

April 6, 2025

Worship | 8:15 and 11 am

Livestream | 11 am



LEXINGTON

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

For God's glory, we are making disciples of Jesus as we worship, love, and serve.

WELCOME

Thank you for joining us for worship this morning. We invite you to experience the meaning of the Gospel through this service, which reflects both ancient and modern elements of Christian worship. When we gather as a worshipping community, we enter into a dialogue with the living God. God calls us into worship, we rejoice in the hope of the Gospel, confess our sins, lament the brokenness of our world, give our offerings, and hear God's Word read and preached. We hope that by worshiping with us, you will experience joy and hope from a community of people who love Jesus.

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LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

* Congregation, please stand if able

Prelude

PRAISE

Updates | Following Christ Together

* **Call to Worship** | Psalm 117

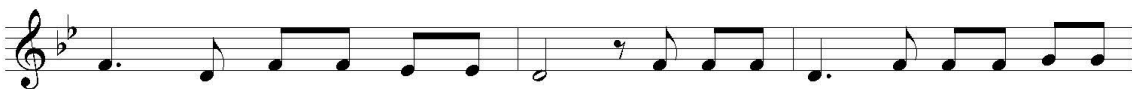
*Leader: Praise the LORD, all nations!
Extol him, all peoples!*

All: For great is his steadfast love toward us,
and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever.
Praise the LORD!

* How Great Thou Art



1. O Lord, my God, when I in awe-some won - der con - si - der
2. And when I think that God, His Son not spar - ing, sent Him to
3. When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla - ma - tion and take me



all the worlds Thy hands have made; I see the stars, I hear the roll - ing
die, I scarce can take it in; That on the cross, my bur - den glad - ly
home, what joy shall fill my heart. Then I shall bow in hum - ble a - do -



thun - der, Thy pow'r through - out the u - ni - verse dis - played. Then sings my
bear - ing, He bled and died to take a - way my sin.
ra - tion and there pro - claim: My God, how great Thou art!



soul, my Sav - ior God to Thee: How great Thou art, How great Thou art! Then sings my



soul, my Sav - ior God, to Thee: How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

* Prayer of Invocation

* **Scripture Reading** | Ephesians 4:1-16 | Pew Bible pp. 977-978

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call— one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it says,

“When he ascended on high he led a host of captives,
and he gave gifts to men.”

(In saying, “He ascended,” what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower regions, the earth? He who descended is the one who also ascended far above all the heavens, that he might fill all things.) And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, so that we may no longer be children, tossed to and fro by the waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by human cunning, by craftiness in deceitful schemes. Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.

Worthy, You Are Worthy

1. Wor - thy, You are wor - thy; King of
 2. Ho - ly, You are ho - ly; King of
 3. Je - sus, You're my Sav - ior; King of

kings, Lord of lords, You are wor - thy.
 kings, Lord of lords, You are ho - ly.
 kings, Lord of lords, Ho - ly Je - sus;

Wor - thy, You are wor - thy; King of
 Ho - ly, You are ho - ly; King of
 Je - sus, ho - ly Je - sus; King of

kings, Lord of lords, I wor - ship You.
 kings, Lord of lords, I wor - ship You.
 kings, Lord of lords, I wor - ship You!

RENEWAL

Call to Confession | Psalm 32:3-4

*Leader: For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away
through my groaning all day long.
For day and night your hand was heavy upon me;
my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer.*

Corporate Confession of Sin | Psalm 51:1-12

All: Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin!
For I know my transgressions,
and my sin is ever before me.
Against you, you only, have I sinned
and done what is evil in your sight,
so that you may be justified in your words
and blameless in your judgment.
Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity,
and in sin did my mother conceive me.
Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being,
and you teach me wisdom in the secret heart.
Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.
Let me hear joy and gladness;
let the bones that you have broken rejoice.
Hide your face from my sins,
and blot out all my iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence,
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and uphold me with a willing spirit.

Silent Confession

* Words of Comfort | Psalm 32:5

*Leader: I acknowledged my sin to you,
and I did not cover my iniquity;
I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,"
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.*

* Passing of the Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

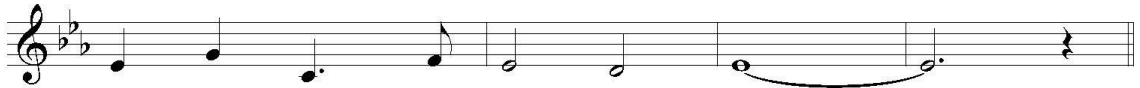
* Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus



1. Tis so sweet to trust in Je - sus, just to take Him
 2. O how sweet to trust in Je - sus, Just to trust His
 3. Yes, tis sweet to trust in Je - sus, Just from sin and



at His Word; Just to rest up - on His prom - ise,
 cleans - ing blood; Just in sim - ple faith to plunge me
 self to cease; Just from Je - sus simp - ly tak - ing



Just to know: "Thus saith the Lord."
 'neath the heal - ing, cleans - ing flood.
 life and rest, and joy and peace.



Je - sus, Je - sus, how I trust Him; how I've proved Him



o'er and o'er! Je - sus, Je - sus, pre - cious Je - sus;



O for grace to trust Him more.

Friendship Register

Kindly remember to give your neighbor the Friendship Register. Once it reaches the end of the pew, then please pass it back. Making acquaintances with guests and fostering friendships within the larger church family is the goal of this register. Starting from the middle aisle, the register is located at the head of each pew. Please, make sure to write your name legibly.

Worship Through Giving

The offering is a way for members and friends of Lexington Presbyterian to present the substance of their whole lives to God. Please feel no pressure to give.

Ways to give:

- You may use the offering plates.
- Go to “Giving” on your Church Center mobile app or lexpres.churchcenter.com.
- Text2Give: text any dollar amount to 84321.

You Are My All in All | [8:15 a.m. only]

"Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised" Psalm 145:3



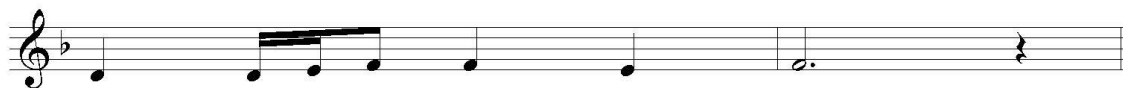
1. You are my strength when I am weak, You are the treasure that I
2. Tak-ing my sin, my cross, my shame; Ris-ing a - gain I bless Your



seek, You are my all in all.
name; You are my all in all.



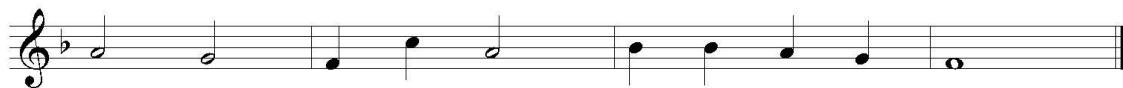
Seeking You as a pre - cious jewel, Lord, to give up I'd be a
When I fall down, You pick me up; When I am dry, You fill my



fool. You are my all in all.
cup; You are my all in all.



Je - sus, Lamb of God, wor - thy is Your name!



Je - sus, Lamb of God, wor - thy is Your name!

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah | Choir Anthem [11 a.m. only]

Guide me O Thou great Jehovah,
Pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;
Hold me with Thy powerful hand.

Bread of Heaven, Bread of Heaven,
Feed me till I want no more;
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through.

Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
Be Thou still my Strength and Shield;
Be Thou still my Strength and Shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Bear me through the swelling current,
Land me safe on Canaan's side.

Songs of praises, songs of praises,
I will ever give to Thee;
I will ever give to Thee.

Songs of praises, songs of praises,
I will ever give to Thee!

Arr. Hayes

* The Doxology

Musical score for 'The Doxology' in G major and common time. The score consists of two systems of music, each with a vocal line and a bass line. The lyrics are: 'Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.'

Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him all crea-tures here be - low; praise

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him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Words: Thomas Ken, 1709
Music: Louis Bergeois, 1551

* Offertory Prayer

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Corporate Prayer

Children's Sermon | Little Disciples, Big Mission

* **Scripture Reading** | Matthew 28:16-20 | pp. 835

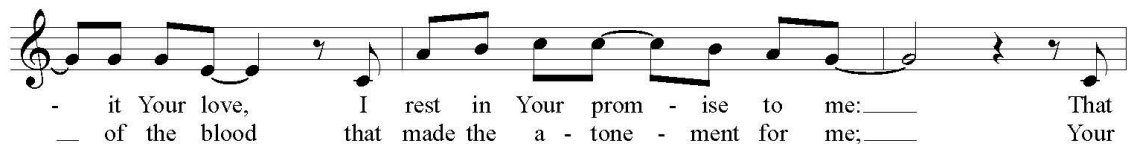
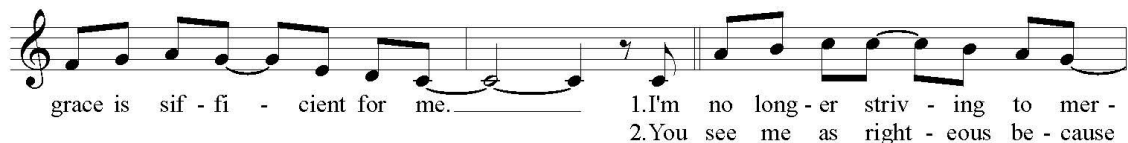
¹⁶ Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷ And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. ¹⁸ And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Sermon | The Simple and Ordinary Mission of the Church

Rev. Doug Inman

* Your Grace is Sufficient

"My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness" II Cor. 12:9



* Sending

* Benediction | Romans 15:13

Leader: May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

* Postlude

Serving This Morning:

Updates, Liturgist and Pastoral Prayer: Keith Boland

Readers: Lara Lomas and Heidi Chapman

Musicians: Charles and Angela Brant, Dianne Britton, Theron and Katie Drayton, Josiah Rogers

Audio/visual and livestream: Jim McFarland, Myles Coleridge

Faith Promise Giving:

LPC fiscal budget year is July 1st to June 30th.

Through the end of February 2025:

General Fund transfer to missions	\$86,664
Transfer from 2023/2024 surplus*	\$44,702
Faith Promise Giving:	\$69,691
Missions Disbursements	\$122,268

* The Elders and Deacons transferred one-half of last year's operating surplus to missions.

Stewardship

Through the end of February, 2025:

Budget FYTD	\$814,183
Received FYTD	\$767,667
Expenditures FYTD	\$697,764

NOTES:

Invite your family, friends and neighbors to our Holy Week events!

Pickup Invitation Cards at back of Sanctuary and Welcome Center locations



easter lilies are available to purchase for \$16 each

deadline is april 13th

purchase online here  or use forms on the welcome desk

Chocolate!

Ladies of LPC, bring your friends and family for singing, games, fun and prizes and of course...all the chocolate!

April 26th at 11:00 AM
Tomlin Hall

please register by April 20th



LPC Women's Ministry

church center

- Service Times
- Easy Giving
- Event Signups
- Community Connection
- Family Pre-Check

Please upload family and individual photos to our secure directory. Take photos today at the photo booth in the Welcome Center



Download the app today!

Google play App Store

Family Easter Calendar & 2-week Devotional Resource

Pick one up at the Children's Desk this Sunday to disciple your children and teach them why Jesus died and rose again.



THE BLOOD CONNECTION
Your Community Blood Center

Scan Here to Make an Appointment 

April 23, 2025 | 6:00 - 9:00pm
Mobile Blood Bus
Agess 16+
(16 year olds need a parent present)

Save the Date!
BBQ Lunch
Sunday, April 27th
Sponsored by
LPC Men's Ministry



Please help us with our Family Easter Event by donating candy or small toys (that fit in eggs) by Wednesday, April 9

Donation bins are located at the check-in desk & Tomlin Lobby.



Connect Card

Thanks for joining us today.
We would love to come alongside you in your walk with Jesus, whether you're new to our community or you've been here a while.

Visit lexpreschurch.com/connect or scan the QR code to fill out our Connect Card!

If you're not familiar with QR codes, we're here to help!

1. Open your smartphone's camera and point it at the QR code so that it shows clearly on your screen.
2. Wait for the camera to recognize and scan the QR code.
3. Click the link banner or notification when it pops up on your screen. Our Connect Card will automatically load in your browser.



Women's Ministry website and Facebook group:

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<https://www.facebook.com/groups/LPCWomen>

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