



LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 7, 2019 | **Sanctuary Service** | 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Order of Worship

Prelude

Tune in E (in the style of John Stanley)
George Thalben-Ball

Welcome and greetings

Joe Novenson, pastor of senior adults

* Call to worship

based on Psalm 46

Leader: The LORD Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

**All: God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.
Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the
mountains fall into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and
foam and the mountains quake with their surging.**

Leader: The LORD says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted
among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth."

All: The LORD Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

* Hymn of praise 710

"God of Our Fathers"

* Prayer of thanksgiving and petition

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

Offertory

"Arise, My Soul, Arise"

Women's Ensemble

Arise, my soul, arise, shake off thy guilty fears:
the bleeding Sacrifice in my behalf appears:
before the throne my Surety stands, before the throne my Surety stands.
My name is written on his hands, my name is written on his hands.

Five bleeding wounds he bears, received on calvary;
they pour effectual prayers, they strongly plead for me:
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry, "forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"nor let that ransomed sinner die, nor let that ransomed sinner die."

My God is reconciled; his pard'ning voice I hear;
he owns me for his child, I can no longer fear;
with confidence I now draw nigh, with confidence I now draw nigh,
and "Abba, Father," cry. Arise, my soul, arise!
And "Father, Abba, Father," cry. Arise, my soul, arise.
text by Charles Wesley, 1742; music by Dan Forrest, 2012

*** Gloria Patri 735**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.**

*** Prayer of dedication and thanksgiving**

*** Scripture reading from Philippians 2:19-30**

p. 1828 in pew Bible and text printed in the bulletin

Dan Wykoff (9:30)
Mallory Dean (11:00)

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

Prayer of preparation for the study of God's Word

Sermon

"Embodying the Mind of Christ"
Frank Hitchings, senior associate pastor

Pastoral prayer

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Lookout Mountain Presbyterian Church welcomes all baptized Christians who have previously been admitted to the Lord's Table, by the elders of this or any Gospel-proclaiming church, to receive the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Come with joy as you actively trust in Christ and willingly forsake sin, having sought reconciliation in all relationships.

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Hymn of confession 713, vv. 1, 2, 6

"Great King of Nations, Hear Our Prayer"

Silent prayers of confession

Assurance of God's pardoning grace

based on Ephesians 2:4-10

Because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace we have been saved.

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And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For it is by grace we have been saved, through faith—and this not from ourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast. For we are God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Words of institution

Communion affirmation

Leader: God of all good, you have prepared for us a feast; and because we are unworthy in ourselves to sit down as guests, we wholly rest on the merits of Jesus and hide ourselves in his righteousness.

All: In this supper we remember the agony of the cross and the cost of redemption. We rejoice in your eternal love, boundless grace, and infinite compassion.

Leader: We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection, until you come again.

All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.
based on The Valley of Vision prayer, “The Lord’s Supper” pg. 195

Prayer of consecration

Distribution of the elements

For the bread 480

“Come, for the Feast Is Spread”

For the cup 420

“At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing”

Prayer of thanksgiving

* Hymn of response 644

“May the Mind of Christ My Savior”

* Benediction

* Congregational response

“Threefold Amen”

* Postlude

“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”
arr. Aaron David Miller

**Congregation standing as you are able*

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US TONIGHT for a report on the PCA General Assembly, followed by a time for questions and answers. Brian Salter will give the report beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the chapel, during the usual Evening Prayer time.

OUR ANNUAL VIP WILD & WACKY BINGO WITH BBQ BUFFET DINNER will take place on Tuesday, July 16, at 6:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Invite your friends to join us! Be sure to reserve your seat by this Thursday, July 11, at lmpc.org/vip or by sending your payment of \$6 to the LMPC church office.

OUR NEXT WOMEN'S SUMMER SUPPER will take place on Wednesday, July 31. 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, July 24. If you would like to host a supper, please email susie@lmpc.org.

THE NEXT INTRO TO LMPC CLASS is scheduled for August 23-25. This class is for those who are interested in joining LMPC or learning more about what we believe. If you are interested in signing up for the class, please confirm by emailing julie@lmpc.org or calling 423-424-5973 by August 14.

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

Musicians for this week:

Joy Gibbons – director
Joshua Knight – organ, piano

Sam Miller – violin

The flowers in the sanctuary today are from the wedding of Jessika Santos and Zach Dean on July 6.

Philippians 2:19-30

¹⁹I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you soon, that I also may be cheered when I receive news about you. ²⁰I have no one else like him, who takes a genuine interest in your welfare. ²¹For everyone looks out for his own interests, not those of Jesus Christ. ²²But you know that Timothy has proved himself, because as a son with his father he has served with me in the work of the gospel. ²³I hope, therefore, to send him as soon as I see how things go with me. ²⁴And I am confident in the Lord that I myself will come soon.

²⁵But I think it is necessary to send back to you Epaphroditus, my brother, fellow worker and fellow soldier, who is also your messenger, whom you sent to take care of my needs. ²⁶For he longs for all of you and is distressed because you heard he was ill. ²⁷Indeed he was ill, and almost died. But God had mercy on him, and not on him only but also on me, to spare me sorrow upon sorrow. ²⁸Therefore I am all the more eager to send him, so that when you see him again you may be glad and I may have less anxiety. ²⁹Welcome him in the Lord with great joy, and honor men like him, ³⁰because he almost died for the work of Christ, risking his life to make up for the help you could not give me.

TODAY AT LMPC

Sunday, July 7

8:10 a.m.	Worship service with communion.....	<i>chapel</i>
9:30 a.m.	Worship service with communion.....	<i>sanctuary & fellowship hall</i>
9:30 a.m.	Adult summer Sunday school.....	<i>Upper Room</i>
10:30 a.m.	Elders are available to pray for your needs.....	<i>Brian Salter's office</i>
11:00 a.m.	Worship service with communion.....	<i>sanctuary & fellowship hall</i>
4:00 p.m.	Middle school summer Bible study.....	<i>JHYB</i>
6:00 p.m.	Evening prayer <i>with a report from General Assembly</i>	<i>chapel</i>

Nursery is available at all morning services.

Children of any age are welcome to participate in worship services. Crayons and activity sheets relevant to today's sermon are available in the narthex and at the front of the sanctuary.

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

If you are new to LMPC, haven't contacted us for a while, or want to get more involved here, please fill out a welcome card from the pew in front of you and place it in the offering plate when it passes.

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.

Devices to amplify sound during the Sunday morning worship services are available. If you would like one, please arrive a few minutes early and ask an usher to assist you.