

# LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 14, 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**

Prelud	relude "Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now" J. S. Bach			
Welcome and announcements			Steve Kaufmann, ruling elder	
* Call to	o worship	)	Psalm 36:5-7 and Lamentations 3:22-23	
	Leader:	Your love, O LORD, reaches to the hear skies. Your righteousness is like the m like the great deep.		
	All:	O LORD, you preserve both man and beast. How priceless is your unfailing love!		
	Leader:	Both high and low among men find rewings.	efuge in the shadow of your	
	All:	Because of the LORD's great love we a compassions never fail. They are new faithfulness.		
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\* Hymn of praise 32

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

#### \* Prayer of adoration

### Call to confession

based on 1 Peter 1:23 and 2:1-2

We have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring word of God. Therefore, let us rid ourselves of all malice and all deceit, hypocrisy, envy, and slander of every kind. Like newborn babies, let us crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it we may grow up in our salvation, now that we have tasted that the Lord is good.

#### Silent prayers of confession

# Assurance of God's pardoning grace

We are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that we may declare the praises of him who called us out of darkness into his wonderful light. Once we were not a people, but now we are the people of God; once we had not received mercy, but now we have received mercy.

He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds we have been healed. For we were like sheep going astray, but now we have returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of our souls.

\* Hymn of assurance 455, vv. 1, 3, 5 "And Can It Be That I Should Gain"

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

Offertory	"Where All Is Peace: Meditation on Two American Melodies"	Instrumental
		meditation

Jerusalem, my happy home, O how I long for thee! When will my sorrows have an end, thy joys when shall I see?

Thy walls are all of precious stone, most glorious to behold; thy gates are richly set with pearl, thy streets are paved with gold.

Thy garden and thy pleasant walks my study long have been; such dazzling views by human sight have never yet been seen.

Lord, help us by thy mighty grace, to keep in view the price, till thou dost come to take us home to that blest paradise. *text by anon., c. 1586; music from traditional American melodies, arr. Kimo Smith, LAND OF REST* 

based on 1 Peter 2:9-10, 24-25

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Oh, don't you w That Promised L African American Sp	, I want to cross over into campground. ant to go to that Gospel feast? and, where all is peace? <i>iritual</i>	
* Doxology Praise God from	whom all blessings flow;	
praise him abov	reatures here below; e, ye heavenly host; on, and Holy Ghost.	
* Prayer of dedication a	nd thanksgiving	
* Scripture reading from pp. 174-175 in the pew B	Olivia Oster (9:30) Julie Dean (11:00)	
This is the Word <b>Thanks be to Go</b>		
Prayer of preparation f	for the study of God's Word	
Sermon	"Serving and Surrendering" Brian Salter, lead pastor	
Pastoral prayer		
* <b>Hymn of response 355,</b> vv. 1, 3, 4		"We Are God's People"
* Benediction		
* Congregational respor	ise	"Threefold Amen"
<b>RENEW</b> update		
* Postlude	"Festive Trumpet Tune" David German	

Our organist is Joshua Knight.

Deep river, my home is over Jordan.

# WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**BUILD-A-BAG**: Help feed our community by participating in our annual food drive benefiting the Chattanooga Area Salvation Army. Please join us by picking up a bag from the fellowship hall lobby or Narthex, filling it with the items on the provided list, and dropping it off in the Small Conference Room before Sunday, September 11.

**FAMILY CAMP**: Registration for Family Camp begins August 16 at 7:00 a.m. on Realm. You won't want to miss this incredible weekend of fellowship and fun for all ages at Alpine Camp from September 9 to 11. Activities include a ropes course, climbing wall, swimming, and canoeing.

**SCRIPTURE & SONG**: "O Praise Ye the Lord!" Join us at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 21 for an evening of praise to God, led by our organist, Joshua Knight, with brass ensemble and congregational singing.

**VIP MOVIE NIGHT**: Join us on Tuesday, August 23 from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. in the Jane Harris Youth Building for pizza from Mr. T's, popcorn, treats, and a movie (*Enola Holmes*). The cost is \$5 per person. Please RSVP by Friday, August 19 by registering on Realm or sending your payment to the church office.

# FALL MUSIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL AGES:

- Children's Choirs for age 4 through grade 5: Wednesdays 4:45 5:40 p.m. (Beg. September 7)
- Worship Arts for Youth (WAY) for middle and high school: Mondays 4:30 5:30 p.m. (Beg. September 12)
- Chancel Choir for older youth (age 16) and beyond: Wednesdays 6:15 8:00 p.m. (Beg. August 24)

Register now on Realm.

**WOMEN'S DISCIPLESHIP FALL KICKOFF DINNER**: Please join us in the fellowship hall on Sunday, August 28 at 6:00 p.m. to begin the ministry year. Dinner will be provided by Bob's Brick Oven Pizza, and worship will be led by Jennifer Daniels. Invite your friends and neighbors, and come learn how you can get involved! No registration required; cost is \$10.

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

#### Deuteronomy 3:18-29

<sup>18</sup>"And I commanded you at that time, saying, 'The LORD your God has given you this land to possess. All your men of valor shall cross over armed before your brothers, the people of Israel. <sup>19</sup>Only your wives, your little ones, and your livestock (I know that you have much livestock) shall remain in the cities that I have given you. <sup>20</sup>until the LORD gives rest to your brothers, as to you, and they also occupy the land that the LORD your God gives them beyond the Jordan. Then each of you may return to his possession which I have given you.'

<sup>21</sup>"And I commanded Joshua at that time, 'Your eyes have seen all that the LORD your God has done to these two kings. So will the LORD do to all the kingdoms into which you are crossing. <sup>22</sup>You shall not fear them, for it is the LORD your God who fights for you.' <sup>23</sup>And I pleaded with the LORD at that time, saying, <sup>24</sup>'O Lord GOD, you have only begun to show your servant your greatness and your mighty hand. For what god is there in heaven or on earth who can do such works and mighty acts as yours? <sup>25</sup>Please let me go over and see the good land beyond the Jordan, that good hill country and Lebanon.' <sup>26</sup>But the LORD was angry with me because of you and would not listen to me. And the LORD said to me, 'Enough from you; do not speak to me of this matter again. <sup>27</sup>Go up to the top of Pisgah and lift up your eyes westward and northward and southward and eastward, and look at it with your eyes, for you shall not go over at the head of this people, and he shall put them in possession of the land that you shall see.' <sup>29</sup>So we remained in the valley opposite Beth-peor."

# SERMON NOTES

"Serving and Surrendering" Deuteronomy 3:18-29

A life of faithfulness to God's calling always includes:

1. serving with the Lord's people until his purposes have been accomplished. (vv. 18-20)

- 2. surrendering to the Lord's plan with confident trust. (vv. 21-29)
  - Joshua: called to surrender fear in the face of a massive challenge (vv. 21-22)

• Moses: called to surrender pride in the face of a massive loss (vv. 23-29)

*Further Up, Further In,* Resources for Continued Study



# TODAY AT LMPC

#### Sunday, August 14

9:30 a.m.	Worship service	sanctuary & fellowship hall
9:30 a.m.	Sunday school for adults	Conference Room
10:30 a.m.	Elders 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 adults, youth, & children	various locations
11:00 a.m.	High school 9th Grade Induction/Rafting Trip	
6:00 p.m.	Evening prayer	chapel

Additional seating for the sanctuary services is available in the chapel.

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

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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. 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.* 

# CONTACT US

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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.