

Welcome to Lakeshore St. Andrew's

To our visitors...

We're glad you chose to spend time with us today. Our services are designed around biblical truths of the Christian faith in a way that speaks to everyone - from those checking out church for the first time, or coming back after a long time, to committed Christians.

To learn more about LSA, stop by the Welcome Centre or check out our website at www.lsachurch.net.

Have a comment or prayer request? Please use one of the Communication Cards located in the pews.

Our mission...We're all on a spiritual journey.

From skeptic to seeker to fully devoted follower - we all need help along the way. Our mission statement, and what we call the 4C's, points us to what matters most: developing hearts that follow hard after God through Commitment, Community, Contribution and Communication of the Good News.



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LSA Family Prayer & Praise Updates:

Grieving the loss of a loved one:

Trevor (Kristan) LeDrew - father
Vic (Janis) Dominato - mother
Crystal (Shane) Fawler - grandfather

If you have not yet picked up your **2009 NUMBERED GIVINGS ENVELOPES**, they are available today in the main foyer. Many people find PAR (Pre-Authorized Remittances) a convenient way to submit their tithes and offerings. Brochures are available in the pews as well as at the Welcome Centre.

Our brand new **Family Library** is looking for adult or teen volunteers on Sundays after the 1st and/or 2nd services. Please speak to Lynn in the Family Library or contact her at labranche@mdirect.net or 519-735-0880.

LSA's Music Ministry is hosting a **Coffee House** - Saturday, January 31 from 7pm-10pm. Come and bring a friend for an evening of fellowship, good coffee, sweets, and uplifting acoustic music. There is no fee for admission, although goodwill donations will be accepted for the benefit of LSA ministry work. Contact Connie Farrer at 519-979-4075 for further information or to perform. Please let us know if you are interested in performing no later than January 21.

ignorance ~ prejudice ~ injustice ~ poverty
LET'S MAKE THEM HISTORY!

Don't forget to pick up your
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donation can.

Return filled cans on January 25.

Family Ministries

This week in Kids Cove:

Toddler 2/Preschool: Jesus in the Temple
JK - Grade 5: Our virtue this month is *Resourcefulness*, work like you're working for God, based on Colossians 3:22-24. This month's memory verse is Colossians 3:23. The monthly Faith@Home take-home sheets outlining the 4 Sundays in January are available for pickup in each classroom today.

STRIVE: for Gr.9-12 - starts again on Tuesday, January 6
CHAOS: for Gr.6-8 - starts again on Thursday, January 8
CHAOS on Sunday Mornings: does not meet today - starts again on January 11

College & Career (Young Adults 18-30): our next get together is January 11 at 7pm in the Games Room at the Church.

Small Groups

2009 New Year's Resolution:

I will participate in a small group!

Register for *The Connection* - a small group experience Sunday, February 8, 10:45am - 12:30pm. Watch the bulletin for more information.

Real Men, Real Life - calling all guys who want to start the new year off right and "real". Come and hang out with some guys on Saturday, January 17 from 8:30am - 4:30pm. We'll talk about how we can be the best guys, Christ-followers, husbands and dads. Interested? Contact Al De Simon, adesimon@lsachurch.net or 519-979-8082 to reserve your spot - breakfast and lunch included.

As a courtesy to others, please turn off cell phones and pagers. Food and drink are not allowed in the auditorium. Today's message is available on CD at the Welcome Centre or on our website.

You are Invited

to attend the ALPHA course

*Join us for a great evening
of food, friends, and
engaging conversation.*



ALPHA is an opportunity to explore the meaning of life in a relaxed friendly setting.

Each evening people enjoy great food, laughter, and learning in a fun and friendly atmosphere where no question about life or God is seen as too simple or too hostile . . .

. . . questions like . . .

Is there a God?

Why am I here?

Where did I come from?

Where am I going?

Register today at the ALPHA display in the main foyer.

Let's Make Ignorance History

Brad Watson

2 Corinthians 5:14-21

Page 1145 Main Floor Bible, Page 1211 Balcony Bible

What if Jesus had never been born? For one thing, ignorance would be rampant. Education and schools, healing and hospitals, and churches and Christian education would have never happened. In fact, most ills and evils of any society can be traced back to a lack of knowledge about God and His ways.

Proverbs 29:18 says that "people perish for lack of vision". Vision in this context is about knowing God and how to do life from His perspective. People are perishing spiritually, emotionally, mentally, physically, relationally because they don't know, trust, love and obey the God of the Bible.

Rick Warren says, many of our troubles occur because we base our choices on unreliable authorities: Culture (everyone is doing it); Tradition (we've always done it that way); Reason (it just seemed logical) or Emotion (it just feels right).

So what is God's response to this epidemic of ignorance in our world today?

A Study Guide for today's message is available on the table in the Small Groups Ministry Area of the main foyer as well as online. Past study guides are also available on our website.

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