

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Order of Worship

Welcome and greetings

David Caines, ruling elder

* Call to worship based on Psalm 138

Leader: We will praise you, O LORD, with all our hearts.

All: We will praise your name for your love and your faithfulness, for you have exalted above all things your name and your word.

Leader: O LORD, may all the kings of the earth praise you when they hear the words of your mouth.

All: May they sing of the ways of the LORD, for the glory of the LORD is great. The LORD will fulfill his purposes for us; your love, O LORD, endures forever!

* Hymn of praise

"This Is My Father's World"

This is my Father's world, and to my list'ning ears, all nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise, the morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise. This is my Father's world: he shines in all that's fair; in the rustling grass I hear him pass, he speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet. This is my Father's world: the battle is not done; Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heav'n be one. text by Maltbie D. Babcock, 1901; music by Franklin L. Sheppard, 1915

* Prayer of adoration

All of us have become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous acts are like filthy rags; we all shrivel up like a leaf, and like the wind our sins sweep us away. He who conceals his sins does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy.

Silent prayers of confession

Assurance of God's pardoning grace

taken from Romans 5:6-8 and Hebrews 12:2

Leader: At just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died

for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners,

Christ died for us.

All: Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

* Hymn of assurance

"I Have a Shelter"

I have a shelter in the storm when troubles pour upon me. Though fears are rising like a flood my soul can rest securely. O Jesus, I will hide in you, my place of peace and solace. No trial is deeper than your love that comforts all my sorrows.

I have a shelter in the storm when all my sins accuse me. Though justice charges me with guilt your grace will not refuse me. O Jesus, I will hide in you, who bore my condemnation. I find my refuge in your wounds for there I find salvation.

I have a shelter in the storm when constant winds would break me. For in my weakness, I have learned your strength will not forsake me. O Jesus, I will hide in you, the one who bears my burdens. With faithful hands that cannot fail you'll bring me home to heaven. text and music by W Bob Kauflin and Steve & Vikki Cook ©2008 Sovereign Grace Worship, ARR, UBP, CCLI Lic. # 152036

Worship in the giving of God's tithe and our offerings

Offertory hymn

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land. I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy pow'rful hand. Bread of heaven, feed me now and evermore, bread of heaven, feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing waters flow. Let the fiery cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through. Strong Deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield; strong Deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside. Death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side. Songs of praises I will ever give to thee; songs of praises I will ever give to thee.

text by William Williams, 1745; music by Jeremy Casella, 2002

Officer ordination and installation

* Scripture reading from Philippians 1:12-18a text printed in the bulletin

Stephen Barnes (9:30) Barbara Wingard (11:00)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Prayer of preparation for the study of God's Word

Sermon "The Joyful Confidence of Jesus' Servants" Brian Salter, lead pastor

Pastoral prayer

* **Hymn of response** "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"

Jesus, I my cross have taken, all to leave and follow thee; destitute, despised, forsaken, thou from hence my all shalt be. Perish every fond ambition, all I've sought or hoped or known; yet how rich is my condition, God and heav'n are still my own.

Let the world despise and leave me, they have left my Savior, too; human hearts and looks deceive me; thou art not, like them, untrue. O while thou dost smile upon me, God of wisdom, love, and might, foes may hate and friends disown me; show thy face and all is bright.

Soul then know thy full salvation, rise o'er sin and fear and care; joy to find in every station something still to do or bear.

Think what Spirit dwells within thee, think what Father's smiles are thine!

Think that Jesus died to win thee; child of heav'n, canst thou repine?

Hasten on from grace to glory, armed by faith and winged by prayer; heav'n's eternal days before me, God's own hand shall guide me there. Soon shall close my earthly mission, swift shall pass my pilgrim days, hope shall change to glad fruition, faith to sight, and prayer to praise. text by Henry F. Lyte, 1824, 1833; music by Bill Moore, 2001

- * Benediction
- * Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

- * Postlude
- * Congregation standing as you are able

Musicians for this week:

Brooke Adams – vocalist

David Henry – guitar, vocalist

David Kaufmann – bass

Hannah Lutz – viola

Sam Miller – violin
Salley Kate Pierce – piano
Emmie Thompson – vocalist
Chase Waller – vocalist

OFFICER INSTALLATION AND ORDINATION

The LMPC officer class of 2022 will be installed during the morning worship services today. Any officer serving for the first time as either an elder or a deacon will also be ordained. The make-up date is May 26.

ELDERS	DEACONS
David Caines	Jay Brooks
Tommy Gifford	Chuck Denham
Rob Huffaker	Sandy Gardner
Gill Jeong	John Holland
Avery Mixon	Mark Huffines
Hugh Morrow	Paul Jacobs
Don Morton	Phil Jacobs
Doug Perry	Ross Shumate
Sam Smartt	Michael Wakefield
Dan Wykoff	Carter Young

UPCOMING CHANGES TO STAFF STRUCTURE

The Session of LMPC has approved a restructuring of pastoral responsibilities, effective June 1.

As of June 1, lead pastor Brian Salter will oversee responsibility of all ministry to children, youth, and adults. Chad Middlebrooks, pastor of adult discipleship, and Joe Novenson, pastor of senior adults, will continue to report directly to Brian. Aaron Tolson will assume responsibility of both middle and high school ministry, and Len Teague will remain responsible for children's ministry. Both Aaron and Len will begin reporting directly to Brian on June 1.

In addition, Brian will hand oversight of LMPC's missions program to Frank Hitchings, senior associate pastor. This program includes world missions, home missions, and Love Lookout. Stephanie Young, missions coordinator, will continue to manage the missions program and begin reporting to Frank on June 1. Frank will continue to oversee finance, operations, and worship.

Please pray for our pastors and staff as they adjust to the new structure this summer.

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE DO NOT BRING COFFEE into the worship service. Thank you!

ARE YOU OR IS SOMEONE IN YOUR FAMILY GRADUATING THIS YEAR? College and high school graduates: Please send your name and the name of the school from which you are graduating this spring to margaret@lmpc.org no later than this Thursday, May 23, to be published in our bulletin.

WE WILL OFFER SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL for adults beginning next Sunday, May 26, in the Upper Room at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome to join us! Nursery will continue to be provided throughout the summer.

ALL ADULT WOMEN OF LMPC ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR SUMMER WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY beginning Wednesday, May 29, at 9:30-11:00 a.m. in the Reception Room. Chad Middlebrooks will be leading a four-week study on "Shame" through June 19. Please come join us to start your summer and welcome Chad to our pastoral staff. Please note that there will be no nursery provided.

ON SUNDAY, JUNE 2, THE HOME MISSIONS COMMITTEE OF LMPC will host supported church planters, Michael Gregory, Brent Harriman and Jared Huffman for a discussion on church planting over lunch. If you are interested in church planting and would like to attend the lunch, please email Stephanie Young at stephanie@lmpc.org. Seating is limited.

WOMEN'S SUMMER SUPPERS ARE BACK! On Wednesday, June 5, come fellowship and have dinner at the homes of women in the church. All adult women are welcome, and each supper will include 8-12 women of all generations. To sign up, email women@lmpc.org by Wednesday, May 29. If you would like to host a supper, please email susie@lmpc.org.

To find out more about happenings at LMPC, visit lmpc.org/news

IN MEMORIAM
Mary Quick
April 4, 1926 – May 8, 2019

Philippians 1:12-18a

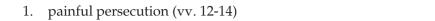
¹²Now I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel. ¹³As a result, it has become clear throughout the whole palace guard and to everyone else that I am in chains for Christ. ¹⁴Because of my chains, most of the brothers in the Lord have been encouraged to speak the word of God more courageously and fearlessly.

¹⁵It is true that some preach Christ out of envy and rivalry, but others out of goodwill. ¹⁶The latter do so in love, knowing that I am put here for the defense of the gospel. ¹⁷The former preach Christ out of selfish ambition, not sincerely, supposing that they can stir up trouble for me while I am in chains. ¹⁸But what does it matter? The important thing is that in every way, whether from false motives or true, Christ is preached. And because of this I rejoice.

SERMON NOTES

"The Joyful Confidence of Jesus' Servants" Philippians 1:12-18a

Servants of Jesus live joyfully in confidence that God's purposes advance through:



2. faithful proclamation (vv. 15-18a)

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MEMBERS & VISITORS - PLEASE REACH OUT TO US!

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	Speak to someone in the church office
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WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE TODAY!

We know it can be hard to connect. with a new church. We want to help in any way we can. Feel free to fill out your information on this tear-off card and place it in the offering plate. We will follow up with you about next steps. We are here to serve you!

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TODAY AT LMPC

Sunday, May 19

8:10 a.m. Worship service	chapel		
9:30 a.m. Worship service sanctuary	& fellowship hall		
9:30 a.m. Sunday school for all ages	various locations		
10:30 a.m. Elders are available to pray for your needs Br	ian Salter's office		
11:00 a.m. Worship service sanctuary	& fellowship hall		
11:00 a.m. Sunday school for all ages	various locations		
6:00 p.m. Evening worship with communion	chapel		
Nursary is available at all morning services			

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Children of any age are welcome to participate in worship services. Crayons and activity sheets relevant to today's sermon are available in the fellowship hall lobby.

For more events this week, visit lmpc.org/calendar.

OUR MISSION

Glorifying God by growing in grace and giving our lives away on the mountain, in the city, and around the world.

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Worship services with Communion are held on the first Sunday of every month in the morning services and in lieu of evening prayer on the third Sunday of every month.