LAKEVIEW UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS, EVENTS OPPORTUNITIES AND UPDATES

Hanging of the Greens Sunday, November 25



Please plan to join with us on Sunday, November 25 after the service as we decorate the church for the Christmas season! All ages are welcome!

Link Articles are due on Mon., Nov. 19

Because this is such a busy time of year for everyone, our goal is to have the December newsletter out by Thanksgiving. Please make sure to have your articles in by Monday!

It's That Time of the Year!

There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby for volunteers for snow removal for a week at a time for this winter. Sign up early for first picks! There is a snow blower to make this job easier.

- 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, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. 3 p.m. at (513) 683-2073.

Worship Volunteers Needed

Please take some time today to sign up as a greeter, scripture reader, usher or to prepare communion for a Sunday of your choosing. Each position is an opportunity to serve. Any questions please see **Nicole Bucalo**.

New Meeting Time for Quilting Group

Wednesdays at 3 p.m.—No meeting on Nov. 21! The Quilters will now meet on Wednesday afternoons beginning at 3 p.m. They finish new quilt tops and also restore well worn quilts. New members are always welcome.

The Month's Mission Offering Christmas Projects

Money collected in November will go to Washington UCC for their Gifts to the Manger holiday ministry and their operational needs. We will have a sign-up for those who wish to provide gifts for elderly people referred to us by Meals on Wheels, residents of the Hope Homes (now REM) group home next door to Lakeview, and young people served by Lighthouse Youth Services. Please contact **Ellen Abel** (ellnabel1016@gmail.com, 513-967-5022) if you are interested in sponsoring someone, or sign-up in the lobby. Your generosity is greatly

Items needed for Kings Food Pantry

Canned foods and boxed foods (potatoes, stuffing & rice mixes, mac & cheese, hamburger helpers, etc.) canned fruits and vegetables.

Please place donations in the barrels below the A.I.M. bulletin board in the lobby.

Volunteers Needed for Interfaith Hospitality Network Hosting:

Where: Resurrection Lutheran Church, Lebanon
When: Thurs., Dec. 13 (2 evening hosts only)
Where: St. Pat's Episcopal Church, Lebanon
When: Mon., Dec. 31 (Meal preparation volunteers and 2 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.

At Resurrection on 12/13, two volunteers are needed to serve as evening hosts from 5:30 p.m. until about 8:30 p.m. Duties include helping to set up and clean up from a dinner provided by another church, and spending time with the families. **This will be our last hosting opportunity at Resurrection.**

At St. Pat's, volunteers are needed to assist in preparing a meal, and two volunteers are needed to host the guests during the evening hours. Hours and duties are the same as at Resurrection. That evening is, of course, New Year's Eve, so any help we can offer St. Pat's will be much appreciated! 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 (<u>ellenabel1016@gmail.com</u>; 513-967-5022). Thanks!

Just For Lunch

Thurs., December 13, 12:30 p.m., The Golden Lamb (Lebanon, Oh) ****SIGN-UP BEFORE NOV. 8****

Join Lakeview members and friends at this monthly gathering for lunch and conversation. Reservations have been made for 12. If you did not get signed up and are interested in attending please contact **Katha Kievit** to be placed on a waiting list at (513) 319-8337. Carpooling is recommended.



This Week at Lakeview

Today

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

Monday, November 19

7:00 AM Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting - FH 10:00 AM LINK Articles Due

- 6:00 PM Boy Scouts FH
- 6:30 PM Cub Scouts Rm 7

Tuesday, November 20

6:00 PM Pack Meeting - Sanctuary
6:30 PM Cub Scouts - Rm 7,8, 9 & C.E. Kitchen
8:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting - FH & CR

Wednesday, November 21

12:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting - FH & CR
5:00 PM Weight Watchers - FH
6:30 PM NAR Anon Step - Rm 7
7:30 PM Choir - Sanctuary
7:30 PM Narcotics Anonymous Meeting - Rm 8/9
7:30 PM NAR-Anon Meeting - Rm 7

Thursday, November 22—Office Closed

8:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting - FH8:00 PM Al-Anon Meeting - Rm 7

Friday, November 23—Office Closed

Saturday, November 24

8:00 AM Queen City Kitchen8:30 AM Alcoholics Anonymous - Rm 8/98:00 PM NA - Rm 8/9

Coming Events at a Glance

Sun., Nov. 25Hanging of the GreensMon., Nov. 26Meditation GroupSat., Dec. 1Lakeview Breakfast - Golden CorralSun., Dec. 2First Sunday of AdventThurs., Dec. 13IHN-Resurrection Lutheran Church, Leb.



Name tags: Please be sure to wear your name tag today. It will be very helpful to our guests visiting today. Call the church office to get a name tag or replace a lost one.

Thanksgiving Beatitudes

- Be thankful that you don't already have everything you desire. If you did, what would there be to look forward to?
- Be thankful when you don't know something, for it gives you the opportunity to learn.
- Be thankful for the difficult times. During those times you grow.
- Be thankful for your limitations, because they give you opportunities for improvement.
- Be thankful for each new challenge, because it will build your strength and character.
- Be thankful for your mistakes. They will teach you valuable lessons.
- Be thankful when you're tired and weary, because it means you've made a difference.
 ~Author unknown





In Our Prayers

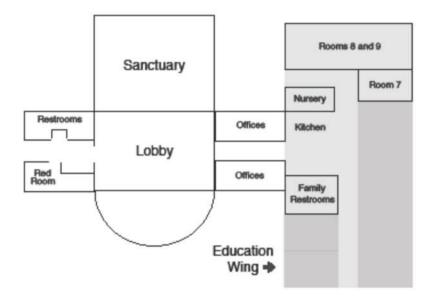
Linda Crawford, Jason Daily, Pat Heimbrook, George & Marie Hupert, Kronenberger family, Denise MacFarland, Nancy & Ron Miller, Prows' family, Jerry & Joan Vitek

Birthdays this Week

Noah Daily (19); Cecilia Kronenberger (21); Karen Cromack (22)

Worship Volunteers Needed for Nov. 25 Greeter, Ushers

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



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