

Welcome to Lakeshore St. Andrew's

To our visitors...

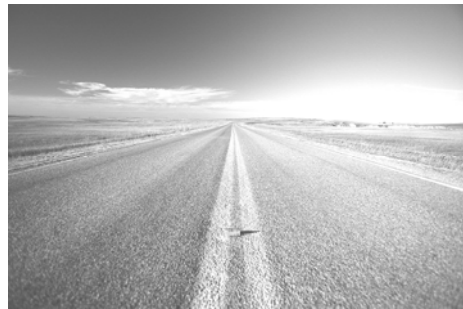
We're glad you chose to spend time with us today. Our services are designed around biblical truths of the Christian faith in a way that speaks to everyone - from those checking out church for the first time, or coming back after a long time, to committed Christians.

To learn more about LSA, stop by the Info Desk 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.

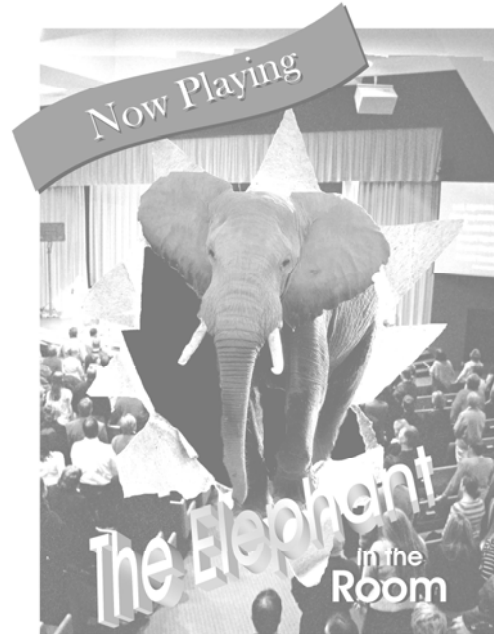


From skeptic to seeker to fully devoted follower - we all need help along the way. Our mission statement, and what we call the 4C's, points us to what matters most: developing hearts that follow hard after God through Commitment, Community, Contribution and Communication of the Good News.

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The elephant in the room. Everyone knows it's there but no one wants to talk about it. Topics like creation & evolution, depression, gossip, premarital & extramarital sex, alternative lifestyles. And all those other religions - what in the world are they all about? Well, this summer, we'll take on all those elephants - and more.

The Elephants In The Room This Summer

Date	Topic	Speaker
July 13	Feelings	Bob Smiciklas <i>Shalom Counselling Centre</i>
July 20	Sex *	Iveta Campeau <i>Elder, Lakeshore St. Andrew's</i>
July 27	Homosexuality *	Debate moderated by Brad Watson <i>with Martha Daniels & Alan Yoshioka</i>
Aug. 3	Leaving the Lifestyle *	Brad Watson with John Howard
Aug.10	Anger	Chuck Congram
Aug.17	Still Not Sure	Norm Grant
Aug.24	World Religions	Panel Discussion
Aug.31	Creation & Evolution	Brad Watson & Bill McConkey

* Parental Guidance

We would like to offer alternative programming for kids grades 3-5 on these three Sundays and we need your help. Parental staffing will be required at both services. Sign up at the *Agents in Action* desk. For more information, please contact Dave dfrancis@lsachurch.net or Jan jdonaldson@lsachurch.net.

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 Info Desk or on our website.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Love & Respect Conference: We are partnering with local churches to present the *LIVE Love and Respect Conference* with Dr. Emerson & Sarah Eggerichs at Parkwood Gospel Temple on October 24 & 25. For more info and to register, go to our website www.lsachurch.net.

Are you looking for a comfortable seat in the balcony? Then join the **Matrix Team!** Volunteers are needed to run PowerPoint and video for our Sunday services. If you're interested and available one weekend/month, then we have a comfy chair in the balcony for you. For more info contact Kevin kbirmingham@lsachurch.net or 979-8082.

Music Auditions: Auditions for musicians and vocalists will be held on Saturday, July 12. Please sign up at the Info Desk and pick up an Audition Package.

Family Ministries

Kids Cove: Agents In Action (summer program for kids up to Gr.2) This week's topic is "Fighting". Memory Verse is Mathew 5:9 "Blessed are the peacemakers for they will be called sons of God".

Chief Agents still needed to invest a Sunday in Kids Cove this August. Sign up at the *Agents in Action* Info Booth or contact jdonaldson@lsachurch.net.

Let's Paint the Halls! The Kids Cove area is getting a fresh coat of paint this week. If you can help or need more info contact Jan jdonaldson@lsachurch.net.

Global Outreach

The Downtown Mission is currently looking to fill the following (daily) **volunteer** positions:
IN THE KITCHEN (lunch service): Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday 11:00 am - 2:00 pm.
IN THE FOOD ROOM (food bank service): Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9:30am -12 noon. Some heavy lifting may be required in both positions.
 If you are aware of anyone who is interested in any of these opportunities to serve, please have them contact Wendy Hewetson, Program Coordinator 519-973-5573 x27 Monday - Friday, 9am - 4 pm.



BULLETIN BLOG

send your stories, comments
and questions to us at
40Days@lsachurch.net

I very reluctantly signed up for the 40 Days of Community; after 3 weeks of being led to do so - but defying that pull. I felt it was enough to have a "personal" relationship with God and that I didn't need others in this relationship. After just a couple of weeks in our small group, I came to realize that it was not enough to just appreciate the gift God gave us in His son, Jesus Christ - His death was truly a sacrifice of love. For those of us who have accepted Jesus as our Saviour, we are extremely grateful - but being grateful and appreciating the greatest gift ever becomes an act of selfishness if not played forward.

There are so many needs around us if we only open our eyes to see. The small needs we can usually handle by ourselves - with God's help - but the larger needs are done (with planning) more easily and more efficiently in community.

My small group has helped me to see the need for other Christians in our lives - to promote growth and openness amongst friends; a safe place to let down our shields and not feel vulnerable; knowing others care and will hold us accountable for our walk with Christ. Our small group all came with different strengths but together we are a power to be dealt with.

My prayer is that I may - with God's help - be able to lead by example, put others first and see love flow naturally as God intended, and to be aware that my actions speak louder than words.

This was my first experience with a small group - but surely not my last. I thank God for my small group and the push from God to put me there.

It sure is "better together".

Un-Christian?

Norm Grant

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The Elephant in the Room

July 6, 2008