

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WELCOME TO LMPC! We're so glad you are with us today. Please scan the QR code on the back of your bulletin to share important information with us through an online form. 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

Welcome and greetings

David Caines, ruling elder

* Call to worship

based on Isaiah 12

Leader: We will praise you, O LORD! Surely God is our salvation; we will

trust and not be afraid.

All: The LORD is our strength and our song; he has become our

salvation.

Leader: Give thanks to the LORD, call on his name; make known among the

nations what he has done, and proclaim that his name is exalted.

All: Sing to the LORD, for he has done glorious things; let this be known

to all the world! Shout aloud and sing for joy, for great is the Holy

One of Israel among us!

* Hymn of praise

"Holy, Holy, Holy!"

Holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee. Holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity! 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! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea. Holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity! text by Reginald Heber, 1783-1826; music by John B. Dykes, 1861

* Prayer of adoration

* Affirmation of faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Call to confession 1 John 1:8-9

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

Prayer of confession

Leader: Heavenly Father, you instruct us in your Word to "trust in the Lord with all our hearts, and lean not on our own understanding." You tell us not to be "wise in our own eyes" but rather "fear the Lord and shun evil."

All: We confess that we are often half-hearted in our trust and lean more on our own understanding than yours. We think and act as though we are wiser than you, and are prone to indulge in evil rather than shun it.

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Leader: You tell us in your Word that "the fear of the LORD is the beginning

of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and discipline. For the LORD gives wisdom, and from his mouth come knowledge and

understanding."

All: We confess that rather than pursuing the gift of your divine

wisdom, we are often content to settle for mere earthly wisdom. Rather than fearing you, we have become lukewarm and show contempt for your commands. Apart from your grace, we would despise your discipline and your mercy. Heavenly Father, heal our wayward and arrogant hearts, and grant us dependence on your steadfast love.

based on Proverbs 3:5, 7; 1:7; and 2:6

Hymn of confession

"Jesus Paid It All"

I hear the Savior say, "Your strength indeed is small, child of weakness, watch and pray, find in me your all in all."

Refrain: Jesus paid it all, all to him I owe;

sin had left a crimson stain, he washed it white as snow.

Lord, now indeed I find your power, and yours alone, can change the leper's spots, and melt the heart of stone. *Refrain*

For nothing good have I whereby your grace to claim— I'll wash my garments white in the blood of Calv'ry's Lamb. *Refrain*

And when, before the throne, I stand in him complete, "Jesus died my soul to save," my lips shall still repeat. *Refrain* text by Elvina M. Hall, 1865; music by DH, 2012

Silent prayers of confession

Assurance of God's pardoning grace

taken from Romans 5:6-8

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.

* Hymn of assurance "Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!"

Jesus! what a Friend for sinners! Jesus! lover of my soul; friends may fail me, foes assail me, he, my Savior, makes me whole.

Refrain: Hallelujah! what a Savior! Hallelujah! what a Friend!

Saving, helping, keeping, loving, he is with me to the end.

Jesus! what a strength in weakness! Let me hide myself in him; tempted, tried, and sometimes failing, he, my strength, my vict'ry wins. *Refrain*

Jesus! I do now receive him, more than all in him I find; he hath granted me forgiveness, I am his, and he is mine. *Refrain text by J. Wilbur Chapman*, 1910; music by Rowland Hugh Pritchard, 1855

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

Offertory hymn

"Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts"

Jesus, thou joy of loving hearts, thou fount of life, thou light of men, from the best bliss that earth imparts we turn unfilled to thee again.

Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood; thou savest those that on thee call; to them that seek thee thou art good, to them that find thee all in all.

Our restless spirits yearn for thee, where'er our changeful lot is cast; glad when thy gracious smile we see, blessed when our faith can hold thee fast.

O Jesus, ever with us stay, make all our moments calm and bright; chase the dark night of sin away, shed o'er the world thy holy light. text by Bernard of Clairvaux, ca. 1150; Red Mountain Music, 2003

* Scripture reading from Deuteronomy 1:34-46

text printed in the bulletin

Melanie Ray (9:30) Bronwyn McEwen (11:00)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Prayer of preparation for the study of God's Word

Sermon

"What Does Covenant Renewal Require? (Part 2)" Frank Hitchings, senior associate pastor

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 pow'r. 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.

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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

Musicians for this week:

Calvin Garriott – guitar David Kaufmann – bass Maddie Lee – piano Hannah Lutz – viola Jennifer Mixon – vocals Emmie Thompson – vocals John Wingard – vocals

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAVE THE DATES:

- Scripture & Song: Sunday evening, Aug. 21
- Family Camp: Friday, Sept. 9 Sunday, Sept. 11
- Women's Retreat: Friday, Nov. 4 Sunday, Nov. 6

PASTOR BRIAN'S TRIP TO ISRAEL: Pastor Brian Salter will share about his recent trip to the Holy Land in the evening prayer service tonight at 6:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

INTRO TO LMPC: The next membership class for adults will be held Aug. 19-21. We will meet Friday from 5:30 to 9:00 p.m., Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and Sunday during the Sunday school hour. One final Sunday school session will wrap up the class on Aug. 28. Email julie@lmpc.org to register before Aug.1.

GRIEFSHARE SUPPORT GROUP: Find comfort and support at this thirteen-week support group. GriefShare will meet on Fridays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. from Aug. 12 to Nov. 4 in the Reception Room. Register on Realm for \$20, which includes the workbook.

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

CRATES FOR UKRAINE

Thank you for signing up to donate items for the crates that our LMPC couriers will take to Poland! Continue to see what's needed by scanning this QR code. The last drop-off date is July 31; bring your items to the Reception Room between 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. or between 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. At 6:00 p.m. that evening, stay for a special report from supported missionaries David and Eowyn Stoddard and supported ministry partner Bible Mission Global in the fellowship hall. These guests are uniquely positioned to update our congregation on the conflict in Ukraine and their current ministry efforts. Nursery will be provided.

Deuteronomy 1:34-46

³⁴"And the Lord heard your words and was angered, and he swore, ³⁵'Not one of these men of this evil generation shall see the good land that I swore to give to your fathers, ³⁶except Caleb the son of Jephunneh. He shall see it, and to him and to his children I will give the land on which he has trodden, because he has wholly followed the Lord!' ³⁷Even with me the Lord was angry on your account and said, 'You also shall not go in there. ³⁸Joshua the son of Nun, who stands before you, he shall enter. Encourage him, for he shall cause Israel to inherit it. ³⁹And as for your little ones, who you said would become a prey, and your children, who today have no knowledge of good or evil, they shall go in there. And to them I will give it, and they shall possess it. ⁴⁰But as for you, turn, and journey into the wilderness in the direction of the Red Sea.'

⁴¹"Then you answered me, 'We have sinned against the Lord. We ourselves will go up and fight, just as the Lord our God commanded us.' And every one of you fastened on his weapons of war and thought it easy to go up into the hill country. ⁴²And the Lord said to me, 'Say to them, Do not go up or fight, for I am not in your midst, lest you be defeated before your enemies.' ⁴³So I spoke to you, and you would not listen; but you rebelled against the command of the Lord and presumptuously went up into the hill country. ⁴⁴Then the Amorites who lived in that hill country came out against you and chased you as bees do and beat you down in Seir as far as Hormah. ⁴⁵And you returned and wept before the Lord, but the Lord did not listen to your voice or give ear to you. ⁴⁶So you remained at Kadesh many days, the days that you remained there."

SERMON NOTES

"What Does Covenant Renewal Require? (Part 2)"

Deuteronomy 1:34-46

Covenant renewal requires that we remember:

1. (our	rebellion.	(vv.	19-28)
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2.	God's	faithfulness.	(vv.	29-33)
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3. our disobedience has consequences. (vv. 34-40)

4. our temptation to presume upon God. (vv. 41-46)

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TODAY AT I MPC

Sunday, July 24

9:30 a.m.	Worship service	sanctuary & fellowship hall
10:30 a.m.	Elders available to pray for your needs	Brian Salter's office
11:00 a.m.	Worship service	sanctuary & fellowship hall
4:00 p.m.	Middle school summer Bible study	JHYB
6:00 p.m.	Evening prayer with Pastor Salter reporting of	
7:30 p.m.	High school summer youth group	

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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.