

November 8, 2024

Worship | 6:30pm



CELEBRATING GOD'S *faithfulness* WITH *humility,*
gratitude AND BRIGHT *expectation*

WELCOME

This is a special weekend in the life of Lexington Presbyterian Church. We are so glad that you can celebrate God's faithfulness and worship with us, whether in person or via livestream. Let us give thanks and praise to God Almighty for 50 years as a local church body.

Our theme for this weekend is "CELEBRATING GOD'S faithfulness WITH humility, gratitude AND BRIGHT expectation." Truly God has done amazing things at LPC since its founding 50 years ago.

This weekend, we are guided by two scripture verses.

PSALM 117:2a

For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever.

EPHESIANS 3:20-21

Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

To God be the glory!

At Lexington Presbyterian Church, for God's glory, we are making disciples of Jesus as we worship, love, and serve.

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50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION AND WORSHIP

* Congregation, please stand if able

Prelude | Immortal, Invisible

PRAISE

Welcome and Announcements

* **Call to Worship** | Psalm 95:6-7a

*Leader: Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!*

All: For he is our God,
and we are the people of his pasture,
and the sheep of his hand.

For All the Saints-Trinity Hymnal #358



1. For all the saints who from their la - bors rest, who thee by
2. Thou wast their rock, their for - tress, and their might; thou, Lord, their
3. O may thy sol - diers faith - ful, true, and bold, fight as the
4. The gold - en eve - ning bright - ens in the west; soon, soon to



faith be - fore the world con - fessed, thy name, O Je - sus,
Cap - tain in the well - fought fight; thou, in the dark - ness
saints who no - bly fought of old, and win with them the
faith - ful war - riors comes their rest; sweet is the calm of



be for - ev - er blest.
drear, their one true light.
vic - tor's crown of gold. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
par - a - dise the blest.

5. But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day;
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

6. From earth's wide bounds,
from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Trinity Hymnal 358
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* Prayer of Invocation

* **Scripture Reading** | Psalm 90 | Pew Bible pp. 496-497

LORD, you have been our dwelling place
in all generations.

Before the mountains were brought forth,
or ever you had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

You return man to dust
and say, "Return, O children of man!"

For a thousand years in your sight
are but as yesterday when it is past,
or as a watch in the night.

You sweep them away as with a flood; they are like a dream,
like grass that is renewed in the morning:
in the morning it flourishes and is renewed;
in the evening it fades and withers.

For we are brought to an end by your anger;
by your wrath we are dismayed.
You have set our iniquities before you,
our secret sins in the light of your presence.

For all our days pass away under your wrath;
we bring our years to an end like a sigh.

The years of our life are seventy,
or even by reason of strength eighty;
yet their span is but toil and trouble;
they are soon gone, and we fly away.

Who considers the power of your anger,
and your wrath according to the fear of you?

So teach us to number our days
that we may get a heart of wisdom.

Return, O Lord! How long?

Have pity on your servants!
Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love,
that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.
Make us glad for as many days as you have afflicted us,
and for as many years as we have seen evil.
Let your work be shown to your servants,
and your glorious power to their children.
Let the favor of the LORD our God be upon us,
and establish the work of our hands upon us;
yes, establish the work of our hands!

From Age to Age Thou Art God | Choir Anthem

Lord, Thou hast been our refuge
from generation to generation;
Before the mountains were brought forth,
or earth and world were born in travail;
From age to age ever lasting Thou art God,
Thou art God, Thou art God!

For in Thy sight a thousand years are as yesterday;
Teach us, Lord, to order our days rightly
that we may enter the gate of wisdom.
Satisfy us with Thy love when each morning breaks;
That we may sing for joy and be glad,
sing for joy and be glad,
sing for joy, sing for joy,
sing for joy and be glad!

Show us, Thy servants, Thy deeds
and their children Thy majesty.
May all delightful things be ours, O Lord, our God,
O Lord, our God;
Establish firmly all we do.
Thou art God!
Thou art God; Thou art God!
O Lord, our God!

Psalm 90
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HEARING GOD'S WORD

Introduction of Guest Speaker, Rev. Dr. David G. Sinclair, Sr., and his wife, Becky

* Scripture Reading | Joshua 24:29-33 | p. 199

²⁹ After these things Joshua the son of Nun, the servant of the LORD, died, being 110 years old. ³⁰ And they buried him in his own inheritance at Timnath-serah, which is in the hill country of Ephraim, north of the mountain of Gaash.

³¹ Israel served the LORD all the days of Joshua, and all the days of the elders who outlived Joshua and had known all the work that the LORD did for Israel.

³² As for the bones of Joseph, which the people of Israel brought up from Egypt, they buried them at Shechem, in the piece of land that Jacob bought from the sons of Hamor the father of Shechem for a hundred pieces of money. It became an inheritance of the descendants of Joseph.

³³ And Eleazar the son of Aaron died, and they buried him at Gibeah, the town of Phinehas his son, which had been given him in the hill country of Ephraim.

Sermon | Celebrating God's Faithfulness in Humility

Rev. Dr. David G. Sinclair, Sr.

* Great Is Thy Faithfulness-Trinity Hymnal #32



1. Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Fa-ther; there is no shad-ow of
 2. Sum-mer and win-ter and springtime and har-vest, sun, moon, and stars in their
 3. Par-don for sin and a peace that en-dur-eth, thine own dear presence to



turn-ing with thee; thou changest not, thy com-pas-sions, they fail not;
 cours-es a-bove, join with all na-ture in man-i-fold wit-ness
 cheer and to guide, strength for to-day and bright hope for to-mor-row,

REFRAIN



as thou hast been thou for-ev-er wilt be.
 to thy great faith-ful-ness, mer-cy, and love. Great is thy faith-ful-ness!
 bless-ings all mine, with ten thou-sand be-side!



Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by morn-ing new mer-cies I see: all I have



need-ed thy hand hath pro-vid-ed— Great is thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un-to me!

Trinity Hymnal 32

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* **Sending**

* **Benediction**

* **Postlude** | Holy, Holy, Holy

Serving This Evening:

Worship Leader: Interim Senior Pastor Rev. Dr. Curt McDaniel

Musicians: Barb Howell; Robin Vaughan Parler (Former LPC Organist)

Audio/visual and livestream: Chris Hollis

Teaching Elder

Rev. Dr. Curt McDaniel

Ruling Elders

Steve Baarendse

Keith Boland

Steve Coleridge

Paul Graham

Doug Inman

Tom Mason

Owen McCullough

Scott McGuire

Will Miller

John Parler

Jimmie Player

Kelvin Rogers

Doug Reedy

Joe Wright

Deacons

Ted Brewer

Paul Caldwell

Graem Clark

Marty Crean

Steven Jackson

Walker Lomas

John McAulay

Jim McFarland

Russell McFarland

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