Eric Roley	
Tray Passing	David Newman	Bob Riley	Bob Riley	
	Elijah Leander	Elijah Leander	David Newman	
	James Reid	James Reid	Elijah Leander	
	Jaydon Adams	Jaydon Adams	James Reid	
	Jeremiah Blackstone	Jeremiah Blackstone	Jeremiah Blackstone	September 6, 2026:
	Kurt Turner	Kevin Brazile	Kevin Brazile	Attendance: 227
	Leon Likens	Leon Likens	Leon Likens	Contribution: \$15,329
	Tristan Pierce	Tristan Pierce	Tristan Pierce	

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