

Lancaster Presbyterian Church

A Congregation of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church

Rev. Dr. Kelly Negus Senior Pastor

Rev. Will McCabe Associate Pastor

Raffi Wright Director of Youth & Music Ministries

The Ten Biblical Principles of Revitalization:

- 1. Remember God's faithfulness.
- Repent continually.
- Be gospel driven and Christ centered.
- Pray without ceasing.
- Minister the word.
- Cultivate spiritual formation.
- Engage clear vision, mission and values.
- empowering servant leaders.
- Build small groups.
- 10. Pursue Great Commission discipleship.

Welcome to **Sunday Morning Worship**

Sunday, July 27, 2025

Open Book: Learning from Corinth What's on the Test

2 Corinthians 9:1-15 (1160) God Loves a Cheerful Giver! **Pastor Kelly Negus**

**************** The Church Family is cordially invited to attend a Wedding Reception honoring

Pastor Will & Mrs. Cassandra McCabe

Saturday, August 9th 2:00pm in Waith Fellowship Hall Refreshments, photo opportunities, wedding highlights! *Wedding cards are encouraged* Hosted by the Deacons

Purpose:

Core Values:

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For God's glory we are committed to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ in all we say and all we do to make and equip disciples in our families, our community, and the world.

We believe in the authority of Scripture and we affirm the historic teachings of Reformed Christianity.

Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

July 27, 2025 ~ 9:30 AM

Welcome

Please sign the Friendship pad as it is passed through the pew, returning it to the side aisle.

Large Print Bulletins and Hearing Assistance

are available An usher will assist you.

Devices

Child Care is provided through kindergarten in the preschool wing on the first floor.

An usher will guide you.

Prayer Cards are available for special prayer requests. Prayer cards can be found in the pew envelope holders and as you enter the balcony. They can be placed in the offering basket.

A wooden box in the back of the sanctuary is available for confidential prayer requests.

Please silence your cell phone.

* Stand, if able

Prelude

Welcome and Friendship Pad – Gaelen Negus Minute for Mission: Raffi Wright, Aurelius Chaves

Call to Worship

(Psalm 37:1-6)
Do not fret because of evildoers,
Be not envious toward wrongdoers.
For they will wither quickly like the grass
And fade like the green herb.
Trust in the Lord and do good;
Dwell in the land and cultivate faithfulness.
Delight yourself in the Lord;
And He will give you the desires of your heart.
Commit your way to the Lord,
Trust also in Him, and He will do it.
He will bring forth your righteousness
as the light
And your judgment as the noonday.

*Worship Songs Offering ~ What a Beautiful Name Led by the LPC Worship Team

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Heavenly Father, Lord Jesus, Holy Spirit,
You give, and give,
and You never stop giving.
Every good and perfect gift
is from Your hand.
We thank You and praise You
for Your endless grace.
As we reflect on Your goodness,
we are mindful of how often
we forget to return thanks
for Your great faithfulness.
Please hear the confession of our sins
in the silence of this moment.

Silent Confession

Holy One, You have redeemed us

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.

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Women: Praise Him above ye heavenly host
Men: Praise Him above ye heavenly host
Women: Praise, Father Son Men: Praise, Father Son Women: Praise, Father Son Men: Praise, Father Son All: Praise, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!

through the blood of Christ,
and we do not belong to ourselves but to You.

Please fill us with a clear sense of Your goodness in our lives
and a profound appreciation
for the blessings of walking with You
in service to Your great name.

We pray in the name of Jesus, Amen!

*Hymn: Jesus Paid It All Red Hymnal #273

Prayer for Illumination

2 Corinthians 9:1-15 God Loves a Cheerful Giver! Pastor Kelly Negus

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Affirmation of Faith Westminster Larger Catechism: Answer 49

Christ humbled himself in his death by being betrayed by Judas, forsaken by His disciples, scorned and rejected by the world, condemned by Pilate, and tormented with physical persecution. He struggled with the terrors of death and the powers of darkness; He felt and bore the weight of God's anger. Finally, enduring the painful, shameful, and cursed death on the cross, He laid down His life as an offering for sin.

Worship with Tithes and Offerings Offertory: *God of Wonders*

Camp Duffield Campers and Staff

*Doxology
*Benediction

*Worship Song: 10,000 Reasons

Postlude

Raffi Wright - LPC Youth & Music Director

Offering

The sun cannot compare to the glory of Your love
There is no shadow in Your presence
No mortal man would dare to stand before Your throne
Before the Holy One of Heaven
It's only by Your blood it's only through Your mercy
Lord I come

I bring an offering of worship to my King No one on earth deserves the praises that I sing Jesus may You receive the honor that You're due Oh Lord I bring an offering to You

> I bring an offering to You O Lord I bring an offering to You O Lord I bring an offering to You

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What a Beautiful Name

You were the Word at the beginning
One with God the Lord Most High
Your hidden glory in creation
Now revealed in You our Christ

What a beautiful Name it is, What a beautiful Name it is The Name of Jesus Christ my King What a beautiful Name it is, Nothing compares to this What a beautiful Name it is, The Name of Jesus

> You didn't want heaven without us So Jesus You brought heaven down My sin was great Your love was greater What could separate us now

What a wonderful Name it is, What a wonderful Name it is
The Name of Jesus Christ my King
What a wonderful Name it is, Nothing compares to this
What a wonderful Name it is, The Name of Jesus
What a wonderful Name it is, The Name of Jesus

Death could not hold You
The veil tore before You
You silence the boast of sin and grave
The heavens are roaring
The praise of Your glory
For You are raised to life again

You have no rival, You have no equal Now and forever God You reign Yours is the kingdom, Yours is the glory Yours is the Name above all names

What a powerful Name it is, What a powerful Name it is The Name of Jesus Christ my King What a powerful Name it is, Nothing can stand against What a powerful Name it is, The Name of Jesus

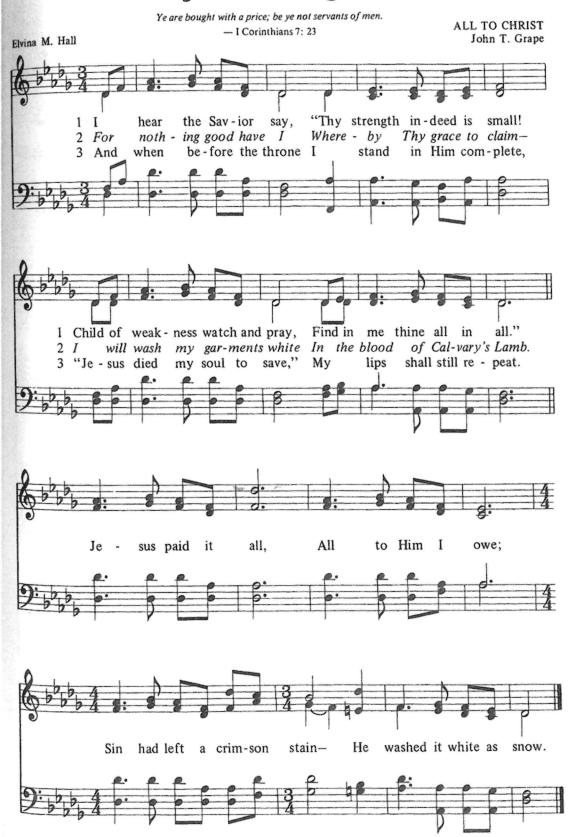
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Jesus Paid It All



10,000 Reasons

Bless the Lord O my soul
O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before
O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes

Chorus

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your name is great and Your heart is kind For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find Chorus

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore

Chorus

Worship Your holy name Lord I'll worship Your holy name

Sing like never before
O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name

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Praying for Our Family

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Gloria Chaves
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Helen Markham
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Mike Eaton
Doris Moranski
Violet Chaves
Ron Stasiowski
Judy Martin
Don Flaig

Home Members

Shirley Richard Nancy Patterson Dave Breckenridge Millie Epolito Jackie Harbold Judy Kish

Military Personnel:

Thomas Carlsen II
David Boncore

Prayer Ministry:

All prayer requests can be emailed to the church office at office@l-p-c.org, or simply complete the form on our church website.

Summer Youth Group Fun @ LPC!

LPC Kids (K-6th grade)

Friday, August 1: Movie Night! (King of Kings) @ LPC; 6:00pm - 8:30pm

Pop-up Pool parties, Bonfires, Bible Studies throughout the summer! Stay in the loop by visiting our Youth Ministry Webpage and our LPC Facebook group.

LPC Youth Group (7th-12th grade)

Weekly Monday Sewing Club (begins Monday, July 7th); 9:30am to 11:30am; Spots are limited! Email the office to sign up (office@L-P-C.org)

Saturday, August 16th: *Community Service Trip* with Lighthouse Outreach and Niagara Gospel Mission

Pop-up Bible studies and bonfires throughout the summer!

Join the *GroupMe Chat* to stay in the loop on all upcoming events!!

Contact Raffi Wright with any questions (raffi@L-P-C.org)



Communion will take place next Sunday, August 3rd.

Next Sunday we invite all true believers in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord to celebrate together the Lord's Supper. We ask you to prepare your hearts by the examination of your relationship with Christ and bring before Him any known sins. Use this time as an opportunity to draw nearer with a true heart in the full assurance of faith as we soon come to proclaim both our belonging to Christ and the salvation we receive from the new covenant sealed through His blood.

LPC T-Shirts

LPC has new shirts available! We believe that wearing the shirt provides a great way of both showing your love for the church while also providing an opportunity to share the love of Christ with those you see in your day-to-day lives. Both kinds of shirts are \$15 each with kids shirts being free! Go to Marie in the main office after the Sunday Service or you can come by the church during office hours (9am-1pm) to get them. Cash or check will be accepted for payment.

Weekly and Year to Date Giving

July 13th Gifts \$8,198

Weekly Required Budget \$9,866 x 24 remaining **2025 Received** \$233,226

2025 Annual Budget

\$470,000



How to Give Online

- 1. Scan the QR code
- 2. Visit l-p-c.org/give/

Sermon Series for 2025

Overall Theme for the Year: Church Health and Vision

Open Book: Learning from Corinth What's on the Test (21 weeks)

There is a lot to understand about what it means to be a Christian and what we are to understand as Christians. Paul walks the Corinthian Church (and us as well) through his letter, 2 Corinthians, about what it means to walk with Christ as individuals and collectively as a church. Most importantly, we are reminded of Christ being more than the perfect example, but the perfect fulfiller on our behalf. Join us through 2 Corinthians as Paul gives us a "study guide" on how we are to live and how to grow a deeper understanding & love of our Lord and Savior!

Sunday, August 3rd Scripture: 2 Corinthians 10:1-18 Sunday, August 10th Scripture: 2 Corinthians 11:1-15 Sunday, August 17th Scripture: 2 Corinthians 11:16-33

DAB (Dessert And Bible) Young Adult Ministry

Meeting weekly on Mondays (6:30pm to 8:30pm) throughout the summer. Plan to come for dessert and a time together in the Bible, along with games and more fun!

Monday, July 28th - at the Chaves home at 315 Girard Ave in East Aurora

LPC Church Picnic! Sunday, August 10th (Como Park Gazebo Shelter) 12:30pm, with lunch being served at 1:00pm (rain or shine)

Church will provide: meat, paper products and table settings, lemonade and bottled water

Each family please bring a dish to pass! Please sign up on the sheet on the Information Table if you plan to attend so we can plan accordingly for the meat for the picnic.

Plan for lawn games, fellowship & a fun time together! Feel free to bring a chair if you would like to sit somewhere other than at the tables in the gazebo.

Child Care (September through November)

- We are looking for 2 adults & 1 teenage helper each Sunday, September through November.
- If you are able to help with this special ministry please sign up on the sheet provided on the Information Table outside the sanctuary.

A special thank you to all who volunteer their time during our worship services!