

# The "LAKEVIEWER"

LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

Reformed Church in America

September, 2020

*Newsletter of*  
**Lakeview Community Church**  
Reformed Church in America



**30 Long Pond Road  
Rochester, NY 14612**

**Rev. Steven Rodriguez, Pastor**

**Sunday Mornings...**

**September 6 (outside worship)**

**Worship Service at 10:00 AM**

*On-Line Coffee Hour at 11:15 AM*

**No Nursery, No Choir,**

*(Because of Social Distancing Rules)*

**September 13, RALLY DAY**

**No Sunday School**

**Worship Service at 10 AM (in Sanctuary)**

*On-Line Coffee Hour at 11:15 AM*

**September 20 & 27 (in Sanctuary)**

**No Sunday School**

**Worship Services at 10:00 AM)**

*On-Line Coffee Hour at 11:15 AM*

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**Deadline for October Newsletter: Sept. 20**

Dear Lakeview Family,

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope." (Romans 15:13, ESV) It's been a crazy year, but God continues to be faithful. God's Spirit will not abandon God's Church, and no matter what happens, Jesus Christ will always be Lord! Because Christ is risen, we can take up our crosses and love without fear.

It has brought so much joy to my heart for us to gather back together in worship these past weeks. And it brings me more joy to share with you this news: The Reopening Task Force met on Monday, August 17, and made a recommendation to the Consistory, which the Consistory approved:

- On September 13, we will resume regular indoor worship, with masks, social distancing, and reduced singing. We will continue live-streaming for anyone who is not comfortable attending in person.
- Nursery, in-person Coffee Hour, and Sunday school will continue to be postponed until a later date.
- We will still have an online coffee hour, at 11:15 AM. Everyone is welcome to attend, even if you came to in-person worship.
- If the regulations in New York State change because of a regional outbreak of COVID-19 and we need to suspend in-person worship again, we will return to at-home liturgies with pre-recorded sermons and music until we are able to gather again.

I share the joy that many of you have expressed about being together again in the sanctuary! I also know that this is a lot to take in and that change is painful and hard. It's okay to be confused, frustrated, and scared. I also know that God's got this. I pray that God will send much joy through these trials and sustain us every day with the daily bread of the Word.

I am sure many of you have further questions, ideas, or feedback, and we welcome it all. Please feel free to contact me or any member of Consistory or the Reopening Task Force.

The peace of Christ be with each one of you!

Pastor Steven

**Consistory Meeting is scheduled for  
Tuesday, September 15, 7:00 PM  
Fellowship Hall**

### **ON-LINE WORSHIP SERVICE**

Lakeview's Sunday worship service is available on its Website: [LakeviewCommunityChurch.Net](http://LakeviewCommunityChurch.Net)

*Outdoor Worship Service scheduled for Sept. 6*



### **WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY**

Our Bible Study Group is taking a break from meeting until Wednesday, September 16. On that date the Study Group will meet in the Founders' Room of church at 7:00 PM. See you there!



### **ON-LINE SUNDAY COFFEE HOUR**

We will continue to meet on the **digital platform, Zoom**, for Sunday Coffee Hours at **11:15 AM** (following the in-church worship service) on **September 13**. Everyone is welcome, even if you attended the in-person worship. You can join the Coffee Hour by clicking on this link: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/595232886>.



### **CHOIR**



**Organist & Keyboardist:**  
**Lynnann Rivas**

Choir rehearsals have been canceled until fall because of the Coronavirus Pandemic.



### **PRAISE BANDS**



**Praise Band & Rejoice!**  
**Leader: Kevin Griffith**

Praise Band and *Rejoice!* rehearsals are canceled until further notice due to the Pandemic.



## **BUILDINGS & GROUNDS COMMITTEE UPDATE**

The Buildings & Grounds Committee will have a meeting in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, September 17, 2020, at 7:00 PM to discuss must-have tasks to be completed before year's end. All that are interested should attend, if able.

*Jim Raymond*



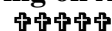
### **FINANCE COMMITTEE UPDATE**

*Did You Know...* The Finance Committee would like to thank *Lynn Allhusen* for her dedication and service to Lakeview as Treasurer. Thanks, *Lynn!*



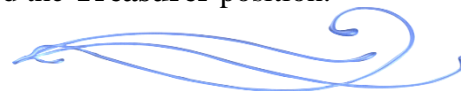
### **CONGREGATIONAL GIVING**

**Congregational Giving on July 26 was \$2,030.**  
**Congregational Giving on August 2 was \$1,860.**  
**Congregational Giving on August 9 was \$2,712.**  
**Congregational Giving on August 16 was \$1,245.**  
**Congregational Giving on August 23 was \$1,815.**



Thank you to *Dagmar Doland* who has accepted the position of **Financial Co-Secretary** Responsibilities include recording and depositing weekly offerings, as well as attending monthly meetings.

Thank you to *Celeste Pawlicki* who has accepted the **Treasurer** position.



## MISSION SHARE OUTREACH CENTER

Mission Share is not receiving clothing donations at this time. However, Mission Share is still looking for donations of boxed cereal. **Rob McCulloch** will continue to collect your donations of boxed cereal and deliver them to Mission Share each week.

Thank you, Colleen Dox-Griffith  
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It looks like Lakeview has done it again! As of this writing we are on track to meet and, hopefully, exceed our August Challenge goal of donating \$2,000 to the Greece Ecumenical Food Shelf. Thanks to all of you, your friends, neighbors, and coworkers, we will be able to offer significant help in restocking the depleted shelves at the Maiden Lane site.

Covid 19 has led to early school closings, and lack of subsidized meals and many job losses have greatly increased the number of clients for the GEFS. This 2020 Monetary August Challenge could be our most critically needed challenge ever. We hope that "August Challenge 2021" will find things more back to "normal." Until then, know that your contributions to our monetary challenge have made a positive impact during this crazy pandemic. Thank you all for your generosity and dedication to helping to feed our neighbors in need during these unusual times.

September brings us back into the church building and back to our regular monthly focus items that are chosen by the GEFS. This month they are in need of hash, stew and any canned fruits. Please think of others when you shop this month and check out our new baskets in the Narthex as you drop off your donations.

Congratulations, Lakeview, on another "August Challenge" met!!! Great work.

*(Remember, volunteers will be at the church on Saturday, August 29, 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, for drive-up donations. Please spread the word.)*

Joan Marvin & Linda Viney  
Lakeview's GEFS Reps



of  
Lakeview

Since the Lakeview Ladies have not been able to meet since February, we will try to meet on Tuesday, September 15 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon in the Founders Room. We will be learning about Elizabeth, A Woman of Strong Character. All women are encouraged to attend to study the women of the Bible and for fellowship with the women of the Church. Of course, we will be following the Covid-19 protocol, so wear your mask.

Faye Cole

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### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

#### **\*\*PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED for:**

*Rex Ahrens, Don Barry, Bill Burns, Stacy Dorland, Ken Gill, Mary Hart, Wayne Hibbard, Frank Imo, Rich Ives, Kathi Kehrli, Pat Palumbo, Jan Mahon, Bob & Linda Perrotte, Amy Piccarreto, Sophie Purdy, Patty Salone, Eleanor Thornton, Gail Wang, Matt Wolf, and Lois Worboys.*

#### **\*\*CONDOLENCES ARE EXTENDED to:**

*The family of Wilbert Burns, long-time member of Lakeview, who passed away on August 12 at the age of 100.*

#### **\*\*Articles for the October "Lakeviewer"**

*will be due on Sunday, September 20.*

#### **\*\*SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULES**

Please notify the Church Secretary if you are not able to serve in the Nursery, or as a Greeter, Sound System Operator, Prayer Leader, or Worship Assistant.

**\*\*"Our Daily Bread" (large print) Devotionals** for the months of October/November/December are available on the communication center table in the Fellowship Hall.

**\*\*Call from a Lakeview Member** – Received a call from **Jan Mahon** on Friday, August 28. Jan has been a member of Lakeview since November, 1969, and wanted to send a warm "hello" to all her friends at Lakeview. She lives in Williamson, NY, now but has many fond memories of Lakeview.

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**American Red Cross**

*Together, we can save a life*

**Do Your Part! Lakeview Community Church will be hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive on Saturday, September 12, 2020 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM.**

Please schedule your donation today. If you can't donate, please encourage others. All Safety precautions will be observed: Masks, enhanced sanitizing, etc., and Covid antibody tests will be done on each donation collected. The Red Cross will supply appropriate snacks for the Canteen. Contact me with any questions, or to make your appointment. Thank you for helping in this important endeavor.

Becky Hibbard  
Email: rebelhib@yahoo.com



**BOY SCOUT TROOP 18**

Scoutmaster: Stacey Cudzilo  
Scout Committee Chairperson: Darin Noel

Regular meetings resume on Monday, August 31. Meetings will be held in the Fellowship Hall of Lakeview at 6:00 PM each Monday. (There will be no Scout meeting on Labor Day, September 7.)

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**BIRTHDAYS for SEPTEMBER!!!**

September 02 – Sherry Romanczyk
September 05 – Jonathon Miller
September 16 – Ellie Hettel
September 23 – Sabrina Hart
September 28 – Steven Hibbard
September 29 – Terry Quetschenbach

*If you have a birthday that does not appear on our monthly birthday list, please send your birthdate to [lakeviewchurch3@gmail.com](mailto:lakeviewchurch3@gmail.com).*

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR SEPTEMBER**

- Sept. 06** – Last Outdoor Service at 10:00 AM  
Preaching: Rev. Chris Fluit
- Sept. 08** – Edgemere Beach Condo Assn. Board Meeting at 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Sept. 10** – Grandview Heights Assn. Meeting at 7:00 PM, Founders' Room
- Sept. 12** – American Red Cross Blood Drive at Lakeview, 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Sept. 13** – **RALLY DAY** Worship Service at 10:00 AM in Sanctuary
- Sept. 15** – Lakeview Ladies' Group Meeting at 10:00 AM, Founders' Room  
Consistory Meeting at 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Sept. 16** – Wednesday Bible Study at 7:00 PM, Founders' Room
- Sept. 19** – Schuth Wedding Shower, Fellowship Hall
- Sept. 21** – Finance Committee Meeting at 7:00 PM, Founders' Room

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Remember, you can now support Lakeview Community Church when using the Amazon shopping app on iOS and Android mobile phones!

If you do not have the latest version of the Amazon shopping app, you may have to update your app.

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## **Outdoor Worship Service on September 6 at 10:00 AM**

*(Worship service will be livestreamed from inside if outside worship is canceled due to rain, and is available for everyone to view from home.)*

## **Inside Worship begins on RALLY DAY, September 13, at 10:00 AM**

*(No Sunday School Classes because of Pandemic)*

**On-line Coffee Hour follows worship services at 11:15 AM**