



LAKE OZARK
**CHRISTIAN
CHURCH**
Disciples of Christ

The Lake Chimes



I give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart;
before the gods I sing your praise;
I bow down toward your holy temple
and give thanks to your name for your steadfast
love and your faithfulness,
for you have exalted your name and your word
above everything.
On the day I called, you answered me;
you increased my strength of soul.
-Psalm 138:1-3

It is good to give our God thanks and praise! As Thanksgiving draws near, I am reminded of the bounty of our Lord's love and blessing and all the ways our God shows us steadfast love and mercy. Give thanks with your whole heart, with all your being, for God is indeed good!

We will be trying something new this month: a service of remembrance. During our regular worship service on Sunday, November 20, we will remember those who have died in the last year. We'll light a candle, have a moment of silence, and tone a bell—all to honor, celebrate, and give thanks to those who have gone before.

Blessings and Peace,

Pastor Ron

WORSHIP SERVICE – 10:30 A.M.

MINISTRIES & COMMITTEES UPDATES

BIBLE STUDY

Please join Pastor Ron each Tuesday at 1:30 pm in the multi-purpose room beginning November 1, 2022.

We will start a new Bible Study, as we begin at the beginning! We'll look at how God created the cosmos! Did you know there are two creation stories in Genesis? These ancient stories are rich in meaning, metaphor, and God's truth! Come join us!

CARE CONNECTION (FOR NOVEMBER)

Wally Balfanz (573) 480-5437

Jane Daniels (314) 452-5980

Christian Men's Fellowship

ATTENTION LOCC!

CMF's breakfast meeting will be Saturday, November 19th at 8:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up at the information table so we know how much food to prepare.

DISCIPLES WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

The DWM meets the second Tuesday of each month at 10:30 am in the MPR. All women are invited. Please join us.



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.

PICKLEBALL

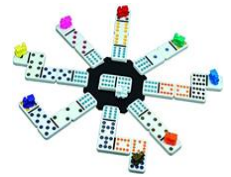
Pickleball is each Friday from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm in the Gym and Fellowship Hall.

This session began October 14, 2022. Play will take place for the six weeks leading up to the Thanksgiving holiday weekend and will resume after Thanksgiving.

GAME DAY/NIGHT

Game Day November 4 and November 18 at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall and Kitchen.

Bring your favorite beverage and a snack to share.



HOPE HOUSE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

November 14 & October 16-19, 8:30 am – 2 pm

Volunteers are needed for the 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 November 17, 2022

Chair: Greg Weingart (573) 418-1506

PRAYER GROUP

We meet every Tuesday at 3 pm in the Multi-Purpose Room. We are honored and privileged to pray for the concerns of the church. We believe God hears and answers prayers. Because the list has become very lengthy, we have determined to return to the previous policy of removing the concerns after 30 days. If the concern has been updated, it will remain on the list as we know there are some requests that are on our hearts for extended periods of time. The military and nursing home residents will remain on the list until notified otherwise.

SHELTER IN A STORM/PANTRY OF BLESSINGS

Next meeting is Tuesday, November 1 at 3 pm. (MR)
Special request for *November: jelly and soup*.

from "The Nest"

a few Notes:



LOCC Choir rehearsals are on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm in the choir rehearsal room. New members are welcomed.

Come and make sweet music to the Lord with us.

Blessings

Michael

P.S. Looking for vocal soloists, instrumentalists(guitar, strings, brass, woodwinds) AND, Bell Ringers! [Leave a message for Rich Reinwald at the church's phone]

Call or leave a message for Michael at 573-365-3366 or text 573-480-7492 (Michael's phone). Email Michael at: musicdirector@lakeozarkdisciples.org OR mical2274@charter.net



Children's Church Volunteers Needed

Looking for teachers and helpers to give one Sunday a month to lead children's church. See Sandy Wolfgang after church to sign up or call 573-821-3925.

We have recently updated our website, but we are still in need of pictures, especially ones highlighting fellowship events. Please email these pictures to the office!

office@lakeozarkdisciples.org



"OUR GIVING"

OPERATING FUND
Weekly Need Budget
\$5,060

WEEKLY OFFERING	
Sept 4	1,930
Sept 11	5,646
Sept 18	2,149
Sept 25	5,524
Oct 2	6,951

BUILDING FUND
Weekly Need/Budget
\$1,800

WEEKLY OFFERING	
Sept 4	400
Sept 11	1,730
Sept 18	300
Sept 25	1,525
Oct 2	4,334

Jan 1 to Oct 2 Budgeted Revenue deficit **-\$7,915**
Jan 1 to Oct 2 "Actual" Operating Deficit **-\$7,143**

Set up Automatic Giving @ www.lakeozarkdisciples.org

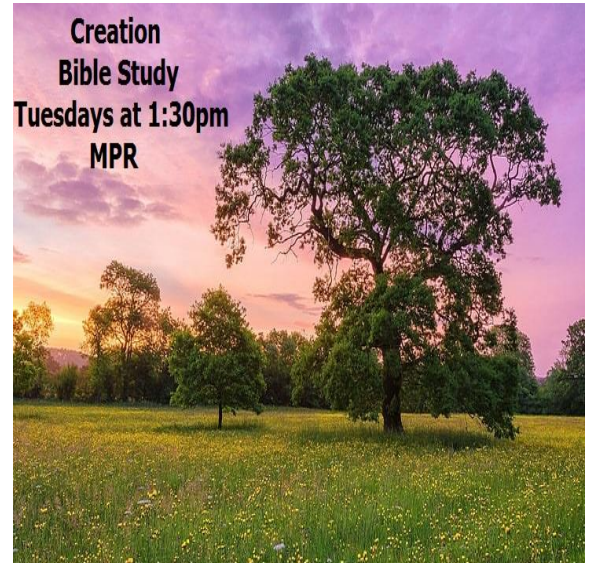
2022 Flower List is now available

Please sign up at
the information table.



Creation Bible Study

On Tuesday, November 1, at 1:30 pm in the MPR, Pastor Ron will start a new Bible Study, as we begin at the beginning! We'll look at how God created the cosmos! Did you know there are two creation stories in Genesis? These ancient stories are rich in meaning, metaphor, and God's truth! Come join us!



Adult Sunday School at 9:30 am!

Adult Bible Study meets every Sunday morning at 9:30 am. Tim Tabor and Joe Weber will lead the class. We'll be using the Augsburg Adult Bible Studies. You can pick up your booklet in the office, in class, or see Tim or Joe.

Please join us on Sunday, November 20, 2022 at 6:00 pm for a Thanksgiving Community Service in the Chapel.
All are welcome! Refreshments to follow.





REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

During the 10:30 am service we will light a candle, have a moment of silence, and tone a bell to honor, celebrate, and give thanks to those who have passed in the last year.



**I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE THAT HELPED
WITH OR ATTENDED THE 2022 REGIONAL ASSEMBLY.
IT WAS A GREAT SUCCESS AND WE WERE
COMPLIMENTED FOR A JOB WELL DONE!!**

DISCIPLES WOMEN PRESENT

ALONG THE WAY:

JOURNEY ALONE, JOURNEY TOGETHER



November 12, 2022
10am-3:30pm

COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN
CHURCH
409 Ellis Blvd
Jefferson City



Opening worship
Session 1: A Pilgrimage of Growth
Lunch
Session 2: Discerning Mission/Ministry
Break
One on one discussions
Closing communion

All Are Welcome

All Mid-America Disciples Women and church leaders from around the Region are invited to this educational and inspirational event. Facilitators Sue & Murray Frick will share about her experience on the Camino de Santiago and his in congregational mission & ministry.



\$20 Due by November 1. [Register now!](#)

If you haven't registered online already, you can contact the church office or sign up at the information table. Registration and \$20 is due by November 1st. We plan to carpool and will be leaving LOCC at 8:45 am Saturday, November 12th.

CHRISTIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST MEETING

Saturday, November 19, 2022 at 8:00 am.

There will be a short business meeting and hot breakfast with the Hanging of the Greens group. Please join us for both events!

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE NEWS

The LOCC Transportation Ministry began approximately 4 years ago. Initially, the primary purpose was to assist members of LOCC by providing rides to medical, dental, and physical therapy appointments in Lake Ozark, Osage Beach, Camdenton, Eldon, Jefferson City, and Columbia. A second purpose was to provide rides to members needing transportation assistance in order to attend services at LOCC.

A survey of LOCC's membership was conducted and many members offered to provide transportation to one (1) or more of the locations listed above. Over time, several of our original group of volunteers have relocated, had changes in their family, or unfortunately passed away. This has created a much smaller "pool" of volunteers.

As a result, we are once again asking for volunteers to provide transportation to locations. Please consider helping us by selecting one (1) or more locations on the sign-up sheet at the information table so we can continue to assist LOCC church members.

SHELTER IN A STORM/PANTRY OF BLESSINGS

WOW! Now we have a food pantry and a clothing pantry! Look for them next to the portico entrance. Open them and have a look inside so you can see what's available for those who need help. For those who wish to donate, one food item and one clothing item will be suggested each month for donations. **For NOVEMBER, Jelly and Soup.** Please put any other donations in the bin outside the sanctuary, so it may be inventoried. The committee keeps an account of what has been donated and what goes out, so please put donations in the bin to have it counted. A report is given at each Shelter in a Storm meeting to let us know how many items have been donated, how many used, and how many people have been helped with travel expenses, food, clothing, and motel rooms. Hope House is helping us with boxes of food for families, individual shampoos, and extra coats. Bibles have been added to the Pantry. We also have gas cards and motel room arrangements for those in need, as well as showers here at church.

Audrey Tanner is the committee chair of Shelter in a Storm & Pantry of Blessings. Others who have specific responsibilities are Audrey – Pantry of Blessings (food & personal items), Paula Elkin – minutes of the meetings, Joe Weber gas cards, Jane Daniels – Closet of Blessings (clothing), Greg Andrews – transportation for members, Angi Edwards – contact person for needs with Sandy Wolfgang and Cindy Wiltshire as back up.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, November 1, at 3pm in the MR. Meetings will now be quarterly (Future meeting(s): November 1) Please plan to attend if you have an interest in this outreach project. We ask for your prayers for those we are helping and for those who are serving in this way. This church is making a difference in lives that are important and loved by God, including all those served and those serving and praying.

To include a message or announcement in the November Chimes, please submit it before **Friday, November 25, 2022** to office@lakeozarkdisciples.org Subject line: CHIMES

Our Prayers



Prayer Requests

Tessa & Reina McGregory - Patty & Don Savage
Steven Strauch – Peggy Strauch
Sandie West – Peggy Strauch
Ukraine – LOCC
Susan Rader – Debbie & Gregg Andrews & LOCC
Gregg Andrews – LOCC
Kathy Orlick – Victoria Kennedy
Baal Family along with Donald – Penelope Thompson
Family and Friends in Florida – Penelope Thompson
Rebekah, Jason & her children – Penelope Thompson
Krista Welschmeyer – Rich & Sandy Wolfgang
Jim Schwilling – Darin & Norma Bjorge
Robert Butler – Carol Cummings
Nancy Poage & Family – LOCC
Kimberly Fernandez – Carol Cummings

Nursing Home & Senior Care

Nancy Woodward - Lutheran Manor
Pauline Schooler – Arrowhead
Dwight Ayer – Arrowhead
Maureen Milligan - Orchid Terrace
Jean Smithson – Bridges by EPOCH at Norwalk
Ruth Payne – Clarendale Senior Living
Jill Ward – Rock Island Village

Military

Blake Barrow - Fred Braun & the late Helen Barrow
Brett Bowman - LOCC
Tammy Cramer - Bob & Wally Balfanz
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
Sam LaChance – Miller's

Our Community and Our World

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

Lake Ozark Christian Church

Senior Minister: Rev. Ron Trimmer

Administrative Assistant and Office Manager: Angela Edwards

Music Director: Michael Lindeman

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

Sunday Morning Nursery: vacant

LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

Chair: Greg Weingart

Vice Chair: Joe Weber

Treasurer: Matt Redd

Elder Representative: Richard Wolfgang

Directors: Debbie Andrews, Donna Foster, Tim Kirchner, Barb Reinwald

COMMITTEES

Elders/Deacons: Sandy Wolfgang

Communications: Patty Savage

Education: Patty Savage

Membership and Evangelism: Open

Outreach: Debbie Andrews

Worship: Open

Pastoral Relations: Tom Wiltshire

Property: Todd Miller

Personnel: Rich Reinwald

Hospitality and Fellowship: June Heckel, Joe and Margaret Weber

ELDERS

Sandy Wolfgang (Chair), Matt Bentz, Stephanie Biggs, Randall Bunch, Cindi Conley, Jane Daniels, Matt Hendon, Todd Miller, Susan Rader, Patty Savage, Sharon Spencer, Teresa Tabor, Tim Tabor, Joe Weber, Shirley Wicker

DEACONS

Debbie Andrews, Gregg Andrews, Bob Balfanz, Sharon "Wally" Balfanz, Bea Black, Paula Elkin, Donna Foster, June Heckel, Heather Hendon, Velma Kirchner, Tim Kirchner, Jerry Rader, Katrina Redd, Matt Redd, Peggy Strauch, Jerry Wicker, Rich Wolfgang

PASTORAL RELATIONS

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

MINISTRIES

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

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

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

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

Lunch Bunch meets every Tuesday at 11:45am at a local restaurant

Shelter in a Storm and Pantry of Blessings, Audrey Tanner – Quarterly meetings in MR at 3:00pm

Hope House Volunteers: Barb Davis

Prayer Group Meeting – Each Tuesday at 3pm in the Multi-Purpose Room

Care Connection Co-coordinators: Georganna Carson

Wedding Coordinator: Debbie Andrews

Kids Program and Youth: Patty Savage

Game Day in Fellowship Hall: 1 pm First and Third Friday of month

Pickleball: Fridays 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

NOVEMBER 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 10:00 am Staff Meeting (VR) 11:30 am Lunch Bunch – Applebee's 1:30 pm Bible Study (MPR) 3:00 pm Prayer Team (MPR) 3:00 pm Shelter in a Storm (MR) 6 pm Orchestra (FH, C)	2 9:00 am ANSWERS Project Rummage Sale (G) 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (CR)	3 9:00 am ANSWERS Project Rummage Sale (G) 6 pm Cub Scouts (FH, G, C)	4 10:00 am Pickleball (K, FH, G) 12:30 pm PEO Chapter CH (MPR) 1:00 pm Game Day/Mexican Train (FH, K)	5 1:00 pm Treetop Village HOA Meeting (FH, K)
6 9:30 am Adult Bible Study (MPR) 10:30 am Worship Service Birthday Sunday (S) 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	7 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH, K, G, C)	8 10:00 am Staff Meeting (VR) 11:30 am Lunch Bunch – Sergio's Mexican 12:30 pm PEO Chapter MZ (FH) 1:30 pm Bible Study (MPR) 3:00 pm Prayer Team (MPR) 6 pm Orchestra (FH, C)	9 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (CR)	10 6 pm Cub Scouts (FH, G, C)	11 10:00 am Pickleball (K, FH, G)	12
13 9:30 am Adult Bible Study (MPR) 10:30 am Worship (S) 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	14 8:30 am PEO-NF (MPR) 10:30 am Pages for all Ages Book Club (FH) 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH, K, G, C)	15 10:00 am Staff Meeting (VR) 11:30 am Lunch Bunch – Baxter's Lakeside Grill 1:30 pm Bible Study (MPR) 3:00 pm Prayer Team (MPR) 6:00 pm Orchestra (FH, C)	16 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (CR)	17 10:30 am - 2:00 pm Parkinson Support Group (MPR) 1:30 pm Hospitality Committee (MR) 4:30 pm Leadership Council (MPR) 6:00 pm Cub Scouts (FH, G, C)	18 10:00 am Pickleball (K, FH, G) 1:00 pm Game Day/Mexican Train (FH, K)	19 8:00 am CMF Breakfast (FH, K) 9:00 am Hanging of the Greens - LOCC
20 9:30 am Adult Bible Study (MPR) 10:30 am Worship (S) 11:30 am Congregational Meeting and Luncheon (FH,K) 6:00 pm Community Thanksgiving Service (C) 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	21 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH, K, G, C)	22 10:00 am Staff Meeting (VR) 11:30 am Lunch Bunch – Culver's 1:30 pm Bible Study (MPR) 3:00 pm Prayer Team (MPR) 6 pm Orchestra (FH, C)	23 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (CR)	24 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers 6 pm Cub Scouts (FH, G, C)	25 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers 10:00 am Pickleball (K, FH,G)	26 8:45 am-2 pm Hope House volunteers
27 9:30 am Adult Bible Study(MPR) 10:30 am Worship (S) 7 pm AA Meeting (MPR)	28 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH, K, G, C)	29 10:00 am Staff Meeting (VR) 11:30 am Lunch Bunch – Rusty Rooster 1:30 pm Bible Study (MPR) 3:00 pm Prayer Team (MPR) 6 pm Orchestra (FH, C)	30 4:30 pm Handbells (S) 5:30 pm Choir (CR)			