

## #GettingToKnowYou

*An Interview with Pastor Aaron Simon  
Lakes Community Church, Clitherall, MN*

This month we'd like you to get to know one of our hard working bi-vocational pastors. Pastor Aaron Simon has been the pastor at Lakes Community Church in Clitherall, MN for just over a year now. In his 'spare' time he works a 9 hour shift 4 days a week at Walmart. Aaron is a busy guy.

Aaron comes from north of San Diego, CA from a town by the name of Poway where he was born. He and his wife Melanie have two children, a son & a daughter, with twins due to be born in November.

When he's not working he likes to spend time with Melanie and their children, and he enjoys playing guitar.

Aaron was drawn to ministry through his Pastor's testimony at his home church. Aaron says, "All the hardships and hurtles he overcame with God's help to become such a great pastor, got me thinking that God could help me through my small problems."

One of the challenges that Aaron faced as he began his ministry in Clitherall was to create a new website for the Lakes Community Church. He had never made a website before and it was quite a challenge balancing working on the website with other things that needed to be done. There was a couple that had been visiting the church who approached Aaron and offered their help with the website. The site is now completed and is much improved with this couple's assistance. In Aaron's words, "it is one hundred times better!". Check out their new website at <https://1saviorjesus.wixsite.com/lakescommunity>.

Please remember to pray for all of our pastors. The new, the not so new, and the newly retired. Wherever these pastors are in their walk of ministry, they will appreciate your prayer support.

