



**Lancaster  
Presbyterian  
Church**

*A Congregation of  
the Evangelical  
Presbyterian Church*

**Rev. Dr. Kelly Negus  
Senior Pastor**

# Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, May 2, 2021

## **Romans 3: 9-20 We All Need the Savior**

<sup>9</sup>What then? Are we better than they? Not at all; for we have already charged that both Jews and Greeks are all under sin: <sup>10</sup>as it is written, "THERE IS NONE RIGHTEOUS, NOT EVEN ONE; <sup>11</sup>THERE IS NONE WHO UNDERSTANDS, THERE IS NONE WHO SEEKS FOR GOD; <sup>12</sup>ALL HAVE TURNED ASIDE, TOGETHER THEY HAVE BECOME USELESS; THERE IS NONE WHO DOES GOOD, THERE IS NOT EVEN ONE. <sup>13</sup>THEIR THROAT IS AN OPEN GRAVE, WITH THEIR TONGUES THEY KEEP DECEIVING, THE POISON OF ASPS IS UNDER THEIR LIPS; <sup>14</sup>WHOSE MOUTH IS FULL OF CURSING AND BITTERNESS; <sup>15</sup>THEIR FEET ARE SWIFT TO SHED BLOOD, <sup>16</sup>DESTRUCTION AND MISERY ARE IN THEIR PATHS, <sup>17</sup>AND THE PATH OF PEACE THEY HAVE NOT KNOWN, <sup>18</sup>THERE IS NO FEAR OF GOD BEFORE THEIR EYES." <sup>19</sup>Now we know that whatever the Law says, it speaks to those who are under the Law, so that every mouth may be closed and all the world may become accountable to God; <sup>20</sup>because by the works of the Law no flesh will be justified in His sight; for through the Law *comes* the knowledge of sin.

**For Next Week: Luke 24: 50-53**

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**Communion will be taking place this morning.**

Communion is offered in self-serve packages.  
The elements can be picked up in the glass atrium  
outside the sanctuary.

### **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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cell phone.

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**Prelude: *Spirit of the Living God*** ~ arranged by R. Thygerson

## Welcome

### Call to Worship

(Psalm 121)

I will lift up my eyes to the mountains;  
From where shall my help come?  
My help *comes* from the LORD,  
Who made heaven and earth.  
He will not allow your foot to slip;  
He who keeps you will not slumber.  
Behold, He who keeps Israel  
Will neither slumber nor sleep.  
The LORD is your keeper;  
The LORD is your shade on your right hand.  
The sun will not smite you by day,  
Nor the moon by night.  
The LORD will protect you from all evil;  
He will keep your soul.  
The LORD will guard  
your going out and your coming in  
From this time forth and forever.

### **\*Hymn: *Softly and Tenderly***

Red Hymnal #432

### **Prayer of Adoration and Confession**

Heavenly Father, Lord Jesus, Holy Spirit,  
We have all sinned and fall short of Your glory.  
We all need Your forgiveness.  
Praise You that we who need Your forgiveness every day  
have Your forgiveness every day  
by faith in Christ.  
Please hear the confession of our sins  
in the silence of this moment.

### **Silent Confession**

Wonderful, Merciful God our Savior,  
No matter what comes in this life,  
we know that You are faithful

### **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.  
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our daily bread.  
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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!

and that You are always with us.

Thank You!

Apart from You we can do nothing,  
and yet,

we can do all things through Christ who strengthens us.

Please strengthen us to do Your will,  
in Jesus' name, Amen.

#### **\*Hymn: *Just As I Am***

Red Hymnal #417

#### **Prayer for Illumination**

## **Romans 3: 9-20**

### **We All Need the Savior**

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#### **The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

#### **The Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church;  
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### **The Serving of the Elements**

Please hold each element to partake together as a congregation.

#### **Worship with Tithes and Offerings**

#### **Offertory: *As The Deer***

#### **\*Doxology**

#### **\*Benediction**

#### **\*Parting Song: *What a Friend We Have in Jesus***

Red Hymnal #466

**Postlude: *Rondeau*** ~ Jean Joseph Mouret

Joanne Lorenzo, Guest Organist

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forever. Amen.

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### **\*Worship Songs**

*Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down  
Great Is Thy Faithfulness*  
Led by the LPC Worship Team

### **Children's Message: Debi Eaton**

### **\*Worship Songs**

*Jesus, Lover of My Soul ~ I Will Rise*

## Prayer

## Romans 3: 9-20

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### **\*Benediction**

**\*Worship Song**  
*Forever Reign*

## Church Announcements

# FIRMLY PLANTED



**LPC Family & Youth Camp June 26 - June 29, 2021**

*"Therefore as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, having been firmly rooted and now being built up in Him and established in your faith, just as you were instructed, and overflowing with gratitude." ~Colossians 2: 6-7*

### **Summer Youth Camp at Camp Duffield**

Summer Youth camp is back for the year 2021 and we couldn't be more excited to have you join us! Although things may look a little different the most important things will remain.

Summer Camp this year will be 3 full days at Camp Duffield in Delevan, NY, and is open to students who are in 3rd-8th grade. The dates are Saturday, June 26th at 9am through Tuesday June 29th at 9am.

This year's theme is Firmly Planted and through interactive lessons and discussions campers will learn about Jesus, how He offers eternal life to those who accept Him as Savior and how being firmly planted in those truths will help them to grow and reach others! The 3 days will also be packed with group games, swimming, crafts, campfires and many other fun activities to help get your summer started right. Our Summer Youth Camp is open to everyone you do not have to be a member of Lancaster Presbyterian Church to attend.

Registration has started and will close June 1st, so sign up today to get your spot.

### **Family Camp at Camp Duffield**

While 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders enjoy being "campers" at Summer Youth Camp, families and singles are invited to share the same weekend at Family Camp. Families staying in cabins, tents or personal RVs can expect a weekend to grow friendships while relaxing by the pond, hiking, crafting or playing. There will be Bible direction, optional activities, campfires and tons of fun for your pre-campers. All meals provided.

**Camp forms can also be found on our website: <https://www.l-p-c.org/ministries/summer-camp/>**

**Graduation Sunday** - Are you or a family member graduating this Spring/Summer? If so, please contact Marie in the church office so you or your family member can be included in this year's Graduation Sunday taking place Sunday, June 20th at 9:30am. We look forward to celebrating you!

**Junior/Senior High Youth Group TONIGHT!**  
**7:00pm—8:30pm @ the Potter's House; Please bring a mask!**

**NO Youth Group next Sunday, May 9th (Mother's Day)**

**\*\*Special Event: FRISBEE GOLF - Sunday, May 16th\*\***

Meet at the church at 1:00pm to drive to the Shore Winds Disc Golf course in Waterport, NY.

Bring discs if you have some! Pack a lunch or eat before.

Bring \$5 to purchase pizza after we play! Dress for the weather and bring a mask!

Pick up from the church at 7:30-8:00pm. Permission slip is required and found on the church website.

**Kids Youth Group this Thursday, May 6th—CAMP NIGHT!**

**Regular activities with a camp theme!**

*Parents are invited to attend at 7:30pm to learn about camp and ask questions!.*

**6:30pm—8:00pm at the Potter's House; Please bring a mask!**

### **National Day of Prayer—Thursday, May 6th**

Thursday, May 6 is the National Day of Prayer. Ever since Christians came to this continent, there have been times when they were called to gather in prayer. In 1952 Congress passed a bill saying that the President of the United States was to set aside an appropriate day each year as a National Day of Prayer. President Truman signed it into law. In 1988 President Reagan signed a bill designating the first Thursday in May as the official National Day of Prayer.

There will be a prayer gathering in front of the Lancaster Town Hall from 12 noon-12:45 P.M. on May 6. There will also be a prayer service here at Lancaster Presbyterian at 7:00 that evening. Please plan to attend one or both of these gatherings to pray for our nation.

"I urge that entreaties and prayers, petitions and thanksgivings be made on behalf of all men, for kings and all who are in authority so that we may lead a tranquil and quiet life in all godliness and dignity. God calls us to pray, He hears our prayers and He answers." | Timothy 2:1-2

### **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*

**DAB KICK OFF EVENT! Monday, May 17th**

**6:00pm—8:00pm**

**At the Young's Home**

**Continuing every Monday throughout the summer!**

**Ligonier Ministries**, publishers of *Tabletalk* magazine will hold one of its conferences in Pittsburgh, PA September 24-25. Please contact Gloria Chaves if you would like to be part of a group from LPC making the trek to Pittsburgh for this conference. From their website:

*"Rather than a mere relic of the past, the Reformation is our future. Christians will not find strength to face the challenges of today by looking to novel ideas or innovations. Only by walking in the settled paths of God's Word can the church of Jesus Christ serve Him faithfully in a changing world.*

*Join us on September 24–25, 2021, for A Continuing Reformation, a two-day conference in Pittsburgh, PA. As we examine essential truths of Scripture championed in the Protestant Reformation, we'll be encouraged to stand with greater conviction on the immovable foundation of our faith."*

The cost is \$149 if registered before May 22. This does not include meals or hotel.

<https://www.ligonier.org/>

### **PATH wants us back for SOUP in May**

People Against Trafficking Humans has asked that we provide the Wednesday soup meal during the month of May. A paper sign up sheet is located in the upper foyer and an online sign-up form can be accessed through the church Facebook group. Each week we need:

- A large pot of soup, any kind (serves 20-24)
- A large pot of soup, vegetarian (serves 16-20)
- Bread or rolls for 30-40 people
- Cookies or dessert for 30-40 people

Please leave your donations in the church kitchen by 10a.m. on Wednesday. Pots for soup are available in the kitchen. Questions can be directed to Becky Young [young.rebeccah@gmail.com](mailto:young.rebeccah@gmail.com) or the church office.

PATH counts on our support and you have always risen to the occasion. We are committed to May, but will carry into June if the sign up sheet fills quickly and there is interest. What a great opportunity!

Other items for PATH may be labeled and left in the kitchen or in the hall by rm 114.

Kitchen: individually packed snacks (chips, trail mix, etc.); small bottles of water; coffee & tea; coffee filters; powdered creamer; sugar

Closet: spring & summer women's clothing sizes 4—24 (small, large, extra large+)