

## Calendar for the week of March 1, 2026

Be sure to check out the full event calendar at [www.lakewoodlcp.com/events](http://www.lakewoodlcp.com/events)

**Greeters: Ollee M., John M., Logan B. & Chaya K.**

**Usher: Carla Pelster**

<b>Monday, March 2</b>	11:15 am   Toddler Play Time	12:30 pm   Brockhoff Small Group
<b>Tuesday, March 3</b>	1:00 pm   Dorcas Circle	1:30 pm   Small Group Leadership
<b>Wednesday, March 4</b>	10:30 am   PW Spring Tea	12:00 pm   First Wednesday Packing
	1:00 pm   Adult Bible Study	3:00 pm   Personnel Committee
	6:00 pm   Student Ministries	6:00 pm   Epperson Small Group
<b>Thursday, March 5</b>	10:00 am   Teevin & Rich Small Group	1:30 pm   Boomer & Builder Leadership
	5:30 pm   Dance	6:00 pm   Sloan/Buell Small Group
	6:15 pm   Prairie Bells	6:30 pm   Eng Small Group
	6:30 pm   Huber/Kim Small Group	
<b>Friday, March 6</b>	<i>Office Closed- No Events Scheduled</i>	
<b>Saturday, March 7</b>	<i>No Events Scheduled</i>	
<b>Sunday, March 8- Daylight Saving Time Begins</b>	9:00 am   Choir Practice	9:30 am   Prayer with Pastors
	10:00 am   Fellowship Hour	11:00 am   Family Worship Service
	12:30 pm   Deacons	

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

On March 8th, we will continue the series on the book of Micah entitled "*What Does the LORD Require of Us*". Pastor will be preaching on Micah 7:1-7

#### FAMILY LUNCH TODAY

Join us after service in Prairie Hall for a lunch provided by the Session. This is a wonderful time of fellowship with your church family!

#### NEW MISSION AND OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY

Our Mission & Outreach Team is excited to announce a new partnership with Park Lodge Elementary! Be sure to check the insert in your bulletin for more information on how you can get involved and support this new ministry opportunity.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

- For **Jo Marie Menees**'s daughter-in-law **Angela**, who has a recently discovered mass in her stomach. Please pray for wisdom and guidance for the medical team as she faces this situation.
  - For **Shelly Shellaberger**, who is home recovering from a mild stroke.
  - For **Olivia Fowler**, who is recovering from eye surgery.
  - For **Rob Roy Wilson**, who had his cancer return and will be undergoing treatment soon.
- Continued prayers for those needing overall health, healing, and peace:
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kathy, grandmother of Emery</li> <li>• Lori Ward and Family</li> <li>• Leland Loney (Lori Ward's Father)</li> <li>• Skip and Gayle Smith and Family</li> <li>• Fred Smart (Coke Smart)</li> <li>• Colleen Smart</li> <li>• Jerry Williams</li> <li>• Martha Kelcy</li> <li>• Rosemary Kennedy</li> <li>• Bill &amp; Jan Edwards</li> <li>• Joan Jackson</li> <li>• Jim &amp; Alyce Olsen</li> <li>• Trisha Crane</li> <li>• Larry (Jennifer Stafford)</li> <li>• Steve Walker (Cuppy Walker)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Curtis &amp; Joe Johnson (Bill Emma's Family)</li> <li>• Marlene Graves</li> <li>• Doris Johnson</li> <li>• Jim &amp; Laura Pledger</li> <li>• Bernice Yoder</li> <li>• Joseph, Jo Marie Menees' son</li> <li>• Diane Aguirre</li> <li>• Elaine Tierney</li> <li>• Bridget Upton</li> <li>• Esther Park (Helen Kim)</li> <li>• Mike Noreen</li> <li>• Ruthie Faris</li> <li>• Bill Price</li> <li>• Frances Hilliard</li> <li>• Ed and Pam Konsmo</li> <li>• Cathy McAllister</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Johanna Henry</li> <li>• June Fields</li> <li>• Rudy and Phyllis Horst</li> <li>• Cathy Norberg and family</li> <li>• Rose Becker</li> <li>• Darleen Coon</li> <li>• Bill Emma</li> <li>• Sandy Noreen</li> <li>• Jim and Candy Kenoyer</li> <li>• Rex Swartz</li> <li>• JoEthel Smith</li> <li>• Zilpha McCarty</li> <li>• Benedict and family</li> <li>• Deanna Price</li> <li>• Barbara Riggs</li> <li>• Bev Conover</li> <li>• Steve George</li> <li>• Gordon Neu</li> <li>• Heather and Taylor (Lee and Terry Hudson)</li> <li>• Carmen Sterba-Russell</li> </ul> |
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We pray for our church and community, as we observe this season of Lent. We pray for those who are seeking employment and are in need of stable housing. We lift up the victims of gun violence and pray for peace in Ukraine, Sudan, Israel, and Palestine. We ask for strength and encouragement for our church music ministries, caregivers, first responders, and those who are homebound. We pray for our student ministries to thrive, reaching and equipping the next generation. May our weekend service continue to strengthen and inspire our congregation, expanding God's impact in our community. We also give thanks for our small groups, where we pray that participants will build meaningful relationships, deepen their faith, and grow together in Christ.

**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME STARTS MARCH 8**

Next Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, Daylight Saving Time begins. Don't forget to turn your clocks forward!

**COFFEE HOUR THANK YOU**

Thank you for your generosity! The freezer is well-stocked with treats for coffee hour for now. Please stop over in Prairie Hall before service and enjoy a treat and fellowship with a friend or use the time to make some new friends.

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN SPRING TEA & BRUNCH**

Join us on **Wednesday, March 4th at 10:30 AM**. Enjoy fellowship over coffee, tea, and a light brunch served by Dorcas Circle. A Lakewood Police Department representative will speak on personal safety. The mission focus will be on Path From Poverty and Tacoma Rescue Mission Women's Shelter. We'll also vote on new officers and present the 2026 budget. All women are welcome—invite a friend!

**MARCH SENIOR DINNER**

The next Senior Dinner will be on **Wednesday, March 18 at 5:00 pm** in Prairie Hall. Feel free to invite friends! Please RSVP no later than Sunday, March 15. You may call the church office, sign up in the Narthex or call Terry at 253-448-9623.

**BOOMER OUT TO DINNER EVENT MARCH 21!**

The Boomers are planning to go to McMenamins Elks Temple in Tacoma at 5:30 on March 21. Reservations are required no later than March 7 to: [terryhudson72@gmail.com](mailto:terryhudson72@gmail.com) or call Terry at 253-448-9623. Parking is on the street only-- carpooling recommended! If you can drive and take others or if you need a ride, please let Terry know.

**HUNGER WALK UPDATE**

While we do not have an official Little Church Team this year, we still have friends here at Little Church who are participating in the Hunger Walk to benefit the Emergency Food Network under the team name "Walk for EFN with Gayle". EFN supplies food to 75 food banks including Nourish and Tacoma Rescue Mission in Pierce County. They also send thousands of bags of food home for Spring and Winter Breaks with school children who get free breakfast and lunch during the school year so they will have food over the break. Here is our team link if you would like to help: <https://runsignup.com/walkforefnwithgayle-hungerwalk2026>



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Gathering Music  
Greetings and News of the Church Alive

**Musical Offering:**  
**Prairie Bells**  
*Beautiful Savior*

Children’s Sermon - Mary Mannering

**\*“Doxology”**  
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;*  
*Praise Him, all creatures here below;*  
*Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;*  
**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. No. 625**

*\* Call to Worship (Psalm 51)*

Leader: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love;

**People:** According to your great compassion blot out my transgressions.

Leader: Wish away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin..

**People: For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.**

Leader: Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight,

**People: So that you are proved right when you speak and justified when you judge.**

Leader: Surely I have been a sinner from birth,

**People sinful from the time my mother conceived me.**

Leader: Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean;

**People: Wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.**

Leader: Create in me a pure heart, O God,

**People: And renew a steadfast spirit within me.**

**\*Hymn of Praise (Praise Team)**  
*Christ Be All Around Me*

*\*Prayer of Confession (Please remain standing)*

**Merciful God, You have told us what is good: to do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with you. We confess that we have failed. You have delivered us, redeemed us, and shown us faithful love — yet we have responded with indifference. We have pursued our own comfort while ignoring the cries of the oppressed. We have offered you**

**worship while withholding mercy from our neighbors. We have walked in pride rather than in step with you.**

**Forgive us for believing that our rituals could substitute for faithful living. Forgive the distance between our words and our ways. By your Spirit, reshape us. Hear now our silent prayers of confession...**

*Assurance of Pardon:*

Leader: Hear and believe the good news: by the blood of our Lord Jesus Christ shed for us on Calvary, our sins are indeed forgiven!

**People: Amen!**

***Passing of the Peace (Greet Your Neighbor)***

**\*Response “Gloria Patri,” No. 623**  
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*Judgement – Blessings: Random or Predictable*

**Communion**

**Offering and Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

*Our Father, who art in heaven,  
Hallowed be Thy name.*

*Thy kingdom come,*

*Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day our daily bread,*

*And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.*

*And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil;*

*For Thine is the kingdom,*

*And the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.*

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**\*Benediction**

Postlude

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