



# Lakeview United Methodist Church

*Proclaiming the Love of Christ*  
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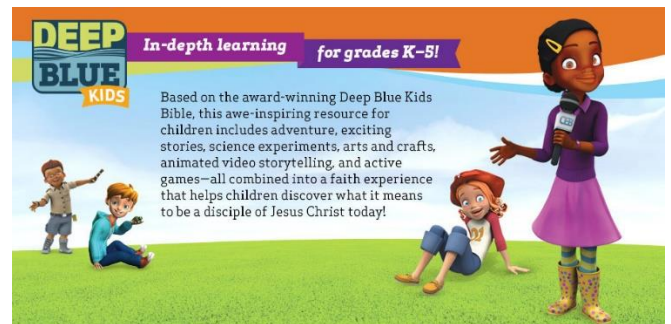
## June 2017

**FREE Dinners**  
Last Thursday of Each Month  
**5:00 - 7:00pm**  
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The Outreach Committee has begun a new ministry to those who need a meal or just some great fellowship. The first dinner was May 25. We had a nice crowd, wonderful volunteers and it will only grow. Thanks to all who helped. A project of this size would not be possible without your help and donations. The next dinner will be June 29. If you would like to know more visit with Bobby Dasher on Sunday mornings or call the church 402) 474-2816.



Father's Day is June 18. Come and help us honor our fathers and those who have been like fathers to us.



Your children and grandchildren will love Deep Blue as they explore faith through video, games, scripture and their own worship experience. Our coordinator is Alicia Pasho and would welcome your questions AND your young ones.



Coffee Fellowship

Come and Join us for some great fellowship on the first and third Sunday mornings after worship. Always some great goodies to go along with it.



Lakeview Lunch Bunch meets at various locations the second Tuesday of each month at noon. On June 13 we will be at LaPaloma at 84<sup>th</sup> and Holdrege. They do offer an American menu as well as great Mexican Food.

## **BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING THIRD SUNDAY'S**

Pastor Ray will lead a pilgrimage to the Holy Land



for ten days beginning October 17. We will spend two nights in Tiberias overlooking the Sea of Galilee. There we will take a boat ride and sing hymns. We'll also see where the Multiplication of Loaves and Fish took place. The remainder of our time we will headquarter out of Jerusalem, pray at the Western Wall, Walk the Via Dolorosa, visit Jericho, the Baptismal Site, The Dead Sea, Masada, the birthplace of Jesus, Mt. Calvary, and much more. If you would like to know more there are brochures at the church or just call Pastor Ray.

# Website

Be sure to check out our website at [www.lakeviewumc.com](http://www.lakeviewumc.com). There you'll find up to the minute happenings, Upper Room devotionals, and posts from the United Methodist Church. You can also listen to sermons you may have missed. Thanks to Vinnie Pasho for putting this together for us. You can also find us on Facebook with lots of pictures and information.



As I write this article we are entering the season of Pentecost. Technically, "Pentecost" is 50 days from Easter Sunday including Easter itself. Theologically, this marks when the Holy Spirit came upon the apostles and the other believers. You have probably heard of people "speaking in tongues," and you may even know someone who has that gift. The primary purpose originally was that there were people from all over who spoke a variety of languages. So, when the disciples began to speak it was the language of the Holy Spirit and everyone in the crowd heard them in their own language.

In the church we celebrate Pentecost on one Sunday. This year it is June 4. In reality, Pentecost is every day. That's because it is the language of God through the Holy Spirit. What difference does that mean for us living in Nebraska? It makes a big difference because no longer do we speak the language of the world which is filled with hatred, violence, poverty, corruption and more. But the language of God is simply when we share the love of God to a hurting world. It's when we speak the language of caring, compassion humility. This is a universal language that can only be spoken by people with the heart of God for others. When you see someone hungry, hurting, sad, angry, etc. the language of God can restore hope to them. And "hope does not disappoint us." None of us are perfect by any imagination. Yet, we can still speak peace to those who do not know it. We can speak the language of God to persons of different cultures and nationalities. And when we do "they may all be one as Jesus and the Father are one." John 17:21

*Pastor Ray*

**Fourth Sunday Potlucks will resume  
in September.**