

Welcome to LPC

Here are some ways you and your family can get more involved with our church family:



Camp in a Castle

Calling all current (2017-2018) 6th, 7th, and 8th graders - LPC is going to Summer Camp in a Castle! Join us June 2-8 (Saturday-Friday) for big field games, night games, singing, skits, secret passageways, Bible study, go carts, wave pool, water slide and laser tag at Camp Stronghold in Oregon, IL. The cost is only \$225 with early registration

due by April 15. Sign up at lebanonpresbyterian.org/students/summer.

Disaster Relief Trip

The Mission Committee will launch the new LPC tool trailer to work in southern Florida for hurricane clean-up the week of Saturday, April 14 to Sunday, April 22. We are currently stocking the trailer with various tools. If you wish to purchase a tool or give a Home Depot gift card, see the "tool tree" in the Narthex.

Discover LPC

Interested in joining LPC? Our Discover LPC class is intended for you – to help you know who we are and to answer your questions. The class will meet during the Sunday School hour (10 a.m.) beginning April 8 for four weeks. On Sunday, May 6, we will gather after the second service to dine together in Fellowship Hall and meet the Session of the church. To register please, call the church office at 513-932-2751 or you can email Gabrielle Pyles at gabrielle@lebanonpresbyterian.org.

We Need Your Help for VBS!

Vacation Bible School will run June 4-8 from 9-11:30 a.m. We serve nearly 200 kids each summer through VBS, which means we need dozens of volunteers to make this amazing week of ministry happen. And, we need people with a variety of gifts. So, if you can help in any way, please visit the following link to sign-up: <https://vbspro.events/p/events/3b0389>.



Palm Sunday Love Offering

The Palm Sunday offering of \$2,000 will go to Genesis Presbyterian Church in Mercedes, TX to help with the construction of a new church building. The Mission Ministry Team would like to thank you for giving generously!

Easter Lilies

Placed by:

Bruce and Brenda Bingham
Nancy Carlsen
Tom and Shirley Carter
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Bruce and Sandy Ervin
Rev. Randy and Karen Fannin

Tom and Nancy Haire
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Angie Leitschuh

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Debra Scarborough
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Harriet Smith
JoAnn Snider
Angie Taulbee
Jerry and Debbie Taylor
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Bruce and Brenda Bingham
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Bruce and Sandy Ervin
Rev. Randy and Karen Fannin

Molly Lucas
John McMinn
Joe and Joy Seick
Jerry and Debbie Taylor

In loving memory of:

Rev. Robert and Janet Bingham, Dozer and Sonny and Julie Schroeder
William and Vivian Fuller
Mildred and Jim Neu and Jo and Vola Carter
Our parents
Zane and Janet Gray
Jon and Dan Ervin
Hank and Colleen Posio and Bill and Marty Fannin
Heidi Haire
Connie Homan Snyder
Thomas Cook and Edmund Kinkelaar
James and Opal Green and Bill and Iona Newton, and James C. Green
Danny Reeves and Leonard and Shirley Reeves and Otis and Aletha Mae Looper
Bill and Eileen Foster, Sue Foster and Charlotte and Nick Dudarevich, and Bob Lucia
William and Eleanor McMinn; Cherie McMinn, Scott McMinn, Melinda McMinn Darst and Pat McMinn
Ed Neely and Mark Neely
Clarence and Laura Ellen Price
Francis Hartz
Sara and Harvey Philips and Ann and David Gibbs
Paul and Joyce Vanderpool
Donna Ridgley and Carl Berger
Benjamin Bell
Ferd Schneider
Edward Smith and Sonia Smith Dehaven
Willard Snider
Mary Stevens and Nellie Fite
Bill and Mary Taulbee and Jack and Mary Taylor
Sue Davis, Bob Butcher and Woody Testerman

In honor of:

Our children and grandchildren
Karen and Larry Kilpatrick
Our parents, children and granddaughter
Nick and Amy Fannin, Ron and Kaylee Fannin, and Joe and Joy Seick
Our children
Jesus Christ
Rev. Randy and Karen Fannin and Roger and Remi Seick
Addie, Jack, and Austin Taylor and Lillian Arch

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Sunday, April 1, 2018

8 and 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

Easter Sunday

WE GATHER

Chiming of the Hour *(Let us prepare our hearts to worship God)*

Prelude Liz Anderson (8 a.m.) Tom Ferris (9:30 a.m.)

Welcome The Rev. Peter Larson

* Call to Worship (1 Peter 1:3-5) The Rev. Peter Larson

Leader: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: He is risen indeed.

Leader: Praise the God and Father of our LORD Jesus Christ.

People: He has given us new life and hope. He has raised Jesus from the dead.

Leader: God has claimed us as his own.

People: He has brought us out of darkness. He has made us light to the world.

Leader: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

ALL: HE IS RISEN INDEED.

* Hymn *Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia
All creation join to say, Alleluia
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia
Sing ye heavens and earth reply, Alleluia

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia
Fought the fight the battle won, Alleluia
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia
Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia

Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia
Where O death is now thy sting, Alleluia
Once He died our souls to save, Alleluia
Where thy victory, O grave, Alleluia

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia
Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia

Prayer of Praise The Rev. Randy Fannin

LORD Jesus, just as Mary Magdalene came looking for you in the garden, so we seek you this morning. We pray you would meet us here. Turn our tears into joy, our doubt into certainty, our fear into faith, our grief into gladness, our pain into peace. We thank you, LORD, for taking our place on the cross. We thank you that by your death and resurrection, we are saved and forgiven. We praise you, LORD, for the miracle of Easter, that:

Your life is greater than death,

Your love is greater than hatred,

Your light is greater than darkness,

Your grace is greater than our sin.

By your Spirit, may we experience the hope and power of your resurrection. We pray in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. AMEN.

Children's Sermon

Ann van der Merwe

* Hymn *He Lives*

I serve a risen Savior, he's in the world today
I know that He is living, whatever others say
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer
And just the time I need Him, he's always near

Refrain:

He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus lives today
He walks with me and talks with me, along life's narrow way
He lives He lives, Salvation to impart
You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within my heart

In all the world around me, I see His loving care
And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair
I know that He is leading, through all the stormy blast
The day of His appearing, will come at last.

Refrain

Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing
Eternal hallelujahs, to Jesus Christ the King
The Hope of all who seek Him, the Help of all who find
None other is so loving, so good and kind.

Refrain

WE GIVE BACK TO GOD

Offering and Prayer of Dedication Andrew Johnson

Offertory Sanctuary Choir
On That Great, Great Morning

WE HEAR THE WORD

Scripture The Rev. Peter Larson
Luke 24:13-35

Sermon The Rev. Peter Larson
See For Yourself

The Apostles' Creed Jan Watsell

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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven and sitteth
at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

WE GO OUT INTO THE WORLD

* Hymn *Thine Is the Glory*

Thine is the glory risen conquering Son
Endless is the victory, Thou o'er death hast won
Angels in bright raiment, rolled the stone away
Kept the folded grave clothes, where Thy Body lay

Thine is the glory risen conquering Son
Endless is the victory, Thou o'er death hast won

Lo! Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb
Lovingly He greets us, scatters fear and gloom
Let His church with gladness, hymns of triumph sing
For the Lord now liveth, death hath lost its sting

Thine is the glory risen conquering Son
Endless is the victory, Thou o'er death hast won

No more we doubt Thee, glorious Prince of Life!
Life is naught without Thee; aid us in our strife
Make us more than conquerors through Thy deathless love
Bring us safe through Jordan to Thy home above

Thine is the glory risen conquering Son
Endless is the victory, Thou o'er death hast won

Halleluia Chorus

(Anyone who wishes may come forward during the last hymn and join the choir to sing. Copies of the music will be provided).

* Charge and Benediction The Rev. Peter Larson

Special thanks to the following for sharing their gifts in worship today:
Brandon Sapp - Trumpet
David Waugh - Trumpet
Drew Alexa Gillum - Trombone
Brendon Sapp - Trombone

Prayer Requests

Marlene Jolley, Larry Kilpatrick, Ann Marie Reece, Blair Robbins,
Marilyn Slorp, Herb Wackler, and Charlotte Way

Flowers on the Altar This Morning are Given by
Bill Stevens and family to the glory of God in loving memory Sandra Stevens.

Flowers given in honor or in memory
will be available to families for pick up following
the 9:30 a.m. or 11:15 a.m. service.