



LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 9, 2020 | **Fellowship Hall Service** | 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

WELCOME TO LMPC! *We're so glad you are with us today. Please use the tear-off card in the back of your bulletin to share important information with us. As we come together to worship the living God, we ask that you **silence all communication devices and refrain from bringing beverages into worship** so that we might, in joyful reverence, give our full attention to praising and honoring our God.*

CHILDCARE: *Children of any age are welcome in our worship services. If you desire to use our nursery for your children ages 0-3, please see one of our ushers for directions. The ushers can also point you to the crayons and activity sheets relevant to today's sermon that are provided for children each week.*

Order of Worship

Welcome and greetings

Frank Hitchings, senior associate pastor

*** Call to worship**

based on Psalm 111

Leader: Praise the LORD. I will extol the LORD with all my heart.

All: Great are the works of the LORD; they are pondered by all who delight in them. Glorious and majestic are his deeds, and his righteousness endures forever.

Leader: The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy. They are steadfast forever and ever, done in faithfulness and uprightness.

All: He provided redemption for his people; he ordained his covenant forever—holy and awesome is his name. To him belongs eternal praise!

*** Hymn of praise**

"Holy, Holy, Holy!"

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!
text by Reginald Heber, 1826; music by John B. Dykes, 1861

*** Prayer of adoration and the Lord's prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Call to confession

taken from Hebrews 10:19-22

Since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water.

Hymn of confession (11:00)

“Depth of Mercy”

Depth of mercy! Can there be mercy reaching even me?
God, the Just, his wrath forbears; me, the chief of sinners spares.
So many times my heart has strayed from his kind and perfect ways,
making clear my desp'rate need for his blood poured out for me.

Give me grace, Lord, let me own all the wrongs that I have done.
Let me now my sins deplore, look to you and sin no more.
There, for me, the Savior stands holding forth his wounded hands,
scars which ever cry for me; once condemned but now set free.
text by Charles Wesley, 1740; music by Bob Kauflin, 1997

Silent prayers of confession

Assurance of God's pardoning grace

taken from Titus 3:4-7

When the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life.

* Hymn of assurance "And Can It Be That I Should Gain"

And can it be that I should gain an int'rest in the Savior's blood?
Died he for me, who caused his pain? For me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
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He left his Father's throne above (so free, so infinite his grace!),
humbled himself (so great his love!), and bled for all his chosen race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free; for, O my God, it found out me.
Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in him, is mine!
Alive in him, my living Head, and clothed in righteousness divine,
bold I approach th'eternal throne, and claim the crown, through Christ, my own.
Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

text by Charles Wesley, 1738; music by Thomas Campbell, 1825

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

Offertory hymn "Give to the Winds Thy Fears" *(please turn the page for words and music)*

Sacrament of baptism (9:30)

Kate and Cody Roebuck bringing Rafe Abel Roebuck

* Scripture reading from Luke 18:9-14

text printed in the bulletin

Meg Jacobs (9:30)

David Paschall (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 Necessity of Humble Prayer”

Reverend David Arthur

Pastoral prayer

* **Hymn of response**

“O Great God”

O great God of highest heav’n, occupy my lowly heart.
Own it all and reign supreme. Conquer every rebel power.
Let no vice or sin remain that resists your holy war.
You have loved and purchased me, make me yours forevermore.

I was blinded by my sin, had no ears to hear your voice,
did not know your love within, had no taste for heaven’s joys.
Then your Spirit gave me life, opened up your Word to me
through the Gospel of your Son, gave me endless hope and peace.

Help me now to live a life that’s dependent on your grace.
Keep my heart and guard my soul from the evils that I face.
You are worthy to be praised with my every thought and deed.

O great God of highest heav’n, glorify your name through me.

*text and music by Bob Kauflin © 2006 Sovereign Grace Praise, EMI Christian Music Publishing, ARR, ICS, UBP, CCLI
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* **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:

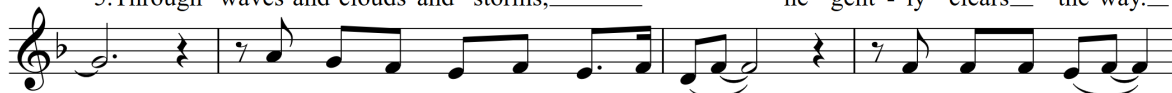
Kelsey Bazzel – vocalist
David Henry – guitar, vocalist
Erika Lines – vocalist
Hannah Lutz – viola

Hannah Pulliam – flute
John Reeder – piano
Chapman Whitted – guitar

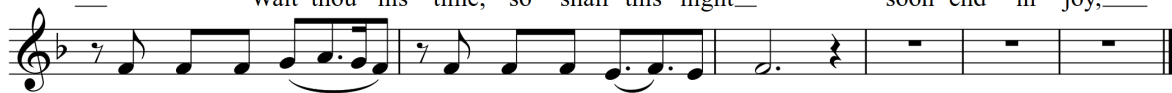
"Give to the Winds Thy Fears"



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| 1. Give to the winds thy fears, _____ | hope and be un - dis - mayed. |
| 2. Still hea - vy is your heart? _____ | Still sink your spi - rits down? |
| 3. Leave to his sov - 'reign sway _____ | to choose and to _____ com - mand. |
| 4. You see our weak - ness, Lord, _____ | our hearts are known_ to thee. _ |
| 5. Through waves and clouds and storms, _____ | he gent - ly clears_ the way. _ |



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| — God hears thy sighs and counts thy tears, _ | our God will lift up, _ |
| — Cast off the weight, let fear de - part, _ | and ev - 'ry care, _ |
| — Then shalt thou, wan - d'ring, own his way, _ | how wise, how strong, _ |
| — O lift thou up our sink - ing hearts, _ | to know thy mer - cy, _ |
| — Wait thou his time; so shall this night _ | soon end in joy, _ |



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| our God will lift up, _ | our God will lift up thy head. |
| and ev - 'ry care, _ | and ev - 'ry care_ be gone. |
| how wise, how strong, _ | how wise, how strong his hand. |
| to know thy mer - cy, _ | to know thy mer - cy and pow'r. |
| soon end in joy, _ | soon end in joy - ous day. |

text by Paul Gerhardt, 1656, translated by John Wesley; music by Jon Caudill, 2002

Celebrating the baptism of Rafe Abel Roebuck at the 9:30 fellowship hall service today are his parents, Kate and Cody Roebuck, and his grandparents, Nadine and John Laboon, and Eve and Buck Roebuck.

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY DONE SO, stop by the Small Conference Room and take a look at the new World Map and World Missions Conference Display. New resources will continue to be added leading up to our 2020 World Missions Conference, March 20-22.

SIGN UP NOW TO VOLUNTEER FOR MARKETPLACE 2020, June 9-12, at lmpc.org/marketplace. Opportunities include teaching, crafts, drama, set-up and tear-down, and many more! If you have questions, please email Greta Erickson at greta@lmpc.org.

THE VIP FEBRUARY EVENT will be a Valentine's Day lunch at Hennen's followed by an IMAX movie on Friday, February 14, at 11:00 a.m. Registration is limited, so please RSVP by **today** at lmpc.org/vip or by submitting your payment of \$20 to the LMPC church office. The VIP ministry is a group of mostly retired adults from Lookout Mountain Presbyterian Church and the community who meet monthly for fun and fellowship.

ALL COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE INVITED to lunch next Sunday, February 16, at 12:15 p.m. at the Jane Harris Youth Building. Please plan to join us!

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

Luke 18:9-14

⁹To some who were confident of their own righteousness and looked down on everybody else, Jesus told this parable: ¹⁰“Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. ¹¹The Pharisee stood up and prayed about himself: ‘God, I thank you that I am not like other men—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector. ¹²I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get.’ ¹³But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, ‘God, have mercy on me, a sinner.’ ¹⁴I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.”

SERMON NOTES

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Luke 18:9-14

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NAME

I WOULD LIKE TO:

- Speak to a pastor
- Speak to someone in the church office
- Receive email from LMPC

email address

PLEASE CONTACT ME ABOUT:

- Serving at LMPC
- Becoming a member at LMPC
- Joining a small group
- Joining a Bible study
 - men's
 - women's
- Prayer opportunities

If you are a first-time or repeat visitor, please fill out your information on the other side of this card so we can follow up with you.

PRAYER REQUESTS & COMMENTS

Include request in the Prayer List?

Yes No

I would like to speak with someone about the prayer request or other concern. Please contact me at:

PHONE DAY EVENING

Please deposit this card in the offering plate as it comes by.

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!

I AM A:

- First time visitor
 Repeat visitor

NAME

SPOUSE (IF ATTENDING TODAY)

CHILDREN (IF ATTENDING TODAY)

ADDRESS

HOME PHONE

CELL

EMAIL*

SPOUSE CELL

SPOUSE EMAIL*

TODAY AT LMPC

Sunday, February 9

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| 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 | Brian Salter's office |
| 11:00 a.m. | Worship service | sanctuary & fellowship hall |
| 11:00 a.m. | Sunday school for all ages | various locations |
| 4:00 p.m. | Middle school small groups | JHYB |
| 6:00 p.m. | Evening prayer | chapel |
| 7:30 p.m. | High school youth group | JHYB |

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

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- Communicate with your groups and teams
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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.