



## Lancaster Presbyterian Church

*A Congregation of  
the Evangelical  
Presbyterian Church*

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

**Rev. Will McCabe**  
*Associate Pastor*

### The Ten Biblical Principles of Revitalization:

1. Remember  
God's faithfulness.
2. Repent continually.
3. Be gospel driven  
and Christ centered.
4. Pray without ceasing.
5. Minister the word.
6. Cultivate spiritual formation.
7. Engage clear vision,  
mission and values.
8. Equip  
empowering servant leaders.
9. Build small groups.
10. Pursue  
Great Commission discipleship.

# Welcome to Palm Sunday Worship

Sunday, March 24, 2024

**John 12:12-19 (1075)**  
***Oh He Is the King!***  
**Pastor Kelly Negus**

**Celebrate Holy Week**

<b>Palm Sunday</b> March 24th Traditional Worship @ 8:30am Contemporary Worship @ 11:00am	<b>Maundy Thursday</b> March 28th Evening Service @ 7:30pm Communion will take place.
<b>Resurrection Sunday</b> March 31st Traditional Worship @ 8:30am Easter breakfast @ 9:45am Contemporary Worship @ 11:00am	

Childcare is provided for all services.

*"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)*

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**No Adult Education or Sunday School on Easter morning.**

**Easter Morning Breakfast** The Lord has blessed LPC with people who are willing to cook Easter Breakfast for us. Please plan to join your LPC Family for Breakfast at 9:45 am as we celebrate and praise our Lord's resurrection on Sunday March 31<sup>st</sup>. Sign-up sheets for attending and for assisting [set up and clean up] are on the Information Table. There is no cost to attend but a Free Will Offering will be taken. As always, please contact Marie Babcock or myself if anyone has any questions. Let's just Praise the Lord! Blessings to each and all! Bill Stortz

### 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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## Prelude

### Welcome and Friendship Pad – Pastor Will

## Palm Sunday Praise

### *Hosanna, Hosanna*

Hosanna, Hosanna, Glory to God in the highest.  
Hosanna, Hosanna, We shouted with one accord.  
Hosanna, Hosanna, glory to God in the highest.  
Blessed is He that cometh in the name, the name of the Lord.  
On that day of our glad rejoicing,  
When Jesus entered Jerusalem,  
Riding over the Mount of Olives,  
In glorious state He came.  
Children singing with loud hosannas,  
They scattered their flowers before the King.  
Waving branches of palms and singing,  
They shouted their praises before Him.  
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## Call to Worship

(Matthew 21:9, Mark 11:10, Luke 19:38, John 12:13)  
Hosanna to the Son of David;  
blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD.  
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna!  
Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David;  
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna!  
Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the LORD;  
peace in heaven and glory in the highest!  
Hosanna!  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD,  
even the King of Israel.  
Hosanna to the Son of David;  
blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD.  
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna!

### ***Majesty***

Majesty, worship His majesty.  
Unto Jesus be all glory, power and praise.  
Majesty, kingdom authority  
Flow from His throne unto His own, His anthem raise.  
So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus.  
Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus, the King.  
Majesty, worship His majesty.  
Jesus, who died, now glorified, King of all kings.

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### ***Make Way! Make Way!***

Make way, make way for Christ the King in splendor arrives  
Fling wide the gates and welcome Him into your lives  
(men) Make way ... Make way ... For the King of kings  
(women) Make way ... Make way ... For the King of kings.  
(men) Make way ... Make way ... And let His Kingdom in.  
(women) Make way ... Make way ... And let His Kingdom in.

CCLI Song #121074 © 1986 Thankyou Music Graham Kendrick

### ***He is the King of Kings***

He is the King of kings, He is the Lord of lord;  
His name is Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Oh, He is the King.

CCLI Song No. 103494 © 1989 Integrity's Hosanna! Music, Virgil Meares

### ***Lift Up Your Heads***

Lift up your heads, To the coming King.  
Bow before Him and adore Him ... sing ... sing  
To His majesty, Let your praises be  
Pure and Holy, Giving glory to the King of kings.

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

Dear Heavenly Father, Lord Jesus, Holy Spirit,  
Today we celebrate the day  
when our Lord Jesus road into Jerusalem  
and was rightly hailed as King.  
Lord Jesus, You are King,  
and one day every knee will bow  
and every tongue will confess  
that You are Lord  
that You are King.  
Please help us to order our lives accordingly,  
and in all the ways that we fail,  
please hear the confession of our sins  
in the silence of this moment.

### **Silent Confession**

Blessed Trinity,  
We live to serve You and to do Your will.  
Please help us to live fully  
into our citizenship in Your kingdom.  
We pray in Jesus' name, Amen!

### **\*Hymn: *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna***

Red Hymnal #248

Hosanna, loud Hosanna, the little children sang:  
Through pillared court and temple the lovely anthem rang:  
To Jesus who had blessed them close folded to His breast,  
the children sang their praises, the simplest and the best.

From Olivet they followed, a happy joyous crowd,  
their large palm branches waving and singing clear and loud.  
The Lord of men and angels rode on in simple joy,  
and welcomed all the children: each little girl and boy.

"Hosanna in the highest!" that ancient song we sing,  
for Christ is our Redeemer, the Lord of heaven our King.  
O may we ever praise Him with heart and life and voice,  
and in His holy presence Eternally rejoice!

### **Prayer for Illumination**

**John 12:12-19**

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**Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer**

## **The Affirmation of Faith: The Westminster Confession of Faith**

### **Chapter 35, Paragraph 4**

Since there is no other way of salvation than that revealed in the gospel,  
and since in the divinely established and ordinary method of grace  
faith comes by hearing the word of God,  
Christ has commissioned his church to go into all the world  
and to make disciples of all nations.  
All believers are, therefore, under obligation  
to sustain the ordinances of the Christian religion  
where they are already established,  
and to contribute by their prayers, gifts, and personal efforts  
to the extension of the kingdom of Christ  
throughout the whole earth.

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

**Offertory: *He's Still the King of Kings*** ~ Gaither

LPC Chancel Choir

### **\*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!

### **\*Benediction**

**\*Parting Song: *All Glory, Laud and Honor***

Red Hymnal #249

All glory laud and honor to Thee, Redeemer, King,  
to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring  
Thou art the King of Israel, Thou David's royal Son,  
who in the Lord's name comest, the King and blessed one!

The company of angels are praising Thee on high,  
And mortal men and all things created make reply  
The people of the Hebrews with palms before Thee went;  
Our praise and prayer and anthems before Thee we present.

To Thee, before Thy passion, they sang their hymns of praise;  
To Thee, now high exalted, our melody we raise:  
Thou didst accept their praises-accept the praise we bring,  
who in all good delightest, Thou good and gracious King! Amen.

### **Postlude**

Joanne Lorenzo, Organist



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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.

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## Welcome and Friendship Pad – Pastor Will

## \*Palm Sunday Processional

## Worship Songs

## Children's Message: Deb Eaton

## \*Palm Sunday Recessional: "Hosanna" (children exit)

## \*Worship Songs

Led by the LPC Worship Team

## Prayer

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## Tithes and Offerings

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## \*Worship Song

## Praying for Our Family

Donna Herget  
Bill Stortz  
Sandi Tadusz  
Ann Gordon  
Rob Herget  
Carolina Jackson  
Marsha Haas  
Violet Chaves  
Judy Kish  
Carol Koch  
Barb Benzinger  
Maureen O'Connor  
Sandy Wiepert  
Sharon Krause  
Rudy Bucci  
Judy Cavanaugh  
Beth Kroecker  
Ron Stasiowski  
Judy Martin  
Don Flaig

## Home Members

Don Metzger  
Joyce Klaasesz  
Norma English  
Lois Marks

## Military Personnel:

Thomas Carlsen II  
Laurel Foss  
Dan Pulley  
David Boncore

## Prayer Ministry:

All prayer requests can be emailed to the church office at [office@l-p-c.org](mailto:office@l-p-c.org), or simply complete the form on our church website.

## WEDNESDAY FAMILY NIGHT! All are welcome!

- **Pizza and Fellowship in Waith Hall:** 5:30pm (\$1 per slice of pizza)
- **Adult Bell Choir:** 5:30pm
- **Chancel Choir:** 7:00pm
- **Adult Study Group:** 6:15pm in Pastor Kelly's study
- **Mini Youth Group (PreK 4yr old—2nd graders):** 6:00pm - 7:00pm
- **Kids Youth Group (3rd—6th graders):** 6:00pm - 7:30pm at the Potter's House

***No Family Night Wednesday, April 3rd.***

## Kids Youth Group (grades 3-6)

Meeting weekly at the Potter's House; 6:00pm—7:30pm

**NO KIDS YOUTH GROUP - WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3RD**

## Junior & Senior High Youth Group (7th - 12th graders)

Meeting the 2nd & 4th Saturday of each month at 5:30pm!

**2024 Youth Groups dates:** April 13, April 27 (May dates TBD)

***Watch for emails and text messages with additional details!***



## ANNOUNCING this year's Summer Youth Camp!

**Sunday, June 30th to Wednesday, July 3rd**

This overnight camp is open to those children who have completed 3rd through 6th grade.

**REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!**

## LPC's Summer Youth Camp is looking for fishing poles!

Once again this year Rick Stotz is planning to do some fishing with the kids at camp!

If anyone has any fishing poles they would like to donate to LPC, it would be truly appreciated!

We are looking for easy casting zebco push button casting reels. Please call Rick Stotz if you have any questions.



**Maundy Thursday Worship Service**  
**Thursday, March 28th @ 7:30pm**

A special service of remembrance focusing on Jesus' Last Supper with His disciples. Communion will be served.



**Good Friday Cross Walk**  
**Friday, March 29th @ 10:00am**

Join us as we participate in the annual Good Friday Cross Walk. This will be a two hour event beginning at LPC. During the walk, there will be 15 stops during which scriptures will be read, with a short time for individuals to share thoughts and insights. All are welcome!



## **New Adult Sunday School class - Mighty Warriors**

Lancaster Presbyterian Church is pleased to announce a new adult Sunday School class for differently abled young men: Mighty Warriors.

The class will be taught by Elder, Sharon Miller, who has extensive experience personally and professionally with special needs individuals.

Meeting during the Adult Education hour in room 114:

- **Sunday, March 17**
- **Sunday April 21**
- **Sunday May 19**

Sharon teaches the first Sunday each month on evangelism in the Adult Education hour. All are invited to attend and bring a friend!

*Proverbs 2:6, "For the Lord gives wisdom, and from his mouth come knowledge and understanding."*

**Archives** The third floor archives has a new display of photographs from the Advent season and Easter in past years. There are also photos of the building before and after the 2004 remodeling and some lovely photos of our building taken by Elizabeth Bukowski. Come and visit!

**Women's Evening Bible Study - *The Gospel of Mark***  
**April Gatherings: Thursday, April 4th & April 18th @ 7:00pm**



**The National Day of Prayer** will be observed this year on Thursday, May 2 from noon until 12:45 in front of the Lancaster Town Hall and also at LPC in the evening from 7:30-8:30.

## **LPC Short-Term Mission Trip to Albertville, Alabama**

**July 13 - 20, 2024**

**Grace Fellowship Church in Albertville, Alabama**

LPC is planning a Mission Trip to Grace Fellowship Church in Albertville, Alabama to help reach out to a multi-ethnic community through a Vacation Bible School put together by Grace Fellowship.

We will be flying from Buffalo to Birmingham, Alabama. More details to come!

*\*This is a wonderful opportunity for our high school & young adults.\**

If you have any other questions or would like to express interest please sign up on the sheet provide on the Information Table.

**SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, August 3, 2024**  
Church Picnic at Como Lake Park - Gazebo Shelter  
More details to follow later.



ERASING THE NEED FOR ABORTION

## 2024 Walk for Life

**Saturday May 4: WALK FOR LIFE**

**Save the Date and JOIN US**

Logistics for Walk at LPC campus

9 AM - 10 AM REGISTRATION, coffee, donuts, fruit

9:30 AM to 10 AM speaker(s) and or video(s), testimonials and information

10 AM to 11 AM actual walk

11 AM to Noon refreshments and fellowship time, lunch and drinks

Policy for Walk

People must register to participate

Only supplied signs can be used

Walk is to be a prayful, peaceful, and loving outreach

Participate by

Prayer

Giving financially

Attending event at LPC

Walking

**What is the In-Person Walk for Life?** Publicly, lovingly, peacefully express your pro-life convictions by joining us on this family friendly walk. It's CompassCare's primary fundraiser. It costs \$570 to serve 1 woman from the initial visit thru 12 months of follow up and support. This year we are also helping the recently opened branch in NYC to become independent.

### **About CompassCare**

CompassCare is a Christ centered organization dedicated to erasing the need for abortion by transforming a woman's fear into confidence. All services are free. Women primarily get abortions because they feel alone and unsupported. They feel trapped by their circumstances and relationships into a decision they wouldn't otherwise make.

CompassCare erases the need for abortion one woman and one baby at a time by providing three key medical services of 1) Unplanned Pregnancy Decision Care 2) STD testing and treatment and 3) Abortion Pill reversal. They serve women with compassionate, nonjudgmental, and ethical medical care, comprehensive community support, and an invitation to submit their lives to Jesus Christ.