



# While You're Here

Our Sanctuary is intended to be a distraction-free environment where you can fully engage in the worship experience, sing your heart out, find encouragement to make a difference, and connect with Jesus. We ask that you please silence your cell phones and other devices.

We understand life can be a bit noisy sometimes. If you're looking for an alternative space to enjoy the service, we've got you covered! Our services can be heard in the Cafe: an area of casual seating, coffee, and conversation. Our Kids Ministry is open during all services with trained and screened team members ready to care for your child.

Need a quick exit option? Just let us know, and we'll seat you in the best available spot suited to your needs. Our usher team is here for you, ensuring everyone has a comfortable experience. Thank you for worshipping with us today!

Our prayer is that you will experience a life-changing connection with Jesus Christ. This is more than coming to church or believing the right things. We must each make a heartfelt commitment to follow Christ. This is a suggested way to begin.

*"Jesus, I believe that You lived, died, and rose again. Thank You for the sacrifice You made for me. Today, I turn away from anything I've done that has displeased You. I give myself completely to You and accept all that You have for me. From this day forward You are my God and I am Your child. Amen."*

When you take this step, tell someone else about your decision today!

4 Ways to Give



IN SERVICE

Lobby Giving Stations



ONLINE

[fivelakes.church/give](https://fivelakes.church/give)



PHONE

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APP

App Store > "Church Center"

# Today at Five Lakes

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WELCOME // We're so glad you're here! If this is your first visit, please take a moment to complete a "Make a Difference" card in your seat-back or online at [fivelakes.church/nextsteps](https://fivelakes.church/nextsteps). For every card we receive, we make a donation toward Sylvania Area Family Services' food pantry.

COMMUNION // We celebrate communion together each week. All who believe in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior are invited to participate. Pre-packaged communion elements are available as you enter the Sanctuary. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

PRAYER // We'd love to pray with you! Prayer partners are ready to meet you at the front of the Sanctuary.

## Next Steps

### GROWTH TRACK

[fivelakes.church/growthtrack](https://fivelakes.church/growthtrack)

Designed to help you take next steps in your relationship with God. Sign up online today!

### LIFE GROUPS

[fivelakes.church/groups](https://fivelakes.church/groups)

Life Groups have one simple purpose — to bring people together. When you join a Life Group, you'll grow in your faith, make new friends, or maybe even reconnect with some familiar faces. Visit [fivelakes.church/groups](https://fivelakes.church/groups) for more info.

### BAPTISM

[fivelakes.church/baptism](https://fivelakes.church/baptism)

Deciding to be baptized is one of the clearest ways you can demonstrate your faith and obedience to Christ. It can also be one of the most significant experiences in your spiritual journey. The next baptism event is Sunday, November 10. To take this step of faith, visit [fivelakes.church/baptism](https://fivelakes.church/baptism).

#### Wk 1 | Who We Are | November 3

*Becoming a Member of This Faith Family*

#### Wk 2 | What We Do | November 10

*Growing as a Member of This Faith Family*

#### Wk 3 | Why It Matters | November 17

*Making a Difference as a Faith Family*

### Service Times

Sundays @ 9am & 11am  
Online | [youtube.com/fivelakeschurch](https://youtube.com/fivelakeschurch)

#### KIDS MINISTRY

[fivelakes.church/kids](https://fivelakes.church/kids)

All Services in the Kids Wing for  
newborn-5th grade.

#### STUDENT MINISTRY

[fivelakes.church/students](https://fivelakes.church/students)

Sundays | Multigenerational Worship  
Thursdays | 7pm Middle + High School

# News & Events

## Operation Christmas Child | Pack a ShoeBox

[fivelakes.church/outreach](https://fivelakes.church/outreach)

Looking for a fun family activity this holiday season? Pack a shoebox Christmas gift for a child overseas. For some of the children, this may be the first time they've ever received a Christmas gift. It's a great way to share the hope and joy of the season!

You can grab a shoebox under your chair in our sanctuary this week.  
Collection week is November 17-24.

Find more info and ways to get involved at [fivelakes.church/outreach](https://fivelakes.church/outreach).

## Join The Team Interest Meetings

[fivelakes.church/team](https://fivelakes.church/team)

Are you ready to join a team but need to find your right fit?

Drop by one of our team interest meetings. You'll have an opportunity to meet the team, check things out behind the scenes, and ask questions in a no-pressure environment.

Operations | October 27  
Kids Ministry | October 27  
Decor Team | November 3  
Life Group Leader Training | November 3  
Shuttle Team | November 3  
Connections Team | November 17

## 21 Day Devotional Challenge

[fivelakes.church/21daychallenge](https://fivelakes.church/21daychallenge)

Are you completing the 21 Day Devotion Challenge? We hope this habit has brought life and hope to your day! This week marks the end of the challenge, but it doesn't have to be the end of your new habit! You can continue the daily reading online throughout the year. Follow along at [fivelakes.church/dailydevotions](https://fivelakes.church/dailydevotions).

## New to Five Lakes?

[fivelakes.church/growthtrack](https://fivelakes.church/growthtrack)

We're so glad you've decided to check us out! If you'd like to discover more about us, join us for Growth Track. Growth Track is a three-week series that walks you through who we are, what we do, and why it matters. We're passionate about making a difference, and we'd love to help you find a home here at Five Lakes! New sessions begin next week.

### Follow Us On Social Media



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[care@fivelakes.church](mailto:care@fivelakes.church)

Weekly Update  
[fivelakes.church/subscribe](https://fivelakes.church/subscribe)