



LAKE ERIE CHURCH OF GOD

3050 Antioch Road, Perry, Oh 44081

February, 2017

LOVE...
ALWAYS HOPES
is not easily angered
LOVE ALWAYS PERSEVERES
..never fails
is kind
is not proud
love is not self seeking
does not delight in evil,
but rejoices with the truth
Does not boast
keeps no record of wrongs
I Corinthians 13:4-8

love IS PATIENT
DOES NOT ENVY
does not dishonor others
always trusts
love always protects

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Come Worship with us:

9:00A.M. – Connection Class

10:00A.M. – Morning Worship

Monday Breaking Free Book Study

6:30 P.M.

Meet us at The Well on Wednesdays

6:30A.M. – Bible Study

7:30 P.M. – Choir Practice

Visit us on Facebook at:

<http://facebook.com/lakeeriechurch>

LEC Website:

<http://www.lakeeriechurch.com>

Church Office:

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Pastoral Staff

Bishop Phil Pearson – Senior Pastor

Dustin Vorse - Youth Pastor

Elder Don Tyree – Pastoral Care

Jerome Barclay – Minister of Music

Becki Perkins – Secretary

Alexis Gerics & Becki Perkins

Finance Directors

Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 9:00 – 2:00



REFLECTIONS

K's Korner



In this season of LOVE ♥

In this season let love arise and allow God to be glorified in your life. Love doesn't mean you have to put up with the foolishness of others, But it does mean you might have to tolerate others for a time or season. Pray and stand, until God makes a change in you or them. Through the love of Christ we can find a lot of things. These are a few below.

L = laughter.

A merry heart doeth good like a medicine: but a broken spirit drieth the bones

(Proverbs 17:22)

O = oil of joy.

The Spirit of the Lord has given us the oil of joy for mourning.....
(Is. 61:3)

V = victorious.

But thanks be to God, which gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus

Christ (1 Corinthians 15:57)

E = excellent way.

But covet earnestly the best gifts and yet show I unto you a more excellent way.

(1 Corth. 12:31)

What's the best gift? "LOVE"

By Kinja Walton

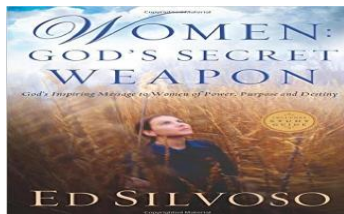


“View From The Pew”

LEC family praying for you!

*Our deepest Condolences to the family of
Vernie Bowman
Praying for healing
Tom Saunders
Sandy Breedlove
Dee Bayless
Sandy Bayless
Vivian Tyler
Betty Stinson*

**Join us for the Breaking Free Book Club
Mondays @ 6:30 P.M. as we study
“Women: God’s Secret Weapon”
Join us for our 5:00 A.M. daily
prayer & 9:00 P.M. on Saturdays**

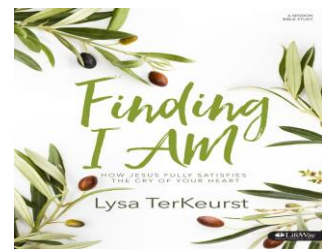


Join us every Sunday Morning for
Pre-Service worship at the altar
9:45 A.M. Let’s call down God’s
Anointing as one body.



**Join us at the Well
every Wednesday
@ 6:30 P.M.**

**Also don’t forget to encourage someone as
we continue our 40 days of fasting and
praying**



Join the morning bible study as they study
“Finding I am”
Thursday’s at 9:00 A.M.
Please sign up at the information table.
For more information see Erica Shaw

When You Don't Want to Go Back to the Way You Were

Today's Truth

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

Psalm 51:10

Friend to Friend

I just got my braces off...again.

I have had braces on my upper teeth three times. Count them. One. Two. Three. As the orthodontist explained, "Teeth have a memory. They always want to go back to the way they were." As soon as he said those words, I felt convicted. I have a tendency to go back to the way I was. We all do. Karen (not her real name) admitted to single handedly destroying her marriage with passive aggressive coldness, destructive words, and disrespect of the worst kind. After her husband walked away from the marriage, she had a Holy Spirit moment and completely changed her life. She felt conviction over what she had done, her heart softened, and she vowed never be that woman again. Karen had a beautiful holy glow of a woman who knew she was totally forgiven and completely loved by God. Miraculously, her ex-husband saw the change, and the marriage was restored! However, after a few years, the destructive behavior began to creep back in. A word here. A cold shoulder there. A retreating into self for weeks at a time. Ten years after the miraculous restoration, the marriage crashed and burned. "Teeth have a memory.

You can read the rest of story by clicking on the link below

<http://www.christianity.com/devotionals/girlfriends-in-god/girlfriends-in-god-january-30-2017.html>

When I read this story I too felt convicted, you see I too single handedly destroyed my marriage (well maybe 50% my fault). You see due to life circumstances I became a bitter, controlling, and an angry wife. Like in Proverbs 14:1 *A wise woman builds her home, but a foolish woman tears it down with her own hands.*

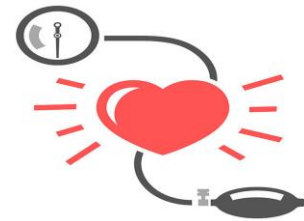
Yes I was that foolish woman, I tore my house down. I too used unkind words, and was short with my husband. Not knowing what I was missing by getting to know God's Word, having a relationship with Christ, and what being led by the Holy Spirit was like. I had once heard a man of God say that the bible was a manual of how we are to live our lives, or deal with life's problems, anything we wanted to know we could find in the bible. I still have a lot to learn, but at least now I know where to turn too!!

By Stella Llamas



Upcoming Events

**The next Men's Fellowship
will be on Saturday 11th at
9:00 A.M. @ LEC
Fellowship Hall
Teaching will be Brother
Ryan Reese**



**The Next Free Blood Pressure
Screening is Feb. 19th, 2017**

**Currently the Grief Share
Ministry
is in the process of
transitioning the staff for
new classes to be offered later
in 2017.**

**Thank you for your patience
if you have any questions or
concerns
please contact Dee De Freeze**

**“God wants His people to help to
heal wounded hearts”**



**The Fine Arts Dept. is
looking for volunteers
for the Easter Pageant
of 2017 see Brother
Jerome Barclay for
more information**





THIRST

**Consider sponsoring a teen
for our Youth Retreat 2017
For as little as \$10.00
A week you can mark your
envelope and drop it in the
offering on Sundays**

*Thirst Ministry
Will Be Having Movie Night on
February 24th 2017 @ Pastor
Dustin's House
From 6:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.*



Thirst

“Love is Red Conference”
March 17th & 18th 2017
In Canton, Ohio
Please continue to make your
payments, total cost is \$100.00
Please see Pastor Dustin

LOVE

