LAKEVIEW UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS, EVENTS OPPORTUNITIES AND UPDATES

Inquirers' Class, Sunday, April 2

We will be meeting after the Sunday morning worship services for an 'Inquirer's Class' on April 2. This session is for anyone who would like to know more about Lakeview and the United Church of Christ. We will have lunch, discuss our church's history and vision, and several members of the congregation will share about their experiences at Lakeview. There will also be plenty of time for discussion and questions.

Please contact Pastor Todd or call the church office if you have any questions or if you are interested in attending, so we can make sure we have enough food and information.

New Member Sunday, April 9

On **Sunday, April 9** there will be a time of celebration during the worship service as we **welcome new members** with a time of Covenant and Welcome.

- Handicap-accessible Family Restrooms are located in the Education Wing.
- A nursery is provided for ages infant through 6 in the Education Wing.
- For more information on Lakeview UCC, activities & events, or to read the latest newsletter please go to our website at www.lakeviewucc.com.
- Feel free to contact us with questions Monday Friday, 9 a.m. 3 p.m. at (513) 683-2073.

Lakeview Breakfast at Golden Corral April 1, 7:30 a.m. (Time Change this month only)

Breakfast will be a little earlier this month due to the Work Day scheduled afterwards. All are welcome to join us.

Lakeview Work Day, April 1, 9 a.m.—1 p.m.

The Boy Scouts will be joining with us as we tackle some outside work around the church. If you have rakes, hand pruners, shovels, leaf blowers etc. and can bring them it will be appreciated. If you have a pick-up truck to transport mulch please contact **Steve Friedhoff.** Also looking for members to bring snacks for the crew. Sign-up in the lobby.

Just For Lunch

Thurs., April 13, 12:30 p.m., Dewey's Pizza (11388 Montgomery Road)

Join Lakeview members and friends at this monthly gathering for lunch and conversation. Reservations are strongly encouraged. There is a sign-up sheet outside the church office or call **Katha Kievit** at (513) 319-8337.

Learn Origami—Last Class

Tuesday, Mar. 28, Sanctuary, 7:30 p.m.

March 28 will be the last opportunity to take advantage of one of **Paula Caddo's** talents: Learn Origami to foster creativity, enhance creative problem solving and encourage relaxation. No supplies are necessary but feel free to bring paper that appeals to you.

Lakeview Lunch and Learn—Sunday, April 30 Please plan to stay after worship to enjoy a pitch-in lunch and spend some time discussing the challenges of living our faith as it relates to our justice system. Today we will hear from Dayne Friedhoff, who is a deputy sheriff and Billy Williams, who is a nurse. Both are members of Lakeview and work in our local jails. They will tell us a little about working and walking in faith in these settings and some of the challenges it presents. There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby, so please: sign up, bring a dish to pass, and join us as we 'lunch and learn.'

Volunteers Needed for Interfaith Hospitality Network Hosting:

Where: Resurrection Lutheran Church, 1270 N. Broadway, Lebanon, OH 45036

When: Thurs. 4/20, 5:30 p.m. to about 8:45 p.m. (evening hosts)

Lakeview UCC, along with 35 other local congregations works with IHN to provide meals, temporary shelter, hospitality and support to homeless families from Warren County as they seek to build a better life. Evening hosts will help set up for dinner and help clean up afterward, and interact with the guests and children. They are encouraged to dine with the guests (dinner is provided by another UCC Church). See, call or email **Ellen Abel** if you would like to be a part of this worthwhile mission or if you have never participated before and have questions (ellenabel1016@gmail.com; 513-967-5022. Thanks!

March Missions: One Great Hour of Sharing and Walnut Hills Food Pantry

This month Lakeview joins with seven other denominations to support **One Great Hour of Sharing,** providing disaster relief services across the US and the globe as well as offering assistance for long-term development, refugee resettlement, and vital social services. We will also be sharing our mission giving with the **Walnut Hills Food Pantry**, which provides daily meals to those in need. Our giving will be used to provide breakfast to over 200 hungry people on five occasions this year. Mission giving will be split between these two groups unless otherwise indicated. For more information on all our missions, please see the A.I.M bulletin board in the lobby.



This Week at Lakeview

Today

 10:00 AM
 Sunday Worship

 10:00 AM
 Harmony - FH, Rm 7,8,9

 11:15 PM
 Full Council Mtg - Rm 8/9

Monday, March 27

7:00 AM Alcoholics Anonymous Mtg - FH
6:00 PM Boy Scouts - FH
6:00 PM Worship Team Mtg - Pastor's Office
6:30 PM Cub Scout Mtg - Rm 7
7:00 PM Bells - Sanctuary
8:00 PM Meditation Group - CR

Tuesday, March 28

6:30 PM Cub Scouts - Rm 7, 8, 9 & C.E. Kitchen7:30 PM Learn Origami - Sanctuary8:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous -FH & CR

Wednesday, March 29

10:00 AM	Quilting - Rm 8
12:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting - FH
5:00 PM	Weight Watchers - FH
7:30 PM	Choir - Sanctuary
7:30 PM	Narcotics Anonymous -FH
7:30 PM	NAR-Anon Rm 7

Thursday, March 30

7:30 PM Book Group - Rm 88:15 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting - FH8:00 PM Al-Anon Meeting - Rm 7

Friday, March 31

Saturday, April 1

7:30 AM LUCC Breakfast at Golden Correl9:00 AM Work/Mulch Day—Lakeview8:00 PM NA - Rm 8/9

Coming Events at a Glance

Sun., Apr. 2	Inquirers' Class
Mon., Apr. 3	Meditation Group / Worship Team Mtg
Thurs., Apr. 6	Book Group
Sun., Apr. 9	Palm Sunday/New Member Sunday
Thurs., Apr. 13	Just For Lunch at Dewey's Pizza / Maundy Thursday
Fri., Apr. 14	Good Friday
Sun., Apr. 16	Easter
Sun., Apr. 23	Holy Humor Sunday

Easter Flowers—Last Sunday to Order

Please use the bulletin insert if you wish to place an order for Easter Flowers, due today.

Campbell's Labels for Education Program Ending

We have been collecting these for Crossroads Child and Family Services in Fort Wayne, but the program is ending and the final collection will be sent on May 31st. Only labels marked 'Labels For Education" are eligible-please deposit labels in the designated box in the lobby prior to that date. **Contact Linda Overholt with questions.**

Holy Week Schedule:

Maundy Thursday—April 13, 7:30 p.m.

Join us as we live out Jesus' new commandment of love with a '**Service of Service**.' We will 'worship with our hands and feet' as well as our hearts and our voices as we gather to share our gifts and our talents with others, as well as coming together at the Lord's table for the Feast of Communion. We will be gathering to live out Jesus call to serve by working on several projects to help people in need both in our community and across the nation. Please come and join us as we live out a sermon of love.

Good Friday—April 14, 7:30 p.m.

The story of Jesus' final days, suffering the world's betrayal, denial, and crucifixion--assures us that God's love is stronger than death. Join with us on this journey through the shadows in scripture and music, as we follow Jesus in his suffering and death. Through prayer, music, and contemplation we will seek to prepare our hearts for the promise of Easter.

Easter Sunday—April 16, 10:00 a.m.

Come and join with us as we rejoice and celebrate the promise of the Easter story through prayer, song, and scripture. We will be gathering to lift our hearts and voices as we celebrate God's promise of newness of life and raise our Alleluias! There will be lots of special music and activities for the children (including an egg hunt after the service), and we will also be celebrating communion this Sunday. Please come and gather with us as we pray, sing, and worship together as we proclaim that 'He Is Risen' and fill the world with Alleluias!



In Our Prayers

Lollie Kasulones, Christie Kievit, Maria O'Brien, Prows' family, Judy Rheinfrank, Jerry & Joan Vitek

Birthdays this Week

Ann Tsui, Lisa Cicero, Christine McMillen, Julie Peterson, Carolyn Rohrbach, Leslie Brinkman

Worship Volunteers Needed for April 2 Ushers (2), Nursery Help

Please sign up in the Lobby or email the church office at lakeviewucc@fuse.net



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