



Lancaster
Presbyterian
Church

*A Congregation of
the Evangelical
Presbyterian Church*

Rev. Dr. Kelly Negus
Senior Pastor

Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, May 16, 2021

1 Timothy 1:12-17 Disparate Wonder

¹²I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because He considered me faithful, putting me into service, ¹³even though I was formerly a blasphemer and a persecutor and a violent aggressor. Yet I was shown mercy because I acted ignorantly in unbelief; ¹⁴and the grace of our Lord was more than abundant, with the faith and love which are *found* in Christ Jesus. ¹⁵It is a trustworthy statement, deserving full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, among whom I am foremost *of all*. ¹⁶Yet for this reason I found mercy, so that in me as the foremost, Jesus Christ might demonstrate His perfect patience as an example for those who would believe in Him for eternal life. ¹⁷Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, *be* honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

For Next Week: John 2:23-3:21

Summer Child Care

This special children's ministry allows parents of young children to attend our Sunday services.

- Starting Sunday June 13th and continuing throughout the summer we will be going to one service at 9:30am.
- 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.

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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May 16, 2021 ~ 8:30 AM

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and

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you enter the balcony.
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Please silence your
cell phone.

** Stand, if able*

Prelude: *A Little Bit of Mozart*

LPC Handbell Choir

Welcome

Call to Worship

(Psalm 48: 1-3, 9-10)

Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised,
In the city of our God, His holy mountain.
Beautiful in elevation, the joy of the whole earth,
Is Mount Zion *in* the far north,
The city of the great King.
God, in her palaces,
Has made Himself known as a stronghold.
We have thought on Your lovingkindness, O God,
In the midst of Your temple.
As is Your name, O God,
So is Your praise to the ends of the earth;
Your right hand is full of righteousness.

Hymn: *Sweet of Hour Prayer

Red Hymnal #439

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Lord Jesus, what must it have been
to be forsaken and despised,
surrounded by the Praetorium, the whole Roman cohort,
to suffer betrayal and denial,
the kneeling and the bowing in jest,
the crown of thorns,
the mocking and the abuse,
the head wagging and sneering,
the beating and the spitting
the Place of the Skull,
crucified between two criminals,
the wine and the gall,
the casting of lots and dividing of your possessions,
Your last breath,



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!

so that the sun was obscured
and the veil of the temple was torn in two
and darkness fell over the whole land?
Please hear the confession of our sins
in the silence of this moment.

Silent Confession

Savior,
what no one should ever endure
You took for us.
Thank You, forever!
We live to serve You, Lord Jesus, Amen.

Hymn: *Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

Red Hymnal #421

Prayer for Illumination

1 Timothy 1: 12-17

Disparate Wonder

Pastor Kelly Negus

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Affirmation of Faith

The Westminster Confession of Faith: Chapter 16, Paragraph 5

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deserve to be forgiven for our sins
and to receive eternal life from God.
There is that great disproportion
between our best works in this life
and the glory which is going to be revealed in us,
and there is the infinite distance between us and God,
who does not profit from our best works
and is not satisfied by them
for the debt of our previous sins.
When we have done all we can,
we have only done our duty
and are unprofitable servants.

Since the goodness of our best works
in fact proceeds from his Spirit
and since, insofar as they are done by us,
our best works are defiled
and mixed with our weakness and imperfection,
they cannot therefore
even stand the scrutiny of God's judgment.

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: *Majesty*

Please place your offering envelope in the containers at the back of the sanctuary after the service.

***Doxology**

***Benediction**

Parting Song: *Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

Red Hymnal #428

Postlude: *Prelude in C Major* ~ J.S. Bach

Guest Organist – Joanne Lorenzo

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forever. Amen.

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Welcome

***Worship Songs**

Sanctuary ~ You Are in Control
I Give You My Heart ~ Behold Our God
Led by the LPC Worship Team

Prayer

1 Timothy 1: 12-17

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***Benediction**

***Worship Song**
Greater

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 3rd-8th 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/>

Junior/Senior High Youth Group TODAY!

****Special Event: FRISBEE GOLF ****

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 20th

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

Special Upcoming Dates

- Sunday, June 6th: Last Sunday of 2 services; last Sunday of Sunday School & Adult Education
- Sunday, June 13th: Music Sunday, one service @ 9:30am
- Sunday, June 20th: Confirmation & Graduate Sunday, one service @ 9:30am
- Sunday, June 27th: Worship Service at Camp Duffield, followed by a church picnic (details on back cover)

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!

The magnetic name tag boards and name tags will no longer be used. The boards will be taken down in early June. If you want your tag, please take it and use it as often as you want to. But no new name tags will be ordered.

Calling all Crafters! Did covid give you extra time to be creative? Do you have extra homemade goods you'd like to share? It would be fun to give away homemade items as door prizes at the church picnic June 27! Home decor, afghans, birdhouses, paintings, ornaments, potted plants, even baked goods - anything you have made and want to share. Please contact Becky Young or the church office (before the picnic) if you have something to contribute.

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/>

All-Church Worship Service and picnic at Camp Duffield—Sunday, June 27th

- Plan now to worship together outdoors at camp, followed by a barbeque chicken lunch. Bring your own chair and dress for camp. There are limited changing facilities, so wear your old clothes and enjoy a walk in the woods after lunch.
- The ground is uneven and facilities are spread out, but the closet parking will be saved for those who need it. The church bus can take up to 12 riders.
- Lots of fun is planned with time to chat and catch up, with optional sports, crafts, pond swimming, nature walks, camp memories, and tours of the camp.
- Camp Duffield is a 50 minute drive from Lancaster
- Lunch is free, but there will be an option to help cover costs.
- The worship service and lunch will be cancelled for rain.
- Reservations are required for lunch. There is a sign up sheet in the upper foyer at church or it can be accessed through the Lancaster Presbyterian Church Facebook Group, or feel free to call the church office to make your reservation.
- Help needed—Serving lunch, clean up, parking attendants, etc. Please let Becky Young know if you are available.