



The Lakeview Beacon

we're so glad you're here!

ROMANS 5:1-8

Salvation through Christ

In Romans 5:1–8, Paul celebrates the incredible gift of being made right with God through faith in Jesus Christ. Because of Christ's work, we no longer stand separated from God by sin; instead, we have peace with Him. This peace is more than the absence of conflict—it is the restoration of a relationship that was broken. Through Jesus, we have access to God's grace and can stand confidently in the hope of His glory. Yet Paul takes this truth even further by addressing the reality of suffering. Rather than seeing hardships as evidence that God has abandoned us, Paul explains that God can use them to shape us. Suffering produces perseverance, perseverance develops character, and character strengthens hope. This hope is not wishful thinking or optimism; it is a confident trust grounded in God's love. The ultimate proof of that love is found in Christ's sacrifice. Paul reminds us that God did not wait for us to become worthy before loving us. While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. This passage reveals a God who meets us in our weakness, offers peace in place of separation, and demonstrates a love so great that it changes everything. It invites us to live with confidence, knowing that our hope rests not in our circumstances, but in the unwavering love of God.

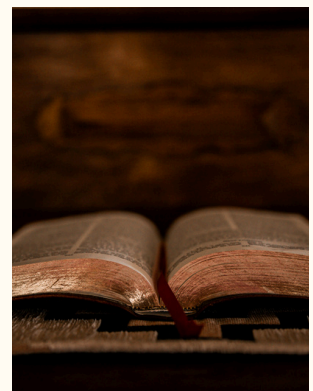


Pastor Brandon
Lead Pastor

The benefits of believing

Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

[Read more here](#)



The 8:00am Service

Order of Worship

- Welcome
- Hymn Sing
- Pastoral Prayer, The Lord's Prayer
- Scripture Reading
- Message
- Holy Communion
- Benediction
- Response



The 9:30am Service - Order of Worship

- Prelude
- Welcome - Call to Worship
- Opening Hymn - *My Hope is Built* - #368
- Prayer Concerns, Silent Prayer
- Prayer Song - *Cares Chorus* - #2215
- Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer
- Special Music - *Juan Hernandez*
- Scripture Reading - *Romans 5:1-8* - *Margo Marque*
- Offering
- Hymn - *And Can It Be* - #363
- Message
- Closing Hymn - *Blessed Assurance* - #369
- Benediction & Response - *The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve* - #2108
- Postlude



We lift up the following in prayer this week;

*Lyle Adams, Cheri Collins, Mary Dianis,
Jerry Dibble, Joyce Hutchins, Sandy Keaney,
Larry Klein, BJ Martin, Fran Schmidt,
Gerry-Ellen Sleeth, Kathy Villa, Kathe Wilson,
Amy Woodward*

SHARE YOUR HEART: SUBMIT A PRAYER REQUEST

We believe in the power of prayer and the comfort it brings. If you or someone you know is in need of support, we invite you to share your prayer request with us. Whether it's for guidance, healing, or thanksgiving, your request will be held in love and lifted up in prayer by our community. You're not alone—let us pray with you and for you.

[Submit your request here](#)

Annual Conference This Week

This week, Lakeview United Methodist Church has the honor of hosting the Annual Conference, a special gathering that brings together clergy and laity from across our region for worship, learning, fellowship, and the important work of the church. **Beginning Wednesday, June 17, and continuing through Sunday, June 21**, our campus will welcome hundreds of guests as we celebrate all that God is doing through the ministries of our churches.

Hosting Annual Conference is an exciting opportunity for Lakeview to extend hospitality and showcase our church community. As a result, the conference will utilize the entire campus throughout the week, and many regularly scheduled activities and meetings have been cancelled or rescheduled to accommodate this significant event.

We invite you to keep the Annual Conference in your prayers as leaders and members gather for worship, discernment, and ministry planning. Thank you for your flexibility and understanding as we share our campus for this important occasion. We look forward to a wonderful week of faith, fellowship, and service together.



AND LET IT BEGIN WITH ME
JEREMIAH 17:14 | PSALM 51:10



WHAT'S HAPPENING

AT LAKEVIEW

THIS WEEK AT LAKEVIEW

MONDAY, JUNE 15

8:00am - *The Lakeview Wrappers - Smoot Hall*

10:00am - *Narcotics Anonymous - Choir Room*

TUESDAY, JUNE 16

9:00am - *Bible Study, The Bible Recap - Conference Room*

10:00am - *Narcotics Anonymous - Choir Room*

1:00pm - *Finance Committee Meeting - Conference Room*

2:00pm - *All Stephen Ministers - Fellowship Hall*

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17

All day - Annual Conference Set Up

10:00am - *Narcotics Anonymous - Choir Room*

12:30pm - *Games - Smoot Hall*

THURSDAY, JUNE 18

All day - Desert Southwest Annual Conference (Day 1/4)

FRIDAY, JUNE 19

All day - Desert Southwest Annual Conference (Day 2/4)

SATURDAY, JUNE 20

All day - Desert Southwest Annual Conference (Day 3/4)

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

All day - Desert Southwest Annual Conference (Day 4/4)

8:00am - *Worship Service - Chapel / Recorded*

10:30am - *Worship Service - Worship Center / Online*

THURSDAY NIGHT TOGETHER TAKES A SHORT BREAK

Due to Lakeview United Methodist Church hosting the Annual Conference this week, there will be no Thursday Night Together (TNT) dinner. With conference activities taking place throughout the campus, we are pausing our weekly gathering for one week.

We look forward to resuming TNT soon and gathering once again for great food, fellowship, and community. Thank you for your understanding as we welcome guests from across the conference to our campus during this special week.



Join Us in Celebrating Pastor Brandon

Sunday June 14, following worship, we invite everyone to join us in Fellowship Hall as we celebrate Pastor Brandon and wish him well as he begins a new chapter in ministry at his new appointment. While we are sad to see him leave, we are grateful for the time he has spent serving our church and community.

This will be a wonderful opportunity to share memories, express our appreciation, and offer our prayers and encouragement as he embarks on this new journey. Please come by, enjoy some fellowship, and help us send Pastor Brandon off with the love and support of his Lakeview church family.



Welcome Pastor Linda

We are pleased to welcome back Pastor Linda to the Lakeview Pulpit on **Sunday, June 28**, as she joins us for worship and brings the morning message. We are grateful for the opportunity to hear from her and look forward to the insight, encouragement, and inspiration she will share with our congregation.

Please make plans to join us in-person or online for this special Sunday and extend a warm Lakeview welcome to Pastor Linda. We hope you will invite family and friends to worship with us as we gather in faith and fellowship.



Welcome Pastor Kristin!

We are excited to welcome Pastor Kristin as she begins her new appointment at Lakeview United Methodist Church on Sunday, **July 5. Pastor Kristin will lead her first worship service with us at 8:00 a.m., marking the beginning of a new chapter in the life of our church.**

Transitions in ministry bring opportunities for growth, fresh perspectives, and new relationships. We invite everyone to join us in worship as we warmly welcome Pastor Kristin and begin this journey together. Be sure to introduce yourself and help make her first Sunday at Lakeview a memorable one filled with hospitality and fellowship.



One Worship Service – A Celebration of Unity

On Sunday, June 21, our regular 9:30 a.m. worship service will be moved to 10:30 a.m. as we join with guests from across the conference for a special worship celebration. We are honored to welcome Pastor Flor Granillo of Iglesia Aliento, who will be bringing the message and leading worship alongside members of her congregation.

This special service will be presented in both English and Spanish and will feature the Iglesia Aliento worship band. Together, we will celebrate the diversity and unity of God's people through worship, music, and fellowship. We encourage everyone to attend this unique and uplifting service as we experience the richness of worshiping together as one body in Christ.



Your Generosity Changes Everything

When you give, you're saying "yes" to God's invitation to be part of something beautiful. Your gift today keeps our ministry strong, our mission moving forward, and our community thriving. Start now and experience the unexpected joy that comes from giving with a full heart.

[Make a donation here](#)

The Lakeview Cookbook

BURGER BOWLS WITH HOUSE SAUCE AND RANCH FRIES

A burger in a bowl! Ranch-seasoned fries topped with a burger patty and all the fixings, with a drizzle of house sauce to take it over the top!

[Get the recipe here](#)

