



LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN

Presbyterian Church

IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Grant unto us, Almighty God, of thy good Spirit, that quiet heart and that patient lowliness to which thy comforting Spirit comes; that we, being humble toward thee and loving toward one another, may have our hearts prepared for that peace of thine which passeth understanding; which, if we have, the storms of life can hurt us but little and the cares of life vex us not at all; in presence of which death shall lose its sting and the grave its terror; and we, in calm joy, walk all the days of our appointed time, until our great change shall come. Amen.—George Dawson

MAY 10, 2026 . FELLOWSHIP HALL SERVICE . 8:45 AND 11:00 A.M.

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. We encourage you to read the text on the front of the bulletin as we prepare to worship together.*

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 crayons and children's bulletins.*

** Congregation standing as you are able*

Order of Worship

Welcome and greetings

John Mark Scruggs, pastor of congregational care

*** Call to worship**

from Psalm 89:8-9, 11, 14, 52

Leader: O LORD God Almighty, who is like you?

All: You are mighty, O LORD, and your faithfulness surrounds you. You rule over the surging sea; when its waves mount up, you still them. The heavens are yours, and yours also the earth; you founded the world and all that is in it.

Leader: Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne; love and faithfulness go before you.

All: Praise be to the LORD forever! Amen and Amen.

*** Hymn of praise**

“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven, to his feet thy tribute bring;
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, who, like me, his praise should sing?
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the everlasting King.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the everlasting King.

Praise him for his grace and favor to our fathers in distress;
praise him, still the same forever, slow to chide and swift to bless.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, glorious in his faithfulness.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, glorious in his faithfulness.

Fatherlike, he tends and spares us; well our feeble frame he knows;
in his hands he gently bears us, rescues us from all our foes.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, widely as his mercy goes.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, widely as his mercy goes.

Angels, help us to adore him; ye behold him face to face;
sun and moon, bow down before him, dwellers all in time and space.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise with us the God of grace.
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise with us the God of grace.
text by Henry Lyte, 1834; music by Christopher Miner, 1997

* Prayer of adoration

Sacrament of baptism (8:45)

Hannah and Alex Wilson bringing Georgia Grace Weeks Wilson and Lawrence
Alexander Wilson IV

New member vows (11:00)

Call to confession

Micah 7:18-19

Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives the transgression of the
remnant of his inheritance? You do not stay angry forever but delight to show
mercy. You will again have compassion on us; you will tread our sins underfoot
and hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea.

Prayer of confession

Leader: O Lord, as long as I am apart from you, I am self-satisfied,
because I have no standard by which to measure my low stature.
But when I come near to you, there I see myself clearly.

All: **In your light, I behold my darkness.
In your purity, I behold my corruption.
O Lord, let me gaze on you more and more—
until, in the vision of your brightness, I loathe the sight of my
impurity; until, in the blaze of your glory, I fall to my knees,
blinded and broken, to rise again as a new creation in you.**
adapted from a prayer by George Matheson

Silent prayers of confession

Since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we rejoice in the hope of the glory of God.

*** Hymn of assurance**

“His Mercy Is More”

What love could remember no wrongs we have done?
Omniscient, all-knowing, he counts not their sum.
Thrown into the sea without bottom or shore:
our sins, they are many, his mercy is more.

Refrain: Praise the Lord, his mercy is more.
Stronger than darkness, new ev'ry morn—
our sins, they are many, his mercy is more.

What patience would wait as we constantly roam?
What Father, so tender, is calling us home?
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor:
our sins, they are many, his mercy is more. *Refrain*

What riches of kindness he lavished on us.
His blood was the payment, his life was the cost.
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford:
our sins, they are many, his mercy is more. *Refrain*

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

Offertory hymn

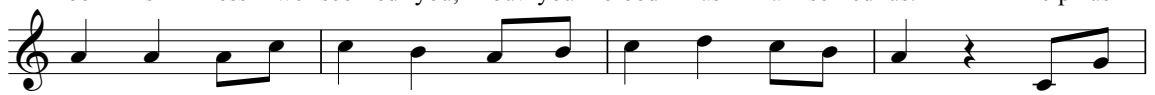
“Christ, Our Wisdom”



1.Christ, our wis - dom, we are hum - bled when you hide your ways from us; you have
 2.Christ, our wis - dom, be our glad - ness when we fail to un - der stand; you or -
 3.Christ, our wis - dom, we will fol - low though the way a - head is veiled; as we
 4.Christ, our wis - dom, we a - dore you for the beau - ty of the cross; once in



pur - pos - es un - num - bered, each one good and glo - ri - ous. Help us
 dain all joy and sad - ness to ful - fill your per - fect plan. Help us
 jour - ney through the shad - ows, grant us faith where sight has failed. Help us
 fool - ish - ness we scorned you, but your blood has ran - somed us. Help us



trust when we grow wea - ry, free us from our anx - ious thoughts; give us
 know you rule with pow - er o - ver ev - 'ry rag - ing flood; in our
 cling to your com - mand - ments, strenth - ened by your faith - ful word; we will
 sing the end - less mer - cies of your hum - ble heart to save; Christ our



grace to see more clear - ly; you are God, and we are not.
 most un - cer - tain hour, you are God, and we are loved.
 nev - er be a - ban - doned; you are God, and we are yours.
 wis - dom, Christ our glo - ry, you are God, for - ev - er praise.

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*** Scripture reading from John 6:16-21**

text printed in the bulletin

Tabitha Kapic (8:45)

Barbara Wingard (11:00)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Prayer of preparation for the study of God’s Word

Sermon

“Jesus Walks on Water”

Chad Middlebrooks, pastor of discipleship

Pastoral prayer

*** Hymn of response**

“Yet Not I, but Through Christ in Me”

What gift of grace is Jesus, my Redeemer;
there is no more for heaven now to give.
He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom,
my steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace.
To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus,
for my life is wholly bound to his.
O, how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken,
for by my side, the Savior, he will stay.
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing,
for in my need his power is displayed.
To this I hold: my Shepherd will defend me;
through the deepest valley he will lead.
O, the night has been won, and I shall overcome!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

With ev'ry breath I long to follow Jesus,
for he has said that he will bring me home.
And day by day I know he will renew me
until I stand with joy before the throne.
To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus;
all the glory evermore to him.
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
yet not I, but through Christ in 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:

Ismael Bartolome – violin

Anna Hawkins – piano

David Henry – guitar, vocals

Hannah Lutz – viola

Haddon Salter – guitar

Sara Satterfield – vocals

Adalynn Wykoff – vocals

IN MEMORIAM

Geraldine “Geri” Elizabeth Gibbs Morrow

August 9, 1921 – April 30, 2026

Celebrating the baptisms of Georgia Grace Weeks Wilson and Lawrence Alexander Wilson IV at the 8:45 service in the fellowship hall today are their parents, Hannah and Alex Wilson, and their grandparents, Dawn and Jay Jumper and Caroline and Larry Wilson.

Celebrating the baptism of Matthew Endlich at the 11:00 service in the sanctuary today are his parents, Amy and J. B. Endlich.

John 6:16-21

¹⁶When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, ¹⁷got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. ¹⁸The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. ¹⁹When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were frightened.

²⁰But he said to them, "It is I; do not be afraid." ²¹Then they were glad to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat was at the land to which they were going.

SERMON NOTES
"Jesus Walks on Water"
John 6:16-21

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR SUNDAY EVENING GATHERING today will be a time of prayer for our missions partners in Room 211 at 6:00 p.m.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR THE SUMMER: Moving forward, when we have Sunday School, our worship services will be held at 8:45 and 11:00 a.m. When we do not, worship services will be held at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. The last day of Sunday School is May 17, so we will move to the non-Sunday School schedule beginning May 24.

CENTRAL ASIA TRIP REPORT & UGANDA TEAM COMMISSIONING: On Sunday, May 17 at 6:00 p.m., gather in the fellowship hall to hear from Pastors Brian and Wil, along with Tripp Johnston and Keith Michaels, about how God is working in Central Asia. We will also pray for the High School Uganda Team leaving at the end of May. Evening Communion will resume in June.

OUR FIRST WOMEN'S SUMMER SUPPER will be held at 6:00 p.m. on June 11 in individual homes. Please register on Realm Connect and, if you're able to host, email Caroline: caroline@lmpc.org. Look for another summer supper coming on July 14.

DO YOU LOVE TO SING? High schoolers and adults are invited to join either the Women's or Men's Ensembles this summer. Men will practice and sing in June, and women in July. See full schedules and register on Realm Connect.

VBS REGISTRATION IS OPEN on Realm Connect. Rising kindergarteners through rising sixth graders, join us July 21-23 from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. for dinner, worship, and activity rotations. Volunteer registration is also open; please sign up if you can help.

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

TODAY AT LMPC

Sunday, May 10

8:45 a.m.	Worship service.....	sanctuary & fellowship hall
10:00 a.m.	Sunday school for children.....	children's classrooms
10:00 a.m.	Sunday school for youth	JHYB
10:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday school: Fellowship class.....	Room 213
10:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday school: Kingdom class	chapel
10:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday school: Redeemer class	Room 211
10:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday school: Sojourner class	Room 313
10:00 a.m.	Elder Prayer (pray with an elder and his wife)	Room 212
11:00 a.m.	Worship service.....	sanctuary & fellowship hall
6:00 p.m.	Sunday Evening Gathering with missions prayer	Room 211

For more events this week, visit lmpc.org/events; for information on groups and classes, visit lmpc.org/groups.

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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.*

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Worship services with Communion are held on the first Sunday of every month in all morning services. Devices to amplify sound are available. If you would like one, please arrive a few minutes early and ask an usher to assist you.