For the LORD Most High is awesome, the great King over all the earth.

Psalm 47:2

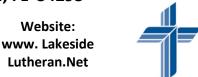
# LAKESIDE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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# WELCOME TO LAKESIDE LUTHERAN CHURCH MAY 9, 2024 - 5:00 PM

**VISITORS** - Thank you for worshiping with us this day and may God bless your time here. We have three types of membership at Lakeside Lutheran Church: Full, Associate and Seasonal. Full Membership consist of those people confirmed in the LCMS faith who live fulltime in the Venice area and consider Lakeside their church home. Associate members are confirmed in the LCMS faith but maintain their membership at their home church. Seasonal members are those who attend and consider Lakeside their church home when they are in the Venice area, but have not been confirmed in an LCMS faith. Feel free to speak to Pastor Dahlke for more information. Once again, welcome in the name of Christ Jesus.

**COMMUNION** - We believe that in, with, and under the bread and wine of The Lord's Supper we receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus, given for the forgiveness of our sins. If that is your belief, you are cordially invited to receive the sacrament. The wine is served in individual cups.

**FINANCE** - If you would like your giving to be recognized at year end, please contact the church office to establish an account.

## AS WE GATHER

## **PRE-SERVICE THOUGHT:**

Worship is our response to the overtures of love from the heart of the Father.

## **PRE-SERVICE PRAYER:**

Thank You, Father, for the gift of the indwelling Holy Spirit of Christ. I pray that You open up the Scriptures to my understanding more and more, so that I come to know You better with each passing day. This I pray in Jesus' name, Amen.

## JOYFUL MISSION MINDSET:

Be ready to share. Identify yourself as a positive, joyful follower of Christ. Share a testimony when the occasion naturally arises. It will! Never force the Good News. Be patient. God is working! Use situations to show why we all need God. Ask questions that lead to spiritual discussions.

### SERVICE - 5:00 PM

#### PRELUDE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS **OPENING HYMN** LSB 493, V. 1-4 "A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing" INVOCATION CONFESSION LSB 493. V. 5-6 HYMN "A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing" ABSOLUTION SALUTATION PRAYER OF THE DAY FIRST READING Acts 1:1-11 SECOND READING Ephesians 1:15-23 GRADUAL ALLELUIA VERSE HOLY GOSPEL Luke 24:44-53 SERMON HYMN LSB 491 "Up through Endless Ranks of Angels" SERMON Rev. Dr. Peter Meier Luke 24:44-53 THE APOSTLES' CREED PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH OFFERTORY (sung) PREFACE PROPER PREFACE SANCTUS (suna) LSB Pg. 161 THE WORDS OF OUR LORD **PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST** THE LORD'S PRAYER PAX DOMINI AGNUS DEI (sung) LSB Pg. 163 DISTRIBUTION HYMNS "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus" LSB 821

*"Hail Thee, Festival Day"* LSB 489 POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING (*sung*) POST-COMMUNION PRAYER BENEDICTION DISMISSAL CLOSING HYMN LSB 492 *"On Christ's Ascension I Now Build"* POSTLUDE

### THIS WEEK AT LAKESIDE

#### THURSDAY, MAY 9

- 1:00 District Church Plant Meeting
- 5:00 Ascension Worship Service

#### FRIDAY, MAY 10

9:30 Bulletin Buddies (*Conf. Room*) SATURDAY, MAY 11

## 8:30 Band of Brothers (*Meyer Hall*)

## SUNDAY. MAY 12

- "HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!"
- 9:00 Worship Service (contemporary)
- 9:45 Choir Rehearsal (*Meyer Hall*)
- 10:30 Worship Service (traditional)
- 10:30 Children's Sunday School (Parlor)

## ATTENDANCE PEW PAD

Please sign the pew pad that is on the bench. If you are visiting for the first time please include your address, phone and email address. We thank you for coming to Lakeside Lutheran Church this evening! Please rip off the attendance sheet and leave it in the church pew.

## **IN OUR PRAYERS**

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#### PRAYER LIST:

Jane Harring, Mark Law, John Bolger, Linda Rayner, Jan Lutz, Katrina Banez, Crystal Schaefer, Walden Swenson, Bob Heckler, Barry Panozzo, Rev. Robert Schipul, Barb Rehmer, Amanda Spracklen, Ed Pence, Rev. Andres Valencia, George Shepard and Linda Glass.

#### THE FIRST READING

In the first book, O Theophilus, I have dealt with all that Jesus began to do and teach, until the day when he was taken up, after he had given commands through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. He presented himself alive to them after his suffering by many proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. And while staying with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, "you heard from me; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now." So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?" He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." And when he had said these things, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. And while they were gazing into heaven as he went, behold, two men stood by them in white robes, and said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

#### SECOND READING

For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

#### HOLY GOSPEL

#### Luke 24:44–53

Ephesians 1:15–23

Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high." And he led them out as far as Bethany, and lifting up his hands he blessed them. While he blessed them, he parted from them and was carried up into heaven. And they worshiped him and returned to Jerusalem with great joy, and were continually in the temple blessing God.



#### Acts 1:1–11