

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name, O Most High; to declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night. -Psalm 92:1-2



Blessings and Peace,

Pastor Ron

In this month of November, I am thankful. I am thankful for my health and my family, thankful that I am blessed with comfort and security, thankful for the opportunity to serve God and Jesus Christ at this church. As we approach this season of harvest and gratitude, the Lord reminds me that the best way we can celebrate Thanks Giving is by our ThanksLiving! Our gratitude cannot be in simple platitudes, but with the humble service as we live for Jesus Christ.

Our God is indeed faithful, offering steadfast love and mercy, peace and justice, redemption, and salvation. It is good to give thanks to the Lord, for when we do, we recognize God's providence in our lives and in our world. And that is a good thing!

Introducing Angi Edwards

Angi Edwards has been hired as our church's Administrative Assistant/Office Manager. She and her husband Lyman have been married for 35 years. They have three children—Justin, who lives locally; Jordan, who lives in Iowa; and Candace, who is a senior at Central Methodist University majoring in Business Management. They also have six grandchildren. Angi enjoys spending time with her family and traveling to Destin, Florida.

Angi recently retired from the Missouri Department of Revenue after 30 years of service. She was employed there as a Customer Service Manager. Angi is no stranger to Lake Ozark Christian Church, having served us faithfully in the Nursery for 14 years.

Office hours will be 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. weekdays. Stop by the office during the week or in the Nursery on Sunday morning to give Angi a warm LOCC welcome to her new position.



ONE WORSHIP SERVICE – 10:30 A.M. UNTIL MAY 1, 2022

MINISTRIES & COMMITTEES UPDATES

BIBLE STUDY

• Topic: Thirteen lessons on the Parables of Jesus

Date: TuesdaysTime: 1:30 pm

Place: Multipurpose room (MPR)

• Discussion format: We will use a study guide to help us delve beneath the surface and learn better how to understand the parables of Jesus. Each Tuesday is a "stand-alone" lesson. Come any week.

Contact: Joe Weber (310) 403-3851

CARE CONNECTION (FOR NOVEMBER)

Wally Balfanz (573) 480-5437 Jane Daniels (314) 452-5980

Christian Men's Fellowship Breakfast

ATTENTION LOCC MEN!

The monthly Breakfast Meeting will be Saturday, November 20, 8:30am, Fellowship Hall. A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex. SIGN UP NOW! WE NEED A COUNT for breakfast. Or call CLIFF WORTHY 1-573-302-0282 or DAVID KIRCHNER 1-573-964-6113.

DISCIPLES WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Our next meeting is Wednesday, November 17, 10:30 am in the Multi-Purpose Room. Please join us.



OUR CHURCH NEEDS YOU TO BE...

Leadership Council (members or officers) contact Greg Weingart (573) 418-1506

Elders and Deacons contact Matt Hendon (573) 480-7669

Worship Leaders contact Susan Rader (573) 280-4597

DIRECTORY

New photo and/or corrections may be submitted at any time: office@lakeozarkdisciples.org There are directions to download an app for the Instant Church Directory to your phone. Once you have this app on your phone, it will allow you to call someone or get directions to their home directly from your cell phone.

GAME DAY

Friday, November 5, 2-4 pm (FH) Friday, November 19, 2-4 pm (FH) Bring your favorite beverage and a snack to share.



HOPE HOUSE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

November 15-20 (M, W, Th, F, Sat) 8:30 am – 2 pm Thrift Store & Food Pantry: cashiers, sorting, restocking, bread pick-up, order fulfillment, etc. Sign up or contact LOCC church liaison: Barb Davis (573) 280-4435

LEADERSHIP COUNCIL MEETING

Date "TBD"

Chair: Greg Weingart (573) 418-1506

PRAYER GROUP

We meet every Tuesday at 3 pm in the Meditation Room. We meet to pray over the prayer concerns that are received each week and for the future of our church, state, and nation. If God is speaking to your heart, come join us!

"OUR GIVING"

OPERATING FUND Weekly Need Budget \$5,500

WEEKLY OFFERING				
7,094				
6,755				
3,497				
6,398				
3,090				

BUILDING FUND Weekly Need/Budget \$1,800

WEEKLY OFFERING				
Sept 19	6,170			
Sept 26	3,360			
Oct 3	460			
Oct 10	2,290			
Oct 17	740			

Jan 1 to Sep 19 <u>Budgeted Revenue</u> deficit -\$13,417 Jan 1 to Sep 19 "Actual" Operating SURPLUS \$14,741

Set up Automatic Giving @ www.lakeozarkdisciples.org











After-School Program for Elementary-Aged Kids to begin Wednesday, November 4 at 4 p.m.

We are planning to launch our After-School Program on the first Wednesday of November at 4 pm. We will first target elementary age kids. We will be contacting folks who offered their help through the volunteer survey.

Fellowship Luncheon – Sunday, November 14

Following the 10:30 worship service
All food will be provided
A freewill offering will be collected
Please sign up or call the church office

Congregational Meeting to follow luncheon



Pastor Ron's Installation



For more photos, visit https://lakeozarkdisciples.org/installationphotos/

Thanksgiving dinner Noon, Thursday, November 25

- > Turkey provided
- Bring a side dish or dessert
- Enjoy the fun of sharing Thanksgiving with church friends





Please bring your donated items to church by **November 7th** and set them outside the Sanctuary, labeled **"Undie Sunday".** For more information, please contact Patty Savage.

Several years ago, Valerie Marshall spearheaded this project, and we continue it today in her memory. The purpose is to provide clothing for children who have an accident or spill at school. School nurses suggest and distribute needed items. Your generosity is felt daily by both teachers AND students!!! This year we will be collecting underwear, pants, shirts, shoes & socks for local elementary schools. The following sizes are needed for both boys and girls:

- 1. Underwear sizes 4-8
- 2. Elastic waist pants (sweatpants will be fine) size range xs-lg or 4-10
- 3. Elastic waist shorts size range xs-lg or 4-10
- 4. Plain t-shirts size rang xs-lg
- 5. Shoes Velcro or laced youth size range 13-5
- 6. Socks youth size range 13-5
- * shorts, pants, and shirts may be gently used



Join us to decorate the church for the Christmas Season Saturday, November 20 – 10 a.m.

Pizza will be served

A few strong people are needed Tuesday, November 16 at 5 p.m. to distribute boxes of trees and decorations throughout the church

Our Prayers



Prayer Requests

Georgianne Sobcjak - Marilyn Kuffel Tessa & Reina McGregory - Patty & Don Savage Earl Katz & Jim Katz - Jane Daniels Tim Kirchhoff - June Heckel Carolyn Timmerman, - Cindi & Tom Wiltshire Jim Biggs - Stephanie Biggs Diana Benbow, Lisa Wahl - Victoria Kennedy Joyce Carr - Joan Zimmerly Ron Wicker - Jerry Wicker Gary & Lucy Shultz - Matt Bentz Health Care Workers - LOCC Steven Strauch - Peggy Strauch Frankie Vines - Victoria Kennedy Conner - Linda Landsberg Ken Kellogg - Mike & Janell Jones Barb Nelson - Paula Elkin Derek Nelson - Paula Elkin James Johnson - Tom & Debbie Robinson Barbara Wright - LOCC Maureen Milligan & Family - LOCC Kathy Wise - Sharon Spencer Gail Gonella & Sister - Joan Zimmerly Larry & Cathy - Michael Lindeman Family of Jack Park - LOCC Tom Vue Cautren - Jerry & Shirley Wicker Family of Wilma Hendon - Henden Family Bruce Bax, Jim & Carol Taylor - Lloyd Cunningham Jr Chris & Rachel Andrews - Greg & Debbie Andrews Gary Autry - Victoria Kennedy Nicole and Pierre Torres – Cindi Conley

Military

Blake Barrow - Fred Braun & Helen Barrow Brett Bowman - LOCC Tammy Cramer - Bob & Wally Balfanz Grayson Cutler - Jerry & Shirley Wicker Brandon Grossman - Brianna Grossman Susie Hart - Buschman's John Henry - Donna Henry Colby Hoefer - Conley's John Michael Hubbart - Debbie Ferrell David Kuffel - Kuffel's Daniel Max - Anway's Grandson Jared & Juliet McClintock - Brackett's Alex Mitchell - Rader's Jayson Osborne - Harrison's Allen Phillips, Steve Scatcherd, Damon Vanosdoll Ramon Rutledge - Langely's Chris & Stephanie Thibeault - Green's 1SG. Clinton Van Winkle - Rader's Brendon Owings - Wicker's

Nursing Home & Senior Care

Marjorie Nelson - Miller County Nancy Woodward - Lakeside Don Avey - Arrowhead Helen Barrow – Arrowhead Barbara Wright – Jefferson City

Our Community and Our World

Military, Police & Firefighters Community & Government Leaders Those effected by natural disasters & war The poor, hungry, homeless & disenfranchised

To include a message or announcement in the December Chimes, please submit it before Friday, December 22 to office@lakeozarkdisciples.org Subject line: CHIMES

Lake Ozark Christian Church

Senior Minister: Rev. Ron Trimmer

Administrative Assistant and Office Manager: Angi Edwards

Music Director: Michael Lindeman

Cleaning and Maintenance: Don Savage Sound and Video: Patty Savage

Sunday Morning Nursery: Angi Edwards

Leadership Council

Chair: Greg Weingart Vice Chair: Paula Elkin
Treasurer: Matt Redd Elder Representative: Richard Wolfgang
Directors: Debbie Andrews, Donna Foster, Heather Hendon, Rich Reinwald, Joe Weber

Committees

Elders/Deacons: Matt Hendon Communications: Patty Savage
Education: Patty Savage Membership and Evangelism: Open

Outreach: Barbara Wright Worship: Susan Rader Pastoral Relations: Tom Wiltshire Property: Todd Miller

Personnel: Rich Reinwald

Hospitality and Fellowship: June Heckel, Joe and Margaret Weber

Pastoral Relations: Tom Wiltshire (Chair), Randall Bunch, Jane Daniels, Sue Rader, Sandy Wolfgang

Elders: Matt Hendon (Chair), Stephanie Biggs, Randall Bunch, Cindi Conley, Barb Davis, Jane Daniels, Todd Miller, Maureen Milligan, Ruth Payne, Susan Rader, Patty Savage, Sharon Spencer, Teresa Tabor, Tim Tabor, Joe Weber, Shirley Wicker

Deacons: Debbie Andrews, Gregg Andrews, Matt Bentz, Paula Elkin, Donna Foster, June Heckel, Heather Hendon, Velma Kirchner, Jerry Rader, Katrina Redd, Matt Redd, Don Savage, Peggy Strauch, Greg Weingart, Kendra Weingart, Jerry Wicker, Sandy Wolfgang, Rich Wolfgang

Ministries

Disciples Women Ministry (DWM) meets on 2nd Wednesday of the month at 10:30 am in the multipurpose room, chair Cindy Wiltshire.

Christian Men Fellowship (CMF) meets on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 8:30 am for breakfast in the fellowship hall, chair Cliff Worthy.

Bible Study meets every Tuesday at 1:30 pm, leader Joe Weber (Sept. – Dec.)

Bell Choir meets on Wednesday at 4:30 pm in the sanctuary

Care Connection Co-coordinators: Paula Elkin, Sandy Wolfgang

Choir meets on Wednesday at 5:30 pm in the choir room (behind organ)

Lunch Bunch meets every Tuesday at 11:30 am at a local restaurant

Prayer Team meets every Tuesday at 3:00 pm in the multipurpose room, Sandy Wolfgang.

Shelter in the Storm and Pantry of Blessing, Audrey Tanner

Hope House Volunteers: Barb Davis Equal Exchange: Cindy Wiltshire Wedding Coordinator: Debbie Andrews Kids Program and Youth: Patty Savage

Game Day and Night in Fellowship Hall: 2 pm First and Third Friday of the month

NOVEMBER								
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY		
	1 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)	2 11:30 am Lunch Bunch (Culver's) 1:30 pm Bible Study 3:00 pm Prayer Team 6 pm Orchestra (FH/C)	4:00 pm Kidz Program 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (S)	4 6 pm Cub Scouts (FH)	5 2-4 pm Game Day (FH)	6		
7 UNDIE SUNDAY 10:30 am Worship (S) 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	8 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)	9 11:30 am Lunch Bunch (J B Hooks) 1:30 pm Bible Study 3:00 pm Prayer Team 6 pm Orchestra (FH/C)	10 10:30 am Disciples Women's Ministry (MPR) 4:00 pm Kidz Program 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (S)	11 6 pm Cub Scouts (FH)	12	13		
14 10:30 am Worship (S) FELLOWSHIP LUNCH & CONGREGATIONAL MEETING 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)	11:30 am Lunch Bunch (Applebee's) 1:30 pm Bible Study 3:00 pm Prayer Team) 5 pm Move Christmas boxes 6 pm Orchestra (FH/C)	4:00 pm Kidz Program 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (S) 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers	18 11:15 am Parkinson's Meeting (MPR) 6 pm Cub Scouts (FH) 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers	2-4 pm Game Day (FH) 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers	8:30 am Christian Men's Fellowship (FH) 10:00 am Hanging of the Greens (church) 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers		
21 10:30 am Worship (S) 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)	23 11:30 am Lunch Bunch (Barn B Que) 1:30 pm Bible Study 3:00 pm Prayer Team 6 pm Orchestra (FH/C)	4:00 pm Kidz Program 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (S)	25 Noon Thanksgiving Dinner (FH)	26	27		
28 10:30 am Worship (S) 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)	30 11:30 am Lunch Bunch (Roxie's Road House) 1:30 pm Bible Study 3:00 pm Prayer Team 6 pm Orchestra (FH/C)						