



LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 5, 2022 | **Sanctuary Service** | 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

WELCOME TO LMPC! *We're so glad you are with us today. Please use the welcome card from the pew rack in front of you to share important information with us; an online form is available by scanning the QR code on the back of the bulletin. 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.*

** Congregation standing as you are able*

Order of Worship

Prelude

"God Himself Is with Us"

Joachim Neander

(words for meditation may be found in your hymnal #382)

Welcome and announcements

Chad Middlebrooks, pastor of discipleship

* Call to worship

based on Psalm 145

Leader: We will exalt our God the King; we will praise his name for ever and ever.

All: The LORD is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love. The LORD is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.

Leader: His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and his dominion endures through all generations. The LORD upholds all those who fall and lifts up all who are bowed down.

All: Our mouths will speak in praise of the LORD. Let every creature praise his holy name for ever and ever.

* Hymn of praise 101

“Come, Thou Almighty King”

* 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.

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

Offertory

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

arr. Gary Lanier

(words for meditation may be found in your hymnal #252)

* **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 Luke 9:18-27**

p. 1030 in pew Bible and text printed in the bulletin

Denny Wise (9:30)

Reid Maclellan (11:00)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Prayer of preparation for the study of God’s Word

Sermon

“Who Do You Say that I Am?”

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

Silent prayers of confession

Assurance of God’s pardoning grace

based on Colossians 1

God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in Christ, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace through his blood, shed on the cross. Once you were alienated from God and were enemies in your minds because of your evil behavior. But now he has reconciled you by Christ’s physical body through death to present you holy in his sight, without blemish and free from accusation.

Words of institution

Communion affirmation

Leader: O the unspeakable mysteries and treasures of mercy that are presented to us in the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper! Here we have communion with God our Father who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ.

All: Here we have communion with our blessed Redeemer, as crucified and glorified, and offered to us, as our quickening, preserving, strengthening Head.

Leader: Here we have communion with the Holy Spirit, applying to our souls the benefits of redemption, drawing us to the Son, communicating light, life, and strength from him unto us, and increasing his graces in us.

All: Here we have communion with the body of Christ, his sanctified people. When we celebrate the Lord’s Supper, we remember the finished work of Christ, receive nourishment, and anticipate the glory to come. Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

adapted from The Practical Works of Richard Baxter, vol. 10 and The New City Catechism Devotional: God’s Truth for Our Hearts and Minds

Prayer of consecration

Distribution of the elements

For the bread

“Fairest Lord Jesus”
arr. Wilbur Held

Instrumental meditation

(words for meditation may be found in your hymnal #171)

For the cup

"There is a Redeemer"



1. There is a Re - deem - er, Je - sus, God's own Son; _____
2. Je - sus, my Re - deem - er, name a - bove all names, _____
3. When I stand in glo - ry I will see his face; _____



pre-cious Lamb of God, Mes-si-ah, Ho - - ly One.
pre-cious Lamb of God, Mes-si-ah, hope_ for_ sin - ners slain.
there I'll serve my King for-ev-er, in_ that_ ho - ly place.



Thank you, O my Fa - ther, for giv-ing us your Son, _____ and



leav - ing your Spir - it till the work_ on_ earth is done.

text and music by Melody Green, 1982

Prayer of thanksgiving

* Hymn of response 263, vv. 1, 3, 5

"Lift High the Cross"

* Benediction

* Congregational response

"Threefold Amen"

* Postlude

"Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest"

J. S. Bach

Musicians for this week:

Joy Gibbons – director
Kristina Hall – cello

Joshua Knight – organ, piano

Luke 9:18-27

¹⁸Now it happened that as he was praying alone, the disciples were with him. And he asked them, "Who do the crowds say that I am?" ¹⁹And they answered, "John the Baptist. But others say, Elijah, and others, that one of the prophets of old has risen." ²⁰Then he said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" And Peter answered, "The Christ of God."

²¹And he strictly charged and commanded them to tell this to no one, ²²saying, "The Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised."

²³And he said to all, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me. ²⁴For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will save it. ²⁵For what does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses or forfeits himself? ²⁶For whoever is ashamed of me and of my words, of him will the Son of Man be ashamed when he comes in his glory and the glory of the Father and of the holy angels. ²⁷But I tell you truly, there are some standing here who will not taste death until they see the kingdom of God."

SERMON NOTES

“Who Do You Say that I Am?”

Luke 9:18-27

1. A crucial question for all people (vv. 18-20)
 - Who is Jesus?

2. A strong warning to confused followers (vv. 21-22)
 - Jesus’ plan for redemption differs greatly from ours.

3. A sobering call to true followers (vv. 23-27)
 - Following Jesus requires self-denial but brings true life.

Further Up, Further In,
Resources for
Continued Study



TODAY AT LMPC

Sunday, June 5

9:30 a.m.	Worship service with communion.....	<i>sanctuary & fellowship hall</i>
10:30 a.m.	Elders 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>
4:30 p.m.	Town Hall meeting	<i>fellowship hall</i>
6:00 p.m.	Evening prayer with missionary prayer	<i>chapel</i>
7:30 p.m.	High school summer youth group	<i>JHYB</i>

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

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

TOWN HALL MEETING TODAY AT 4:30 P.M. in the fellowship hall for the purpose of reviewing the congregational meeting where Pastor Joe Novenson's resignation was received.

VIP OUTINGS ON JUNE 16: Ladies, enjoy a 10:00 a.m. brunch followed by a visit to Lookout Lavender Farm. Men, begin at Coker Museum at 3:00 p.m. for a tour before dinner. For either event, please register on Realm or send your payment of \$15 to the LMPC office.

SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN. Don't miss these summer events!

- *Summer Bible Study* continues each Wednesday in June at 9:30 a.m.
- The first *Women's Summer Supper* is on Thursday, June 9; register on Realm.
- *Book Club* discussions are on Thursday, June 23 at 6:00 p.m. at local restaurants; choose your book and register on Realm.

LIBRARY/HALLWAY CLOSURE UNTIL JUNE 12: Please return items to the church office.

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. Please scan the QR code below and fill out an online information form. We will follow up with you about next steps. We are here to serve you!



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 all morning services and in lieu of evening prayer on the third Sunday of every month. Devices to amplify sound are available. If you would like one, please arrive a few minutes early and ask an usher to assist you.