LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 12, 2016 | Sanctuary Service | 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Prelude
Lansing Hamilton, pianist

Welcome and greetings
Don Kent, ruling elder

* Call to worship
Psalm 104:1; Psalm 103:1
Praise the LORD, O my soul. O LORD my God, you are very great; you are clothed with splendor and majesty. Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name.

* Hymn 2, vv. 1, 2, 5, 6
“O Worship the 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.

Call to confession
Psalm 139:23-24
Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

Silent prayers of confession

Assurance of God’s pardoning grace
1 Timothy 1:15; 1 Peter 2:24
Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. 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 you have been healed.
Affirmation of faith from The Heidelberg Catechism 54 and 55

I believe that the Son of God, through his Spirit and Word, out of the entire human race, from the beginning of the world to its end, gathers, protects, and preserves for himself a community chosen for eternal life and united in true faith. And of this community I am and always will be a living member.

The communion of saints—believers one and all—as members of this community, share in Christ and in all his treasures and gifts. Each member should consider it a duty to use these gifts readily and cheerfully for the service and enrichment of the other members.

Officer installation (9:30)

Questions to the candidates
Question to the congregation
Installation
Declaration and pronouncement
Giving of the right hand of fellowship

Sacrament of baptism (11:00) Lauren and Jeff Hilkert bringing Callen Scott Hilkert and Grayson Thomas Hilkert

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

Offertory “Be Thou My Vision” Melanie Riddle, soloist

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art—
thy presence my light.

Be thou my battle shield, sword for my fight;
be thou my dignity, thou my delight,
thou my soul’s shelter, thou my high tow’r:
raise thou me heav’nward, O Pow’r of my pow’r.

High King of heaven, my victory won,
may I reach heaven’s joys, O bright heav’n’s Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.
* Doxology 731

* Prayer of dedication and thanksgiving

* Scripture reading from Haggai 1:5-11, p. 1468 in pew Bible
  
  Pam Bowers (9:30)
  Al Lutz (11:00)

  Sermon
  “Consider Your Ways”
  Brian Salter, associate pastor

  Pastoral prayer

* Hymn 585, vv. 1, 5, 6
  “Take My Life, and Let It Be”

* Benediction

* Congregational response
  “Threefold Amen”

* Postlude
  Lansing Hamilton

* Congregation standing as you are able

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**Celebrating the baptism** of Callen Scott Hilkert and Grayson Thomas Hilkert at the 11:00 a.m. service in the sanctuary today are their parents, Lauren and Jeff Hilkert and their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Gray and Mrs. Thomas Hilkert, and their great-grandmother, Doris Gray.

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**Elders meet to pray** in Pastor Novenson’s office at 10:30 a.m. each Sunday morning. If you would like them to pray for you and your specific needs, they welcome you to join them.

**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.

**Children are welcome to participate in all worship services, no matter the age of the child.** Worship sheets and crayons are available in the narthex and at the front of the sanctuary to help children interact with the sermon.
1. Consider the perpetual frustration of Kingdom neglect (vv. 5-6)

“If you spend your time and energy seeking comfort and security from the world, and do not spend yourself for the glory of God, every pleasure will leave its sour aftertaste of depression and guilt and frustration.” John Piper, *Take Courage: You Build More Than You See*

2. Consider the satisfying pleasure of true Kingdom building (vv. 7-8)

“The greatest news in all the world is that God’s ultimate aim to be glorified and man’s aim to be satisfied are not at odds...God is most glorified when we are most satisfied in Him.” John Piper, *Take Courage: You Build More Than You See*

3. Consider our current circumstances in light of God’s loving discipline (vv. 9-11)

“The prophet is not suggesting that every experience of suffering or hardship is automatically a sign of God’s discipline. However, many have moved to the opposite extreme, where there is little sense of expectation of the intrusion of God into their everyday affairs.” Mark J. Boda, *Haggai, Zechariah: The NIV Application Commentary*

**Big Idea:** When there is Kingdom neglect among God’s people, God calls us to give careful thought to our ways.
IN MEMORIAM
Ina Steele Crouch
August 26, 1928—June 2, 2016

The rosebud in the fellowship hall today is for the birth of Lanna Gabrielle Carr, born to Emilie and Perrin Carr on June 4.

Volunteer Opportunity

Are you willing to serve as an usher or on the welcome team? We need your help! To sign up, please email Jason Lehn at jasonalehn@gmail.com.

TODAY AT LMPC—Sunday, June 12

Morning worship (sanctuary) 8:10, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.
Nursery 8:10, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.
Morning worship (fellowship hall) 9:30, 11:00 a.m.
Adult summer Sunday School (Conference Room) 9:30 a.m.
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Middle school summer Bible study (JHYB) 4:15 p.m.
Evening prayer with report from Jim Sutherland (chapel) 6:00 p.m.
High school youth group (JHYB) 7:30 p.m.

For more events this week, visit lmpc.org/calendar or check the calendar in the hallway outside the sanctuary.
Weekly Announcements

All adult women of the church are invited to come to our Women's Summer Suppers this summer. The suppers will be held on three Wednesday nights during the summer – June 29, July 27, and August 24 – in homes of women in the church. Each supper will include 8-12 women of all generations. You may sign up for the June supper (with a friend if you like) by sending an email to women@lmpc.org by June 22 at the latest.

The LMPC Middle School Service Days will take place June 21-22. Meet at the JHYB at 9:00 a.m. each day and bring a sack lunch with you — we will provide drinks. Please email katie@lmpc.org if you plan to come.

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

Finance Update - 2016 giving

Annual Budget: $4.33 million
Giving as of May 31: $1.81 million
Remaining Gifts Needed: $2.52 million

We are grateful to God for the generosity present at LMPC. We encourage you, if you have already given, to continue to give regularly throughout the year. If you have not yet given this year, please consider giving toward the mission of LMPC.
Our mission: glorifying God by growing in grace and giving our lives away on the mountain, in the city, and around the world.