

Traditional Worship

November 17, 2024

9:00 am | Worship Leader: Lizza Lockett

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Gathering Music, Jinshil Yi

Greetings and News of the Church Alive

**\*“Doxology” No 625**

*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.*

Prelude, Jinshil Yi

*Call to Worship: Psalm 100*

Leader: Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.

**People: Serve the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.**

Leader: Know that the LORD is God.

**People: It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.**

Leader: Enter the gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise;

**People: Give thanks to him and praise his name.**

Leader: For the LORD is good and his love endures forever;

**People: His faithfulness continues through all generations.**

**\*Hymn of Praise No. 284**

*They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love*

*\*Prayer of Confession (Please remain standing)*

**People: Father, we confess the arrogance of our doubts and the lies of our denials. We have neglected to pray and have forgotten to give thanks. Activities and our personal hobbies have become more important to us than gathering for worship. Our busyness is an excuse for setting aside time with you. We shake our heads at the evil around us but do little to witness and live out a better way. Your will is seldom consulted, and your ways of self-sacrifice and love are rarely explored. God we need transformation. Forgive our sins. Hear now our silent prayers of confession...**

*Assurance of Pardon:*

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

**People: And also with you**

***Passing of the Peace (Greet Your Neighbor)***

**\*Response, “Gloria Patri,” No. 623**

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the*

*Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and*

*Ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

**Special Music**

*Hymns of Grateful Praise*

*arr. by Dan R. Edwards*

**Scripture Lesson | Acts 16:11-15**

**The Message, Kaitlin Kim**

*Lydia*

**Offering**

Pastoral Prayer

**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.*

**\*Hymn of Commitment No. 228**

*Rejoice, the Lord Is King (vs 1,3&4)*

\*Benediction

Postlude, Jinshil Yi

*\*Please stand if you are able*

**Calendar for the week of November 17, 2024**

*Be sure to check out the full event calendar at [www.lakewoodlcp.com/events](http://www.lakewoodlcp.com/events)*

<b>Monday, Nov. 18</b>	11:15 am   Toddler Play Time in the Conference Room 1:00 pm   Book Club in the Library 7:00 pm   Small Group 1 (Ward)
<b>Tuesday, Nov. 19</b>	1:00 pm   Dorcas Circle in the Sewing Room 1:00 pm   Small Group 2 (Huber) in the Library 5:00 pm   Finance Committee 6:00 pm   Small Group 3 (Sloan) 6:30 pm   Session
<b>Wednesday, Nov. 20</b>	9:30 am   Small Group 4 (Sexton) in the Conference Room 1:00 pm   Acts Class in the Conference Room 1:00 pm   Choir Practice in the Elgin Room 3:00 pm   Small Group 5 (Brockhoff) in the Library 5:30 pm   Student Ministries 6:00 pm   Pastor Brad's Dad Group 6:15 pm   Prayer with the Pastor in the Conference Room
<b>Thursday, Nov. 21</b>	10:00 am   Small Group 6 (Teevin and Rich) in the Conference Room 5:30 pm   Kids' Dance Class 6:00 pm   Small Group 7 (Macpherson & George) 6:15 pm   Prairie Handbells
<b>Friday, Nov. 22</b>	<i>Office Closed</i> <i>No Events Scheduled</i>
<b>Saturday, Nov. 23</b>	1:00 pm   Ron Laughlin's memorial
<b>Sunday, Nov. 24</b>	9:00 am   Traditional worship service at LCOP <i>Join us for fellowship and coffee after the service in Prairie Hall</i> 11:00 am   Contemporary Worship at Lakewoodgrace

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**NEXT WEEK'S SERMON**

Next week, the sermon will be on Priscilla and Aquilla.  
We will be preaching from Acts 18: 18-26.

**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF PAUL TRIP**

There is still room for you to join us in 2025 for our Footsteps of Paul trip to Greece! Please pick up a brochure in the lobby and contact Pastor James with questions.

**SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP AND COFFEE HOUR**

Please join us in Prairie Hall for fellowship immediately following today's church service. It's a wonderful opportunity to connect and enjoy time with each other.

**Greeters: Terry Hudson & Johanna Henry | Usher: Doug Berglund**

**Prayer Requests**

- For **Cathy and Rick Norberg's** brother-in-law, **Garrison**, who is experiencing unusual back pain after back surgery.
- For **Klaus Gallasch** who is recovering from back surgery.
- For the family of **Ron Laughlin**. Ron passed away on October 18<sup>th</sup>. His memorial will be on November 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1:00 pm at LCOP.
- Prayers for **Sandy Noreen's** husband, **Mike** who is receiving cancer treatment for AML. Praise that his tests also show no signs of AML.
- For **Carolyn Lee's** son-in-law **Duncan** whose melanoma has spread to his lymph nodes. Prayers also for Carolyn's daughter **Hilary** as she cares for Duncan.
- For **Peter Sloan's** sister, **Amy Bettsworth**, who is in treatment for pancreatic cancer.
- Praise for Jennifer **Stafford's** friend **Larry** and his successful cancer treatment. The tumor is now "barely detectable" and seems to be inactive. He is done with chemo and can focus on healing his soul.
- For **Ruthie Faris** as she receives treatment for neuroendocrine cancer.

Continued prayers for those needing overall health, healing, and peace:

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| • Cindy Amundsen   | • Cindy Nelson's brother, Richard | • Tal Edman                               |
| • Colleen Smart    | • Rogers                          | • Deanna Price                            |
| • Jerry Williams   | • Jim Olsen                       | • Barbara Riggs                           |
| • Martha Kelcy     | • Lori Ward's cousin, Leland      | • Bev Conover                             |
| • Rosemary Kennedy | • Phyllis & Rudy Horst            | • Steve George                            |
| • Bill Edwards     | • Floyd Collins                   | • Inge Conner                             |
| • Joan Jackson     | • Lisa Semon                      | • JoEthel Smith                           |
| • Bridget Upton    |                                   | • Gordon Neu                              |
| • Alyce Olsen      |                                   | • Heather & Taylor (Lee and Terry Hudson) |
| • Jim Pledger      |                                   |   |

Prayers for happy healthy preschoolers; for the victims of gun violence; for the people of Ukraine, Israel, and Palestine; for our church music ministries; for our healthcare providers, long-term caregivers, and first responders; for the homebound; for our student ministries – that God will help our youth ministry to thrive. Prayers for our weekend services, that God will sustain, strengthen, and equip our members, and that God's impact and influence will increase through our weekend services.

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CHRISTMAS GATHERING**

*Wednesday, December 4th at 11:45 a.m. in Prairie Hall*

Please join us for a festive Christmas event. Molly Crane will provide a special music program and Martha Circle will provide lunch and dessert for us. Our shower and mission recipients are LASA and NOURISH Pierce County. This is also a great time to visit and share with each other. Please bring a friend, we would love to have them.

### **HELP OUR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

Our Children's Ministry needs canning rings – no lids, no jars – just the rings from a standard-size jar (not wide mouth). Please bring them by the office or give them to Lori Ward.

### **THANKSGIVING AT LCOP!**

*Thanksgiving Day – Dinner served promptly at 2:00 pm*

Join us for Thanksgiving Dinner at Little Church this year! We're excited to host and share a delicious meal with you. We're expecting 30-35 guests, and we need volunteers to help make this day a success! Turkey, ham, stuffing, sweet potatoes, potatoes, and gravy will be provided.

Please bring either a dessert, rolls, side dish, or drinks to share.

If you'd like to volunteer or have any questions, please contact Janine Saul at 425-931-9017.

### **MISSION AND OUTREACH IS CURRENTLY IN NEED OF COLD WEATHER ITEMS**

We are now accepting gently used heavy coats and clothing for men and women, sleeping bags, blankets, and tarps for our friends at The Rescue Mission. Donations may be dropped off at the church office. The office is open Monday – Thursday 8:30 – 3:30.

### **DO YOU HAVE AN M&M CANISTER?**

Our mission and Outreach committee is hoping you still have some of the M&M canisters they distributed for the Laundromat Takeovers. If you do, can you please bring them to the office, or give them to Jane Macpherson?

### **FRIENDLY REMINDER**

In consideration of those with allergies or sensitivities, we kindly ask that you refrain from wearing strong-smelling colognes or perfumes to church services. This small gesture helps make our gatherings comfortable and welcoming for everyone. Thank you for your understanding!

### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS! BOOMER/BUILDER CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11 AT NOON**

Once again, we are hosting a Boomer/Builder Christmas party on Wednesday, December 11, at noon. We will have a White Elephant gift exchange (\$20 limit, please). Please invite friends!

*RSVPs are required by December 8th to the office.*



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