

Lancaster  
Presbyterian  
Church

A Congregation of  
the Evangelical  
Presbyterian Church

Rev. Dr. Kelly Negus  
Senior Pastor

# Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, March 7, 2021

## Hosea 10:9-15 Gibeah

<sup>9</sup>From the days of Gibeah you have sinned, O Israel; There they stand! Will not the battle against the sons of iniquity overtake them in Gibeah? <sup>10</sup>When it is My desire, I will chastise them; and the peoples will be gathered against them when they are bound for their double guilt. <sup>11</sup>Ephraim is a trained heifer that loves to thresh, but I will come over her fair neck *with a yoke*, I will harness Ephraim. Judah will plow, Jacob will harrow himself. <sup>12</sup>Sow with a view to righteousness, reap in accordance with kindness; break up your fallow ground, for it is time to seek the LORD until He comes to rain righteousness on you. <sup>13</sup>You have plowed wickedness, you have reaped injustice, you have eaten the fruit of lies. Because you have trusted in your way, in your numerous warriors, <sup>14</sup>Therefore a tumult will arise among your people, and all your fortresses will be destroyed, as Shalman destroyed Beth-arbel on the day of battle, *when* mothers were dashed in pieces with *their* children. <sup>15</sup>Thus it will be done to you at Bethel because of your great wickedness. At dawn the king of Israel will be completely cut off.

**For Next Week: Galatians 3:23-29**

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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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are available  
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you enter the balcony.  
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offering basket.  
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cell phone.

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**Prelude: *Brethren, We Have Met To Worship***

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship**

(Deuteronomy 32:1-4)

Give ear, O heavens, and let me speak;  
And let the earth hear the words of my mouth.  
Let my teaching drop as the rain,  
My speech distill as the dew,  
As the droplets on the fresh grass  
And as the showers on the herb.  
For I proclaim the name of the LORD;  
Ascribe greatness to our God!

The Rock!

His work is perfect,  
For all His ways are just;  
A God of faithfulness and without injustice,  
Righteous and upright is He.

**\*Hymn: *Are You Washed in the Blood?***


Red Hymnal #259

**Prayer of Adoration and Confession**

Heavenly Father, Lord Jesus, Holy Spirit,  
Holy, Holy, Holy, is the LORD of hosts,  
The whole earth is full of Your glory!  
Isaiah said that our righteous deeds  
are like a filthy garment,  
all of us wither like a leaf,  
and our iniquities take us away like the wind.  
But there is forgiveness with You and cleansing from sin.  
Please hear the confession of our sins  
in the silence of this moment.

**Silent Confession**

Blessed Trinity,  
we desire to know You and to love You,  
to walk with You and to obey Your gospel.  
This desire comes from You,  
and to You alone be the glory.



## **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!

Please help us to serve You  
in a manner that is worthy of Your glory.  
We pray in Jesus' name, Amen!

### **\*Hymn: *The Old Rugged Cross***

Red Hymnal #256

### **Prayer for Illumination**

## **Hosea 10:9-15**

### **Gibeah**

### **Pastor Kelly Negus**

### **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**

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

#### **\*Doxology**

#### **\*Benediction**

### **\*Parting Song: *O Worship the King***

Red Hymnal #336

### **Postlude: *To God Be The Glory***

Joanne Lorenzo, Guest Organist

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forever. Amen.

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## Welcome

### **\*Worship Songs**

***No One Higher ~ Jesus Messiah***

Led by the LPC Worship Team

### **Children's Message**

### **\*Worship Songs**

***Heart of Worship ~ I Surrender All***

## Prayer

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### **\*Benediction**

### **\*Worship Song**

***Everlasting God***

## Church Announcements

### **Annual Congregational & Corporate Meeting Official Call to a Congregational Meeting Sunday, March 21, 2021**

The members of Lancaster Presbyterian Church are hereby called to the Annual Congregational and Corporate Meeting of Lancaster Presbyterian Church and the Presbyterian Society of Cayuga Creek which will be held Sunday, March 21, 2021 in the sanctuary of the church at 12:30PM following the 11 o'clock service for the purpose of receiving the Annual Report of 2020 and any other business that properly comes before the meeting.

\*\*The Elders wish to provide thoughtful and complete answers to any questions, therefore, the Elders request that all questions be submitted by March 15th.

Questions may be submitted to the Church office email [office@l-p-c.org] or feel free to place them into the Office mail box outside of room 17.\*\*

**Copies of the 2020 Annual Report are available on the Information Table.  
Please take one per family.**

### **New Adult Education Series in Waith Fellowship Hall @ 9:45am**

#### ***Sermon on the Mount, Sinclair Ferguson***

"In the face of scorn and disbelief, Jesus Christ announced His kingdom. In the face of hatred and death, He demonstrated its power."

In this twelve-lecture series, Dr. Sinclair Ferguson explains how the sermon on the mount equips us to live a kingdom life in a fallen world. Dr. Ferguson highlights Christ's exhortation to live counter-culturally, to examine the deeper implications of God's law, and to rest in the knowledge of God as Father for the cure of all our anxieties.

We look forward to this new series for such a time as this.

### **Summer Youth Interns**

The Christian Education Committee is currently searching for 1 or 2 summer interns to work for 10 weeks in the summer of 2021. Please share this opportunity with anyone who would love to serve the Lord by working with the children and youth this summer. Contact the church office or David Young ([dsy177@gmail.com](mailto:dsy177@gmail.com)) for more information. We will begin interviewing in April.

## **New PHOTO church directory**

Everyone is asked to check in with Marie in the church office during the month of March with the following information. *(If we don't hear from you, we'll try to reach you by postal mail or phone. Please save us the postage!!)*

- **Please submit your photo** of those in your household to the church office either by emailing it to office@l-p-c.org. Ideally photos would include head shots, less distraction in the background the better. Full body photos will not be rejected, but pictures will not be printed large and we want to see you!
- **Send updated contact information** - names of those in your household, address, phone numbers & email addresses
- **Op in or out of church communication:**
  - \* E-newsletter - comes about once a month (be sure to check your junk mail)
  - \* Email prayer chain - weekly or as needs arise
  - \* Church text group - text messages about closings or other emergent issues
  - \* Grapevine hard copy - monthly by postal mail
- Young adults age 18 and older typically have their own entry in the directory, they are welcome to submit their own photo or join their parents.
- You can also decline a photo & still make your contact information available.
- If a digital photo is not possible we will scan your hard copy.
- If needed, someone will be available weekly on Sunday mornings right after the 8:30am service and right before the 11:00am to take your picture here at church.
- No one will be removed from the directory unless requested.
- Our church directory is available to all those who worship with us!

We're looking forward to SEEING you!

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

**Kids Youth Group will meet this Thursday, March 11th**  
**6:30pm—8:00pm at the Potter's House**  
**Please bring a mask!**

## **Cards to Greenfields**

Among those who have suffered the most during the pandemic are the elderly in facilities which do not allow visitors. They can however receive mail! We have coordinated with Greenfields to write cards to those with a low mail supply. So far, our college group and kids youth group have written cards to let recipients know we are "thinking of you" and praying for them. Between services in the coming weeks, congregation members will have the opportunity to write encouragement cards. If you are home and would like to participate, please contact Jennifer Waley [jenniferwaley@gmail.com](mailto:jenniferwaley@gmail.com) > Also let us know if you have unused cards to donate. *"...inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me." Matthew 25:40*

# Celebrate Holy Week

## Palm Sunday

March 28th

Traditional Worship @ 8:30am

Contemporary Worship @ 11:00am

## Maundy Thursday

April 1st

Evening Service @ 7:30pm

## Resurrection Sunday

April 4th

Traditional Worship @ 8:30am

Contemporary Worship @ 11:00am

All services will be live streamed on our YouTube channel & live on our Facebook page.

Child care is provided.

Social distance seating is available.

Masks are required.

[www.L-P-C.org](http://www.L-P-C.org)

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life." John 3:16 (NASB)



# Livestream Available

Sunday mornings @ 8:30am & 11:00am

Lancaster Presbyterian Church Youtube channel  
and live on our Facebook page.

A full bulletin for each service can be found at <https://www.l-p-c.org/resources/bulletins/>.