



Lancaster
Presbyterian
Church

*A Congregation of
the Evangelical
Presbyterian Church*

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Senior Pastor

Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, August 8, 2021

Ephesians 2: 11-22 One

¹¹ Therefore remember that formerly you, the Gentiles in the flesh, who are called "Uncircumcision" by the so-called "Circumcision," *which is* performed in the flesh by human hands— ¹² *remember* that you were at that time separate from Christ, excluded from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. ¹³ But now in Christ Jesus you who formerly were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. ¹⁴ For He Himself is our peace, who made both *groups into* one and broke down the barrier of the dividing wall, ¹⁵ by abolishing in His flesh the enmity, *which is* the Law of commandments *contained* in ordinances, so that in Himself He might make the two into one new man, *thus* establishing peace, ¹⁶ and might reconcile them both in one body to God through the cross, by it having put to death the enmity. ¹⁷ AND HE CAME AND PREACHED PEACE TO YOU WHO WERE FAR AWAY, AND PEACE TO THOSE WHO WERE NEAR; ¹⁸ for through Him we both have our access in one Spirit to the Father. ¹⁹ So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints, and are of God's household, ²⁰ having been built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus Himself being the corner *stone*, ²¹ in whom the whole building, being fitted together, is growing into a holy temple in the Lord, ²² in whom you also are being built together into a dwelling of God in the Spirit.

For Next Week: Ephesians 3: 1-13

Purpose:

**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.**

Core Values:

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

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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 Devices
are available
An usher will assist you.

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.

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.

Please silence your cell phone.

**Stand, if able*

Welcome

*Worship Songs

Better Is One Day ~ Wonderful, Merciful Savior
Draw Me Close ~ Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)

Led by the LPC Worship Team

Prayer

Ephesians 2: 11-22

One

Pastor Kelly Negus

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

The Affirmation of Faith

Essentials of Our Faith: Paragraph 5

The true Church is composed of all persons who through saving faith in Jesus Christ and the sanctifying work of the Holy Spirit are united together in the body of Christ. The Church finds her visible, yet imperfect, expression in local congregations where the Word of God is preached in its purity and the sacraments are administered in their integrity, where scriptural discipline is practiced, and where loving fellowship is maintained. For her perfecting, she awaits the return of her Lord.

*Benediction

*Worship Song

O Praise the Name

Church Announcements

Worship with Us this Summer Sundays @ 9:30am

Child care is provided.

Traditional & Contemporary service styles vary each week.

Per CDC and NYS guidelines:

**Masks and social distancing are optional for those who have been fully Covid-19 vaccinated.*

**However, masks and social distancing are required for those who have not been fully Covid-19 vaccinated.*



Summer Child Care

Thank you to all who have signed up so far to help with child care this summer!

- There are still a few Sundays this summer where child care is needed.
- We are looking for 2 adults and 1 teenage helper each Sunday.
- If you are able to help with this special ministry please sign up on the sheet provided on the Information Table outside the sanctuary.

DAB - College/Career Ministry of LPC

Dinner/Bible/Fellowship/Fun

Spiritual Survival in the Gathering Storm

"You rule the swelling of the sea; when its waves rise, you still them." Psalm 89:9

Meeting every Monday throughout the summer at 6:00pm

Dave & Becky Young's home (12 Huntley Place, Lancaster)

Church Office Summer Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00am - 1:00pm

Summer fun with our LPC Summer Youth Interns, Gabe Negus & Rachael Cole!

- **Junior & Senior High Summer Youth Group @ the Potter's House**
Tuesday evenings from 7:00pm—9:00pm (grades 6-12)
In this youth group we will be focusing on the book of Jude and following a study plan by Jackie Hill Perry. We will also have games and snacks! Be sure to follow us on Instagram (@lpc.youth)!
- **Girls Bible Study (grades 5-12)**
Meeting weekly on Wednesdays from 1:00pm—3:00pm @ LPC
A time together for crafts, snacks & to be in God's Word!
- **Kids Summer Youth Group (completed 2nd-5th grade)**
Thursday evenings
Meeting at the Young's home 6:30pm—8:30pm
All are welcome for games, crafts, snacks & Bible and Character Building lessons!
- **Boys Bible Study (grades 5-12)**
Meeting weekly on Fridays from 1:00pm—3:00pm @ LPC
A time together for games, snacks & to be in God's Word!

Be sure to watch the LPC FB group and check out the Events page on our church website for ALL activities! We look forward to working with your children and hope to create long lasting relationships with them!

Special Activities this week

Junior & Senior High Youth Movie Night - Saturday, August 14
All 7th through 12th graders are invited to the Negus's for movie night!
Drop off at the Negus's @ 8:00pm, pick up @ 11:00pm