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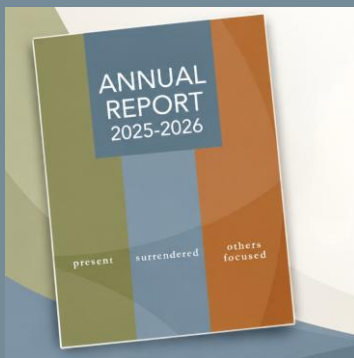
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ANNUAL MEETING & NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

We'd love for you to join us for our **Annual Meeting on Sunday, October 18 at 4:30PM**—in person or via Zoom — as we come together to celebrate all that Jesus is doing, both locally and globally. Kids of all ages are welcome to sit with their families. For our members, please note that voting will take place in person only this year. And be sure to stick around afterward — dessert is on us!

We also invite you to review the [2026 Nominating Committee Report](#). If you are a member and would like to nominate a candidate for the open positions listed on the 2026 Nominating Committee report, please email the following information to nomination@lancastercma.org. **Email deadline is Sunday, September 27.**

- Name of the individual.
- Open office being nominated for.
- State why you feel this individual would be a good candidate for the office.
- *Note: Please have permission from the individual before submitting their name. This individual must be a member of Lancaster Alliance Church.*

The 2025-2026 Annual Report will be released shortly. You can download a copy or review online.

Questions? Email feedback@lancastercma.org.



CHURCH CENTER APP | GET CONNECTED. STAY CONNECTED.

Download the Church Center app and be part of the next chapter at LAC! By December 2026, Church Center replaces Elexio for our database and giving. Online givers, watch for the new giving module launching at the Annual Meeting on Sunday, October 18.

[Download the app, log in, and explore.](#) Questions? We're here to help at welcome@lanastercma.org.



WATCH: LIANA ON HER SUMMER WITH DISCIPLEMAKERS

This summer, Liana — an LAC family member, LBC student, and part of our Outreach and Missions Team — interned with DiscipleMakers. In this [VIDEO](#), she shares what the summer was like, the people she met, and the impact it had on her faith. Take a few minutes to watch, and join us in praying and learning more about disciple making.



LAC UK TEAM

As a church, we care about what's happening locally — and about being part of what God is doing around the world. A team of 12 people is heading to England in October to serve our C&MA international workers at a conference. Our team will be leading worship through

music and caring for missionary kids, similar to the gathering in Poland last year.

You can be part of this story —

- Supplies - stop by the display in the lobby on Sunday to pick out a luggage tag - each one lists a specific item to buy, then drop-off the items in the main office. Snacks and gift cards have been added!
- Prayer - continue praying for the team, the preparation, and the workers and children the team will serve.
- Giving Financially - the team goal is \$25,350 which covers airfare, housing, meals, ground transportation, and other expenses for all 12 people. Current funding is at 39%. Click [HERE](#) to give.



LAC LIBRARY — NOW ONLINE!

Browse our full collection from your couch (or anywhere!) — our new online catalog is live. Search the whole library, including the discipleship books for your home group, right from your phone. Check out the catalog [HERE](#). Prefer browsing in person? Stop by the library in the lobby, near the coffee services. Nicole's there most Sundays and would love to help you find your next read.



WOMEN'S BREAKFAST

Join us for our monthly Women's Breakfast on **September 26**, 9AM at [Knight & Day Diner](#). RSVP by tomorrow, September 24, to women@lancastercma.org or call the church office.

ALLIANCE WOMEN | CONVERSATION WITH HEATHER

Ladies, you're invited to hear Heather, an Alliance International Worker in Europe, on **September 29**, 6:30PM, at the home of Dot Milliken. This is an evening of light fall refreshments, fellowship and hearing how Heather is being present with Jesus and women in her part of the world! Carpool is available at the church at 6:10PM. Questions? Please contact Su Roller or call the church office.



WOMEN'S BREAKFAST

You're invited to Shared Table, a smaller gathering of dinner and fellowship at a host's home on either Thursday, **October 8** or Friday, **October 9**, 6-8:30PM. Each guest is asked to bring a part of the meal to share. The host will provide the main dish. For more detailed information and to register, click [HERE](#). Registration closes on September 30.



BAPTISM

Are you ready to take the next step in following Jesus through baptism? Our upcoming baptism service is on Sunday, **October 11** at 11AM.

Click [HERE](#) to register for baptism. Once the form has been submitted, someone from the pastoral team will follow up with you. Please RSVP your interest by the end of day, September 30.



PRIMETIMERS FALL BUS TRIP

Join us for autumn adventures in Seven Valleys, York, PA on Thursday, **October 15**. Cost: \$90 per person; Payment: Cash or check (Please note that your seat on the bus is not reserved until we receive your full payment). Click [HERE](#) to preview the interactive trip brochure. Click [HERE](#) to register or stop by the office with your registration form and payment.



LADIES OIL CHANGE

Single ladies, join us for a free oil change day hosted by the LAC Men on Saturday, **October 17**. Allow us to help you get your car ready for the winter months. Please register [HERE](#) and select two preferred time frames by October 11; the church office will email to confirm your appointment. Questions? Contact the church office.



Child Dedication Sunday

CHILD DEDICATION

In recognition of Jesus' lordship over every part of our lives, parents have the opportunity to dedicate their children — their most treasured gift — back to Him. Join us for Child Dedication on Sunday, **October 18**, during both services. Click [HERE](#) to learn more about this meaningful practice and to register - by October 11.



LAC NEXT GEN

Parents | A new school year brings both excitement and challenges. Walking into a new classroom takes courage. Noticing a classmate who's alone takes kindness. Trying something new takes hard work.

Paul reminds us in Galatians 6:9: "Let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up."

Doing good takes effort, and the results don't always show up right away. But as followers of Jesus, we don't do good to earn God's love — we already are saved through faith in Christ Jesus. Because of what He's done for us, we're free to do good, not to prove ourselves, but because we're already loved.

So as your kids start this school year, encourage them to work hard, be kind, and keep going even when it's tough. And remind them: their worth isn't in their grades, friendships, or achievements. Their identity is in Christ — and that's why we do good — because of His love.

REMINDERS

- **LAC K-4 Staff Team Meeting** | October 11 - we have a K-4 staff meeting after the 11:00AM service. Stay tuned for details.
- **LAC Students** | Cereal Night is tonight at 6:30PM for Grades 5-12.