



We Strive to Be: A church devoted to making disciples of Jesus Christ, growing together in knowledge and relationship with God and each other.

Today's Events

Last Call for Pictures!
Come see Mandy in the foyer to have your picture taken for our 2023 Communication Directory

There are also forms on the welcome center to update any information.

Upcoming Events

- Feb 22** – Meal: Enchiladas, Green Beans, Potato Salad, Relish Tray, Dessert
- March 1** – Meal: Mexican Stack-Ups, Sopapilla Cheesecake, & Brownies
- March 4** – Men's Breakfast: 8:00 a.m.
- March 15** – Meal: Cold-cut sandwiches, Mac N' Cheese, Veggie Tray, Chocolate & White Sheet Cake
- March 26** – Youth Sunday
- March 29** – 5th Wednesday Outreach
- April 9** – Easter
- June 2-3** – LCCC Beginner Session
- June 11-17** – LCCC Junior Session
- July 9-15** – LCCC Xtreme Week
- July 16-22** – Senior Session

Birthdays:

- 21st Cheryl McNabb
- 22nd Makenna Wright
- 23rd Renny Hartman

Record for 2-12-23

Morning Worship 142
Contribution \$3,803.55
Budget \$6,642.00
Served at Pantry in Feb: .198 People

Order of Worship

Welcome/Announcements/Song Leader	Robb Mills
Pilgrim's Praise	Erik Granberg
#63.....	<i>I Will Call Upon the Lord</i>
#123.....	<i>The Steadfast Love of the Lord</i>
Prayer	Dee Plummer
#332.....	<i>Lead Me to Calvary</i>
#810.....	<i>Listen to Our Hearts</i>
#718.....	<i>We Shall Assemble</i>
Communion Talk	David Granberg
.....	<i>I Raise a Hallelujah</i>
.....	<i>Shout Hallelujah</i>
Sermon: Q&A-Do All Religions Lead to God?	Erik Granberg
.....	<i>Beautiful One</i>
Shepherd's Prayer	Dan Kent
Nursery	Gina Thornton
Sound Booth/Slides	Brynna Brownell; Kira Granberg

Sermon Scripture: John 14:6; 2 Timothy 3:16-17

Sermon Thought:

It's hard to imagine what compels Christians to limit the road to God and make it so narrow. Especially when the God they talk about is supposed to love and care about all people. Why doesn't he just throw open the doors of heaven and let everyone enter?

Sermon Questions:

1. Do you think that in order for one religion to be true, all other religions must be completely false?
2. Briefly share an experience you have had in which someone you know was sincere but sincerely wrong? Does sincerity make them correct?
3. How do the scriptures above address today's topic?

New Prayer Concerns:

Pray for all our members who are recovering from surgery the last few weeks.

Emmy Bohnenblust – Krystal Wright's niece; recovering from a surgery to remove most/all of a tumor on her spinal cord

Next Week's (2/26/23) Servants:

Song Leader

/Welcome: Glenn Walker

Pilgrim's Praise: Erik Granberg

Prayer: Robb Mills

Communion

Talk: Cole Roberts

Shepherd's

Prayer: Pat Meek

Sound Booth/

Slides: Jim Coker

Nursery: Jeanita Meek

Fill Communion: Mandy Coker
For February

Was Baptismal Garments for

February: Cheryl Kent

A Spiritual Journey In the Beginning

Our spiritual journey began in the opening days of creation as *"the Spirit of God was moving over the face of the waters"* (Gen. 1:2). Everything on our spiritual journey has an **"in the beginning"** associated with it. From the moment we are conceived, our life begins to develop and take form just the way God designed it when he created us in his image (Genesis 1:27). **In the beginning of life**, God's hand is involved in making us who we are. The psalmist declares, *"For you did form my inward parts, you knit me together in my mother's womb"* (Psalms 139:13). Each heart beat – each breath – each step – each thought is the divine work of the creator.

"O Lord, you have searched me and known me! You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from afar. You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways. Even before a word is on my tongue, lo, O Lord, you know it altogether. You do beset me behind and before, and lay your hand upon me. Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is high, I cannot attain it" (Psalm 139:1-6).

God has given us all we need to navigate our spiritual journey, and what we become in life all depends on how we respond to what he has done for us **"in the beginning."** He wants the very best for us and has given us the fullness of his love and Spirit to comfort us and guide us, and his Son to provide a way into his eternal glory. My objective this year is to help us understand our spiritual nature and how God moves and works within us. For it is *"In him we live and move and have our being"* (Acts 17:28). It will be an exciting adventure to see how the hand of God transforms us into vessels of honor with each step we take on our spiritual journey. The Spirit of God is still working in our lives.

Gordon Jantz

Mailboxes

You may have noticed several bright colored boxes in the foyer. Church, we need your help in mailing our children notes of encouragement, small gifts, or treats. A list of our kiddos is available on the table with the boxes. Have fun and be creative.

LCCC Summer Camp

Registration is open for this summer's camp sessions at Lariat Creek! Sign up online today for a discounted rate and to make sure your camper gets a spot.

2023 Summer Camp Sessions

Beginner Session June 2nd-3rd

Junior Session June 11th-17th

Oasis June 18th-24th

Xtreme Week July 9th-15th

Senior Session July 16th-22nd

Beginner Session \$15 | All Others \$155

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