



Lancaster
Presbyterian
Church

*A Congregation of
the Evangelical
Presbyterian Church*

Rev. Dr. Kelly Negus
Senior Pastor

Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, August 22, 2021

Ephesians 3: 14-22 **Fullness of God**

¹⁴For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, ¹⁵from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name, ¹⁶that He would grant you according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man, ¹⁷so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; *and* that you, being rooted and grounded in love, ¹⁸may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth ¹⁹and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled up to all the fullness of God. ²⁰Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us, ²¹to Him *be* the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen.

For Next Week: Ephesians 4: 1-6

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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August 22, 2021 ~ 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 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

Cornerstone ~ Cannons ~ Give Us Clean Hands

Led by the LPC Worship Team

Prayer

Ephesians 3: 14-21

Fullness of God

Pastor Kelly Negus

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

The Affirmation of Faith

The Westminster Confession of Faith: Chapter 2, Paragraph 2

God has all life, glory, goodness, and blessedness
in and of Himself.

He alone is all-sufficient in and unto Himself,
nor does He need any of His creations
or derive any glory from them.

Rather, He manifests His own glory
in, by, unto, and on them.

He is the only source of all being,
by whom, through whom, and to whom everything exists.

He has completely sovereign dominion over all things
and does with, to, or for them whatever He pleases.

Everything is revealed and completely open to Him.

His knowledge is infinite, infallible,
and does not depend on any created being,
so that to Him nothing is conditional or uncertain.

He is completely holy
in all His purposes, works, and commands.

To Him is due
whatever worship, service, or obedience

He is pleased to require
from angels, human beings, and all other creatures.

Tithes and Offerings

Lord You Have My Heart

*Benediction

Worship Song: *What a Beautiful Name

Church Announcements

Worship with us every Sunday

Traditional Service @ 8:30am

Contemporary Service @ 11:00am

Childcare provided at both services.

Our services are also live on Facebook and our YouTube channel.

Sunday School & Adult Education

Every Sunday @ 9:45am

We will follow all NYS & CDC Covid guidelines.

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We will resume back to TWO worship services on Sunday, Sept. 12th.

Communion will take place during both services.

Craft fellowship is in need of material and polyfill to make hearts for patients at Millard Fillmore Suburban. Craft fellowship is still active on a small scale of individuals working in their homes or apartment's . They will meet as a group when possible . If you have material or polyfill to donate please put it in the hall and label for craft fellowship. If you have any question please call the church office.

New Yorkers Family Research Foundation will hold its annual banquet and legislative update on New York State issues at Salvatore's Italian Gardens on October 7 at 6:30 P.M. Please plan to attend and contact Gloria Chaves so we can reserve a table for Lancaster Presbyterian Church. The cost is \$40.

"One of the things that people often comment on after attending one of our briefings is that they glean inside information that they're not hearing anywhere else. This year won't be any different! Jason McGuire, NYFRF's President, will bring the latest legislative and political updates from the Statehouse and our nation's Capitol. There will be ample opportunity for Q&A as well. Not only will there be plenty of information provided, but attendees will also enjoy a wonderful buffet."

in YOUTH Action

Youth Groups & more!!! (September to May)

- **Kids Youth Group (Grades 3 - 6)** Thursdays 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. @ the Potter's House
- **Jr/Sr High Youth Group (Grades 7 - 12)** Sundays 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. @ the Potter's House
- **DAB Dinner And Bible** College/career young adults (Schedule varies)

Youth Sunday School - Sundays @ 9:45am

Beginning Sunday September 12th



Attention Retired Men! Our LPC retired men, the **ROME**Os (Retired Old Men Eating Out), will be gathering on Wednesday, August 25 at Noon in Hillview Restaurant on Transit Road in Depew for lunch and fellowship. Come on out, have lunch and some lively discussion.

Copies of the minutes from the Stated Session Meeting in July are available on the Information Table outside of the sanctuary for those interested.

Operation Christmas Child: Collection Dates Nov. 15 - 22 This is such a great time to begin purchasing items for your shoe boxes!! Please take advantage of all of the school supplies that are on sale and available!!

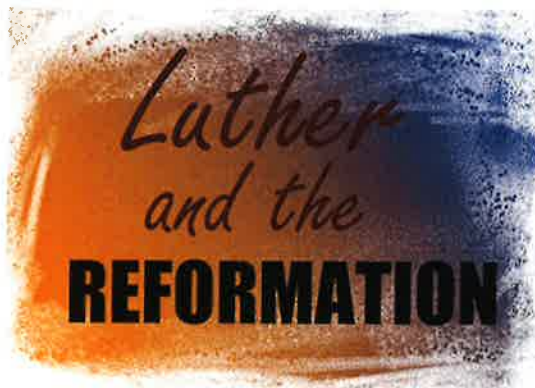
Adult Education Classes

Beginning Sunday, September 12th @ 9:45am



Teacher: Alan Nowicki Meeting in Waith Fellowship Hall

This September, Alan Nowicki will be re-starting the 8-week series titled *Come and See: Personal Encounters with Jesus*. Students will be given an overview of the Gospel of John, analyzing its main message, and examining the book from a historical, literary and cultural perspective, including translations of some of the original text. We will focus in on the unique, personal encounters that Jesus had with individuals throughout the Gospel. What do these encounters tell us about who Jesus is, and how do these interactions teach us about our own personal relationship with Christ.



Teacher: Ken O'Connor Meeting in room 114-115

Centuries after his death, Martin Luther is celebrated as an intellectual giant, a brave opponent of corruption, a shaper of culture, indeed, as one of the most significant figures in Western history. Many people, however, are unaware of the events of Luther's life that led him to make a courageous stand for the gospel in the sixteenth century. In this series, R.C. Sproul provides a thorough introduction to the life and thought of Martin Luther.

The motto of the reformation was "post tenebras lux" or "out of darkness light". It described the spiritual darkness that had descended upon the Church during the middle ages against the light of the Gospel preached by Martin Luther. Central to this issue were the sola's of the reformation. Justified by Grace Alone, through Faith Alone, in Christ Alone, as revealed in Scripture Alone, for the glory of God Alone. This series will not only explore the life and ministry of Martin Luther but the sola's of the reformation and the impact of these biblical doctrines upon our life today.

Martin Luther believed that the light of the Gospel would grow dim again. History has confirmed this truth. Europe has fallen to the post-modern philosophy, Canada not far behind. The future of the United States lies in wait.

Out of darkness light. Explore the truths of the Gospel through the life of Martin Luther and the Reformation.