

Calendar for the week of November 2, 2025

Be sure to check out the full event calendar at www.lakewoodgrace.com/events

Monday, November 3	11:15 am Toddler Play Time 7:00 pm Ward Small Group
Tuesday, November 4	1:00 pm Dorcas Circle 1:30 pm Small Group Leadership Meeting 6:00 pm Huber Small Group 6:00 pm Sloan Small Group
Wednesday, November 5	9:30 am Sexton Small Group 10:00 am First Wednesday Packing 1:00 pm Choir 1:00 pm Romans Bible Study 2:15 pm Prayer with Pastors 6:00 pm Student Ministries 6:30 pm Book club for Parents & Grandparents
Thursday, November 6	10:00 am Teevin & Rich Small Group 1:30 pm Boomer & Builder Leadership Meeting 6:00 pm Macpherson Small Group 6:00 pm Edwards Small Group 6:15 pm Prairie Bells
Friday, November 7	Office Closed
Saturday, November 8	8:00 am Day of Prayer
Sunday, November 9	9:00 am Traditional Worship 10:00 am Fellowship Prairie Hall 10:20 am Capital Campaign Bible Study 11:00 am Lakewoodgrace Contemporary Worship 12:15 pm Deacons

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT WEEK’S SCRIPTURE

On November 9th we will continue the series on 1 & 2 Timothy-*Staying the Course*.
Pastor will preach from 2 Timothy 1:1-18.

DAY OF PRAYER

Join us for a Day of Prayer on **Friday, November 8**, from **8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** Spend an hour in prayer as we lift up our church, community, and world. To participate, please sign up online or use the sheet in your bulletin to sign up in one-hour increments. Please contact the church office or Pastor Bill Ward with any questions.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- For **Diane Aguirre**, who is recovering from a skin cancer removal surgery.
- For **Rena Moon’s** daughter, **Jessica Upton**, who is having surgery on her hands. Prayers for a smooth and complete recovery.
- For **Shelly Shellabarger**, his heart valve replacement is having to be rescheduled. Please pray for his health as he waits, as well as a smooth procedure in the future.
- For **Lori Ward’s** parents, **Leland & Deloras Loney**. Prayers as they both start cancer treatments.
- For **Bill Emma’s** sister, **Missy Johnson**, who has cancer. Prayers also for her husband and caregiver, **Curtis**.

Continued prayers for those needing overall health, healing, and peace:

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| • Rex Swartz | • Jack Wilcox | • Colleen Smart |
| • Skip Smith | • Phyllis & Rudy Horst | • JoEthel Smith |
| • Mary (Bob and Candy Tingstad) | • Elaine Tierney | • Zilpha McCarty |
| • Jim Kenoyer | • Bridget Upton | • Benedict and family |
| • Fred Smart (Coke Smart) | • Esther Park (Helen Kim) | • Deanna Price |
| • Colleen Smart | • Cindy Nelson’s brother, Richard Rogers | • Barbara Riggs |
| • Jerry Williams | • Lisa Semon | • Bev Conover |
| • Martha Kelley | • Mike Noreen | • Steve George |
| • Rosemary Kennedy | • Ruthie Faris | • Inge Conner |
| • Bill & Jan Edwards | • Bill Price | • Gordon Neu |
| • Joan Jackson | • Frances Hilliard | • Heather & Taylor (Lee and Terry Hudson) |
| • Jim & Alyce Olsen | • Ed and Pam | • Carmen Sterba-Russell |
| • Jim & Laura Pledger | • Konsmo | • Steve Walker (Cuppy Walker) |
| • Trisha Crane | • Cathy McAllister | • Cindy Nelson |
| • Larry (Jennifer Stafford) | • Mason Thompson (Cindy Nelson) | • Mavery (Don and Rose Becker’s Great Granddaughter) |
| • Duncan & Hilary (Carolyn Lee) | • Johanna Henry | |

We pray for all members of our church community that are feeling lonely, be with them and help us know how to serve them better. We pray for protection over the bodies, hearts and minds of our students of all ages and our educators. We pray for the preschoolers who are attending this year at LCOP Preschool, as well as their parents and teachers. 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 services 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.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN BIBLE STUDY

We are offering one more chance to attend our Capital Campaign Bible Study on **Sunday, November 9th** between services from 10:20-10:50 am. Please join us if you have not yet attended one on a Sunday or in your small groups. Refreshments will be provided.

WEDNESDAYS AT LCOP

Join us Wednesday afternoons! We start the afternoon with the **Romans Bible Study at 1pm** and continue with a time of **Prayer and Praise at 2:15**. Join us for one or both! You are welcome to start anytime!

OUR MUSIC MINISTRIES NEED YOU!

Do you love music? All of our music ministries are looking for people just like you! Join the Choir on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. or come to Prairie Bells on Thursdays at 6:15 p.m.—no experience needed!

We also welcome instrumentalists and vocalists for the Worship Team on Sunday mornings. Please contact Molly Crane for more information.

Come share your gifts and be part of leading our congregation in joyful praise!

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Middle school youth group meets every **Wednesday from 6:00–7:30 p.m.** at church for fun, fellowship, and growing in faith. Led by Co-Directors Sasha Hueston and Kaitlin Kim. Don't forget to bring a friend!

DON'T FORGET THE LITTLE FREE PANTRIES

As you grocery shop for the week, don't forget about the Little Free Pantry donation boxes we have in the narthex. These pantries are kiosks filled with food for those in need and are located in neighborhoods throughout Lakewood.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Don't forget to finish your shoeboxes! Please bring them to the church, completed or partially filled, so we can share the joy of Christmas with children in need. Collection Week is the week of November 17th.

THANK YOU FROM ELAINE TIERNEY

To my wonderful church family, I want to thank you for all your prayers and concerns. To the lovely ladies that provided us with meals that were so deeply appreciated and delicious, Thank you. It's been a very long & difficult struggle to recovery. God Bless you all!

Sincerely, Elaine Tierney



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Lakewoodgrace Contemporary Worship
November 2, 2025
Welcome Home! You are in the right place.

Worship Song: Battle Belongs

** Call to Worship (Adapted from Psalm 16)*

Leader: Keep me safe, O God, for in you I take refuge.

People: I said to the LORD, "You are my LORD; apart from you I have no good thing."

Leader: As for the saints who are in the land,
they are the glorious ones in whom is all my delight.

People: The sorrows of those will increase who run after other gods.

Leader: LORD, you have assigned me my portion and my cup;
you have made my lot secure.

**People: The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;
surely I have a delightful inheritance.**

Leader: I will praise the LORD, who counsels me;

People: Even at night my heart instructs me,

Leader: I have set the LORD always before me.

People: Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken.

Worship Song: Come Thou Fount

Children Welcomed to Children's Ministry

**Prayer of Confession (Please remain standing)*

People: God, we confess our participation in the hatred and evil that consumes our planet. We gladly accept the power and advantages that come our way. We seldom consider the cost to others of our prosperity. We tolerate poverty, hunger, and homelessness. Wash away, O God, the evil that paralyzes us, that we may join you in rescuing the oppressed and seeking justice for all your children. Create in us a right spirit that prompts us to live by faith and dare great things for you. Hear now our silent prayers of confession...

Assurance of Pardon:

Leader: Friends, 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.

Scripture | 1 Timothy 6:3-21

The Message | Pastor James Kim

Final Words

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.

Worship Song: New Wine