

## Lakeside's Vision

**To be a celebrative community  
growing in spiritual maturity and passion  
to effectively equip disciples  
to purposefully share Christ's love**

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July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024  
Sunday Services 10:00 AM

## ***WELCOME EVERYONE!***

We are glad you came today. As we celebrate and worship together may God also minister to us individually. We invite you to stay for refreshments following the service.

## **Matthew 13: 1-9**

### **The Parable of the Sower**

That same day Jesus went out of the house and sat by the lake. <sup>2</sup> Such large crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat in it, while all the people stood on the shore. <sup>3</sup> Then he told them many things in parables, saying: "A farmer went out to sow his seed. <sup>4</sup> As he was scattering the seed, some fell along the path, and the birds came and ate it up. <sup>5</sup> Some fell on rocky places, where it did not have much soil. It sprang up quickly, because the soil was shallow. <sup>6</sup> But when the sun came up, the plants were scorched, and they withered because they had no root. <sup>7</sup> Other seed fell among thorns, which grew up and choked the plants. <sup>8</sup> Still other seed fell on good soil, where it produced a crop—a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown. <sup>9</sup> Whoever has ears, let them hear."

## **Coming Events:**

### **Church Visioning Day on September 21st.**

All those who are connected to Lakeside Community Church are welcome to attend this time of prayer and discernment as together we seek to discover how God is leading us as a church forward.

## **Prayer Requests and Praise Reports:**

\* Continued prayers for Connie, Carol's daughter-in-law, as she undergoes chemotherapy, Karen Konotopski's brother-in-law, Ted, who is battling with cancer, and Angelle Weaver, June Edwards, and Neil Steinwand,



## **Please pray for Manok and Natalie Bido.**

Mano was born and raised in Syria. After coming to faith in 2006 he served with the Syrian Bible Society, and with Canadian Global Response during the war. He came to Salmon Arm in 2016 and shortly thereafter some of the Lakeside congregation became acquainted with him.

In 2020 Mano relocated to Montreal and married Natalie. They serve there as church planters under Send Network.

Mano asks us to pray for him and Natalie as they serve together. Pray for protection for their two year old son, Nathanael, as well as safe delivery of their second child in September. Pray for protection and God's anointing, especially when he is doing outdoor evangelism. Pray that individuals who come to faith can be successfully integrated into spiritual communities. Pray for the 20 families he visits monthly, for healing from past traumas and loneliness.

## **SERMON NOTES**

"The Children of the Kingdom"  
Pastor Sheldon

### Questions for Reflection and Prayer:

- What would you like to see LCC "being" and "doing" at this time, in this location, and with these people?
- On a scale of 1 to 10 what is your passion and commitment level toward making it happen?