

Lakeview United Affirming Statement

You deserve to be welcomed here.

We strive to ensure there are no barriers to inclusion within the Lakeview community: all races, ethnicities, genders, orientations, gender identities, abilities, ages, and people of all socioeconomic status, are welcome.

It is imperative that we recognize the value of diversity and are committed to embracing each individual with joy, compassion and love.

At Lakeview we believe that our community, the ministries which they undertake and the assets which it owns are to be used by all to promote equality and love. Lakeview is committed to seeking out all races, ethnicities, genders, orientations, gender identities, abilities, ages, and people of all socioeconomic status to serve in all levels of governance, committees. Your voice is important and welcomed.

This is our pledge, that we will do our best to welcome you here.

Treaty 4 Territory

We are privileged to gather today in Treaty 4 Territory which is the traditional territory of the Cree peoples and the homeland of the Métis people.

Order of Service - Aug 17, 2025 - Pentecost 10

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Land Acknowledgement
Lighting of Christ Candle (silence)

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn: More Voices #12- Come Touch Our Heart

Prayer of the Day

Special Music – *Emily Ready* – Woodriver

First Reading: Jeremiah 23: 23 - 29

A Reading from the Psalms: Psalm 82 - More Voices #799 A Reading from the letter to the Hebrews 11: 29 - 12: 2

The Gospel: Luke 12: 49 - 56

Sermon Honest to God

Hymn of the Day: Voices United #678 – For the Healing of the Nation

A Statement of Faith (on screen)

Words of Assurance

Response: Voices United #958 – Halle, Halle, Halle (x2)

The Prayers of the People:

❖ Voices United #400 - Lord Listen to Your Children Praying

Prayers

Sharing the Peace (responsive on screen)

Invitation to the Offering Offertory Prayer (on screen)

Hymn: Voices United #538 – For the Gift of Creation (x2)

The Lord's Prayer (on screen)

Blessing

Closing Hymn: Voices United #421 - Lead On, O Cloud of Presence

Dismissal: Voices United #964 - Go Now in Peace (x2)

Postlude

Thank you to all who helped in today's service!

Pastor: Rev. Dexter Van Dyke Welcome: Ron Hopkinson Music Director: Nathan Pylypuk Special Music: Emily Ready

Scripture Reader: Margaret Hopkinson

AV: BJ Ouyang

Communications/Social Media: Catherine Ready Hospitality: Kathy White, Rob Bredin, Judy Ready

Lakeview Newsletter: If you would like to receive the Lakeview email newsletter, please email your name to Cheryl C. in the office at lakeviewuc@sasktel.net and she will have you added.

Office Hours:

Regular office hours are 9:30 – 4:30 on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Looking Ahead:

- > September 7 First Lakeview Sunday School
- > September 7 Lakeview Sunday School and Queer Connections YQR will be providing a water station for the QCM (Queen City Marathon) in front of the church
- > September 28 Orange Shirt Sunday

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALERT 2025 QCM – The Queen City Marathon will take place on Sunday, September 7 morning/afternoon and the participants will be running/walking down McCallum Avenue as part of their route. For safety reasons McCallum Avenue will be closed to traffic so there will not be access to parking in front of the church.

Parking will be available on the side streets but not in front of the church. There are some parking spots behind the church, if you will be arriving from the north. Lakeview will have an opportunity to support our community by volunteering at the water station in front of the church.

Lakeview Sunday School and Queer Connections YQR will be providing a water station for the QCM (Queen City Marathon) in front of the church to support our community. If you would like to volunteer to help, please contact Bre Deren at bre.deren@gmail.com

Fall Study Group

We will be meeting in the chapel **each Monday commencing on September 22 at 1:00 p.m**. We will begin with Donald Schmidt's New Testament Women for Progressive Christians, Vol 2. There are no prerequisites - just a healthy curiosity about the role of women in the early church as recorded in the Bible. Physical books will be available in early September or you may purchase an e-book from Woodlake Books. If you are interested in purchasing a book and/or joining us in September, please contact Ron 639-590-6718.

<u>Orange Shirt Sunday</u> – On **September 30**, wear an orange shirt to say that Every Child Matters. And on **September 28**, mark Orange Shirt Sunday at church.



August 17, 2025

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An Affirming Ministry in Lakeview

