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On the first morning of Project Transformation each week, I have the privilege of leading TAG – talk about God – with the children. Today, the theme for TAG was “We celebrate our differences.” The Scripture passage was 1 Corinthians 12: 12-27. We had fun talking about how we use our hands, feet, eyes, ears, legs, hips, mouths, and noses and how we help others using our different body parts. Finally, we all agreed that no part of the body was better than another part but that we need all parts of our bodies to serve God and love our neighbors.

¹² Christ is just like the human body—a body is a unit and has many parts; and all the parts of the body are one body, even though there are many. ¹³ We were all baptized by one Spirit into one body, whether Jew or Greek, or slave or free, and we all were given one Spirit to drink. ¹⁴ Certainly the body isn't one part but many. . . . ¹⁸ But as it is, God has placed each one of the parts in the body just like he wanted. ¹⁹ If all were one and the same body part, what would happen to the body? ²⁰ But as it is, there are many parts but one body. . . . But God has put the body together, giving greater honor to the part with less honor ²⁵ so that there won't be division in the body and so the parts might have mutual concern for each other. ²⁶ If one part suffers, all the parts suffer with it; if one part gets the glory, all the parts celebrate with it. ²⁷ You are the body of Christ and parts of each other. 1 Corinthians 12:12-14, 18-20, 24b-27

As I reflected on our lesson for the children this morning, I thought of Lakeside's family and friends and how each is important to the whole body. The gifts of each member of the family are needed, and no gift is more or less important than another. While this list is by no means exhaustive, the gifts of several members come to mind illustrating how we are all part of Christ's body and need each other to help build the kingdom of God on earth as it is in heaven.

Our faithful liturgists: Deborah Whitaker, Tommy Brown, Debbie Owen, Terry Wynne use their spiritual gifts of communication to lead worship. Linda Pickler and Sharon Wyatt use their spiritual gifts of evangelism to connect with food distribution and other guests. Sandy Bobo, Susan Brown, Rebecca Phillips and many others use their spiritual gifts of hospitality to receive, feed and honor members, ministry participants and grieving families. Nancy Paschal, Frances Smith, Bill Wilcox, Colby Lee, Sheila Mitchell, Sharon Blankenship, Linda Pickler and Linda LaClair use their spiritual gifts of intercession on behalf of all our prayer concerns. Bobby Wyatt, Francisco Huendo, Benjamin Lozano, Lakeside youth, Susan Coles, Rosa Vargas, Barrie Hardin, Ellen Wyatt, Carol Luebker and many others use their spiritual gifts of mercy and helps to assist people in need thru Lakeside's Feeding ministries and lending library. Those with the spiritual gift of exhortation – George Mitchell, Alicia Frye and Tommy Brown – proclaim the Gospel. And of course, many other members use their spiritual gifts of music, technological knowledge, generosity, leadership, shepherding, teaching, encouragement, discernment, wisdom, etc. to carry out the work of the Holy Spirit in our church, community and the world.

Are you using your spiritual gift(s) given to you by the Holy Spirit to edify the church and glorify God? If not, why not? Your church needs you! Christ needs you!

Pastor Judy

What's Happening @ Lakeside United Methodist Church

Wednesday, July 6 9:00 - 3:00 Project Transformation 10:30 Staff Meeting 3:00 Coffee with the Pastor 6:00 Video Watch Party	12:00 Neighbor to Neighbor meets 3:00 Coffee with the Pastor 6:00 Town Hall Information Meeting
Thursday, July 7 9:00 - 3:00 Project Transformation	Thursday, July 14 9:00 - 3:00 Project Transformation 6:00 - 8:00 Family Fun Night
Friday, July 8 Office Closed	Friday, July 15 Office closed
Saturday, July 9	Saturday, July 16
Sunday, July 10 8:30 Chapel worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Sanctuary Worship	Sunday, July 17 8:30 Chapel Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Sanctuary Worship 2:00 Town Hall Information Meeting
Monday, July 11 9:00 - 3:00 Project Transformation	
Tuesday, July 12 9:00 - 3:00 Project Transformation 1:00 PEO meets	
Wednesday, July 13 9:00 - 3:00 Project Transformation	

Lakesiders, having promised to be loyal to Jesus Christ through The United Methodist Church and to do all in our power to strengthen its ministries, live out our promise by God's grace together— participating faithfully in the ministries of Lakeside United Methodist Church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world!

TRINITY VILLAGE SALAD LUNCHEON
July 13, 2022 12:00 - 2:00 P.M.
Trinity Village Great Hall



Beat the heat and Join us for lunch!

View the improvements our past generous donations have made, and hear about our future plans. No tickets will be sold, but donations are always welcome and greatly appreciated.



Remember that it's time for a new church directory for 2022-23. If your information has changed (address, phone, email.....) let us know. If the information in the current directory is incorrect, let us know about that as well. If anyone other than Linda receives your information she may not get it! Call Linda at 534-6241 to give her your updated information.



Frances Smith will be moving on July 15th. Her new address will be:

Frances Smith
 11067 Cedar Drive
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Listed below is the supply list request for the collection this year. Cut this out and take with you when you shop if you are able to help us.

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| Glue sticks (Small and Large) | No. 2 Pencils |
| Composition Notebooks | Colored Pencils |
| Spiral Wide Ruled Notebooks | Pencil Pouches |
| Yellow Highlighters | Red Pens |
| Loose Leaf notebook paper (wide ruled) | Blue Pens |
| Individual handheld pencil sharpeners | Black Pens |
| Blunt Fiskars Scissors | Pink Chunk Erasers |
| Reusable Water Bottles | 1 inch Binders |
| Boxes of Tissues | 8-count Crayons |
| Hand Sanitizer | 24-count Crayons |
| Backpacks | |



We pray for the sick: Vaire Mitchell (pronounced Vera)
 Samantha Corkins

Grieving: The Ann Johnston Family

Sheridan Healthcare Rehab: Don Massey

Woodland Heights Senior Living: Billie Doster

Lakeside's Hispanic Ministry; Young People around the world; Families in trouble; City Council members & Mayor; Students of all ages; Teachers, First Responders



It's summer and school is out. Kids who count on Free lunch at school are going without. Help us keep our Food Pantry well stocked so we can keep our Blessing Box well stocked. You know what kind of things we need so be as generous as you can! Thank you.



Last week's Family Fun Night was spectacular! The children had lots of fun playing games and winning prizes. Both the prizes and center pieces were absolutely charming. Since the children loved every single one of them so much we were happy to know that each family had the opportunity to take one home. Family Fun Night was very well put together and donated by Susan and Tommy Brown. Lakeside also donated and gifted table games to each one of the families.

Thank you to all of Lakeside's working bees, even the smallest contribution is very much appreciated, from the planning crew, to the set up crew, to the cooking crew. It was all fantastic!

Lakeside's July Family Fun Night will be held on July 14th from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Plans are in the works. As of now, a meal will be provided, however we will need help setting up, and cleaning up, handing out food and drinks, supervising activities such as games and the bouncy house.

Also, as it is suggested by the program, we must send thank you notes to each family that attended Family Fun Night and to those who weren't able to attend. We are in need of four volunteers who would be willing to assist with this task. We will create the cards, and you would be in charge of the preparations leading to mailing out all of the cards.

I look forward to hearing from you. You can reach me via email, text or call. Thank you so much for your time and dedication!

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Sunday, July 3, 2022

8:30 Worship Service - Did not meet

10:30 Worship Service - 68

9:15 Sunday School - 7

4:00 Trinity Village Vespers - 29

Our Weekly Service at Church

Sunday, July 10, 2022

Senior Pastor: The Reverend Judy Rudd; Liturgist: Tommy Brown

Director of Music: Ann Tibbs; Children's Moments: Alicia Frye

Sermon Title: What Do You See?; Scripture: Amos 7:7-17

Sermon Series: Prophet Margins

Flowers: Etoyle Mouser & Mary Emily Calhoun

Ushers: Steve Dobbins, Joe Coles, Rob Wyatt, Bobby Wyatt, Roy Whitaker, Ken Kesterson

July 11 Brass Polishers: Linda LaClair, Linda McNulty and Deborah Whitaker

July 11 Counters: Gerald Majors and Elaine Vaccaro

All services are available on Facebook or Facebook Live.

Join us online for worship at:

<https://www.facebook.com/LakesidePB/live/>

Check out what is happening at Lakeside on our website

www.lakesidepb.org

Lakeside's Leadership Board and Pastor Judy emailed Arkansas Conference documents on Monday, June 27th regarding the current landscape of the United Methodist Church in light of the newly forming Global Methodist Church. If you did not receive the email, you may contact the office with your updated email address. If you do not have email or are unable to print the documents to review, you may pick up a packet in the church office.

Bishop Mueller's video can be found at <https://youtu.be/QIWw19CepQ4> For those who do not have email or internet, a video "watch party" will be held at 6:00 pm on July 6th in The Center.

Town Hall meetings to hear your comments and answer questions, whenever possible, will be held in Fellowship Hall on:

Wednesday, July 13th at 6:00 pm

Sunday, July 17th at 2:00 pm

Let us all be in a spirit of prayer as we enter this initial time of discernment.