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INSIDE

The Lakeside Spirit

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*Upper Room Small Group
Discussion at 9:30 AM
Communion at 10:15 am
followed by Bible Study at
10:30 am each Wednesday*

**Our Sunday
Worship Schedule**
Communion will be
served twice a month—
usually the 1st & 3rd
Sunday

8 am Early Adult Sunday School
9 am Worship
10:15 am Children's Sunday
School, Adult Sunday School

WE HAVE A WEBSITE



Lakeside United
Methodist Church

Our website is updated
each week to include
upcoming events and special
pictures you might not see
in the Hear Ye.

lakesideumcfamily.org
CHECK US OUT!

tis the Season

He is Coming! Advent has started and the Christmas Season is upon us! Here at Lakeside we try not to inundate our congregation with requests for giving. We ran our “Thanks 4 Giving” Tree during the month of November as to not be asking for donations during the Christmas season. We have a very generous congregation, because they are so full of love for Christ and their fellow man. So **THANK YOU** for your generosity, and have a blessed Christmas this year!

Our Bishop from the Central Texas Conference (Bishop J. Michael Lowry) sent us a letter this week congratulating us on the completion of paying our yearly apportionments. He wanted us to know that by doing so we are supporting our world-wide Methodist Church and also many local ministries and by doing so have attested to the following:

- * We want to be a significant part of what Christ is doing in our midst.
- * We want to be the hands and feet of Christ and share in the help that people receive when facing a natural disaster—whether it be flooding in Ellis and Tarrant counties, a hurricane that tears up the Eastern coastline, an earthquake in Haiti, or a tsunami in Asia.
- * We will support creative/innovative local church ministries that transform lives for Christ.
- * We want to support establishing “New Faith Communities” and new church starts wherever those new places are needed to reach people for Jesus—within the Central Texas Conference and around the world.
- * We want to support young people in their faith journey by supporting Glen Lake Camp and campus ministries.
- * We want to assist in eliminating killer diseases and poverty that needlessly inflict suffering.
- * We will ensure that children will know “Jesus loves me”.

Our Church Directory is available to you 24/7!

Access is available on your PC and your cel phone. You must have an email address on file with us to get into the directory.

You create your password!

Instantchurchdirectory.com

Call the Church Office for help getting started at 903 915-4754.

Sync Our Church Directory to Your Mobile Device

Now you can sync our church directory directly to your Apple, Android or Kindle Fire device with a FREE app!

Search for other members, and then email, call or text – right from the directory app.

It's Easy!

1. Go to your device's App Store.
2. Search for Instant Church Directory.
3. Enter your email as it's listed in our church directory.
4. Follow the directions on screen to complete the login process.



**Just an item or 2—
Feed the Food Pantry bin
in the Narthex.
THANKS!**



We also have TWO Facebook Pages—find us and LIKE US!



- ◆ **Lakeside UMC:** You can post to this one—tell us what's going on.
- ◆ **Lakeside United Methodist:** You can't post to this one—it's where we post announcements & events



Join Pastor Thomas Q. & Ruth in celebrating the coming season and welcoming Christmas at the Parsonage
Sunday, Dec 2nd
11 am-1:30 pm
14311 Azure Lane
Streetman, TX 75859

A SPECIAL QUILTS OF VALOR PRESENTATION

On Sunday, Nov 18th, we had a very special presentation-A Quilt of Valor for Thomas Q. handmade by Sherri Cappallo.

Quilts of Valor is an organization of quilters that was started in 2003 by the founder Catherine Roberts, a quilter, for her son. She had a message and that was:

Quilts = Healing

Today approximately 200,757 quilts and counting have been made and given away. The mission of Quilts of Valor Foundation is to cover service members and veterans touched by war with a comforting and healing Quilt of Valor.

This project is close to Sherri's heart because her brother served in Viet Nam. Sherri has participated in the project for four years. If you would like more information about this organization or wish to ask for a Quilt of Valor, you can visit their website at www.Qovf.org.

We honor Pastor Thomas Q for his service to his country, and God Bless!



Family Lunch & Show
Plus a Birthday Party for Jesus
Noon to 2 PM--Saturday, Dec 8th

Bring the Whole Family!
Live Actors! Food and Games!
Goodies and Treats!
And a beautiful Christmas Message!



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903 915-4754, church6@gmail.com



Do you need prayer?
We pray for those in need, we pray for those who hurt, we pray for all.
 Contact us at lsumc416@gmail.com

Emma Alewine
 Alice
 Hank & Sue Ander's Son-in-Law
 The Bankston Family
 Billy Bankston
 Terry Bumpass' Friend's Mother
 Ann Burris
 Matt Burroughs
 Judy Byerly
 Central TX District
 Rob Cook
 Bob Cornish
 Kay Cornish & Daughter Sherry
 Carolyn Draper
 Drug Addicts
 Jack Dunham
 The Family of Conrad Engelholm
 Lynette Engelholm
 Our Expansion Workers
 The Family of John Gage
 Cynthia Gage
 Billy Ray Godfrey Sr.
 Maria Grace

The Family of Donna Greely
 Paul & Annette Hanson
 Ethan Avery Hughes
 Merle Hughes
 Lilly Hunter
 Teresa Hyler
 Jacob
 Pam Johnson
 Shirley Keel
 Frank Lewis
 Mary Lois Martin
 Anne Mayes
 Mary Susan Merritt
 Betsy Metcalf
 The Moody Family
 Joyce Moore
 The Family of Betty Perkins
 Christina & Joe Putnam
 Vic Rice
 Safety of Sue & Vic Rice
 Faye Robbins
 Joel Robbins
 Tom Russell
 Steve Schmidt
 Ed Scruggs

Ilene Smith
 Nicole Steffls
 The Stout Family
 Lonnie Strebeck
 Eileen Suggs' Son
 The Family of Jay Suggs
 President Trump
 Pray for the USA
 Victims of the Pittsburg Synagogue Shooting
 Angela Wagly
 Connie Wolf
 Connie Wolf's Daughter Vickie
 Billy Yarbrough
 Bless all Police, Military, Fire fighters & First Responders
 Victims of the Forest Fires

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE IN NOVEMBER
Worship 68
Sunday School 10
Nursery 2



A Christmas Cantata
 Presented by the
 Chancel Choir
 Sunday Dec 16th
 During the 9 am
 Worship Service

FLYING SOLO

The **Flying Solo** group is making plans to celebrate Christmas with a lunch at Joyce Moore's house on **Thursday, December 13th**. If you are "flying solo", don't hesitate to join the group! No pressures, no dates, no expectations are placed on you. The group is there to provide some fun, camaraderie and fellowship. Call Joyce if you would like to attend (that way she knows to have enough). **Call her at 713 503-9504.**



Sunday, Dec 2
COMMUNION
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT—HOPE
 8 am Early Sunday School
 8:15 am Choir Practice
 9 am Worship
 10:15 am Adult & Children's Sunday School
 11 am -1:30 pm Parsonage Christmas Open House
Monday, Dec 3
CLERGY EFFECTIVENESS FORMS DUE
Wednesday, Dec 5
 6 pm Choir Practice
 7 pm Bridge
Saturday, Dec 8
 Noon-2 pm Family Lunch & Show For Christmas
Sunday, Dec 9
SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT-PEACE
 8 am Early Sunday School

8:15 am Choir Practice
 9 am Worship
 10:15 am Adult & Children's Sunday School
Monday, Dec 10
 10 AM CCC Holiday Party at SOVFD
Tuesday, Dec 11
 10 am Food Forum-Christmas Addition
 2 pm Stephen Ministers
Wednesday, Dec 12
 9:30-Noon CTC Meeting
 6 pm Choir Practice
 7 pm Bridge
Thursday, Dec 13
 Christmas Lunch at Joyce Moore's Home
Sunday, Dec 16
THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT-JOY
CHRISTMAS CANTATA
 8 am Early Sunday School
 8:15 am Choir Practice
 9 am Worship
 10:15 am Adult & Children's Sunday School

Tuesday, Dec 18
FOOD PANTRY DAY
Wednesday, Dec 19
 6 pm Choir Practice
 7 pm Bridge
Friday, Dec 21
FIRST DAY OF WINTER
Sunday, Dec 23
FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT-LOVE
COMMUNION
 8 am Early Sunday School
 8:15 am Choir Practice
 9 am Worship
 10:15 am Adult & Children's Sunday School, Choir Practice
Monday, Dec 24
CHRISTMAS EVE
COMMUNION
 6 pm Candlelight Service
Tuesday, Dec 25
CHRISTMAS DAY
Wednesday, Dec 26
 6 pm Choir Practice
 7 pm Bridge
Sunday, Dec 30

8 am Early Sunday School
 8:15 am Choir Practice
 9 am Worship
 10:15 am Adult & Children's Sunday School
 6:15 pm FIFTH SUNDAY SING—An Old Fashioned Sing Along



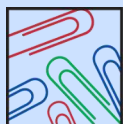
Cathy Kjellisen 1-Dec
Ron Kjellisen 5-Dec
Susan Pokorski 5-Dec
Barbara Bankston 12-Dec
Diane Jones 13-Dec
Ed Fleming 14-Dec

Debbie Ray 16-Dec
Judy Byerly 21-Dec
David Grosshans 24-Dec
Patricia Weathered 24-Dec
Janet Flies 27-Dec

Want to recycle your Christmas Cards?
 The St. Jude's Ranch for Children is accepting used cards. Send in the front of the cards only (no writing on them) to:
 St. Jude's Ranch for Children, 100 St. Jude's Street, Boulder City, NV 89005
 No Hallmark, American Greetings or Disney Cards, please.



Judy & Steve Mobley 10-Dec
Kay & Bob Cornish 11-Dec
Edna & Pat Markham 19-Dec
Debbie & Charles Ray 28-Dec
Janet & Darren Flies 31-Dec



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