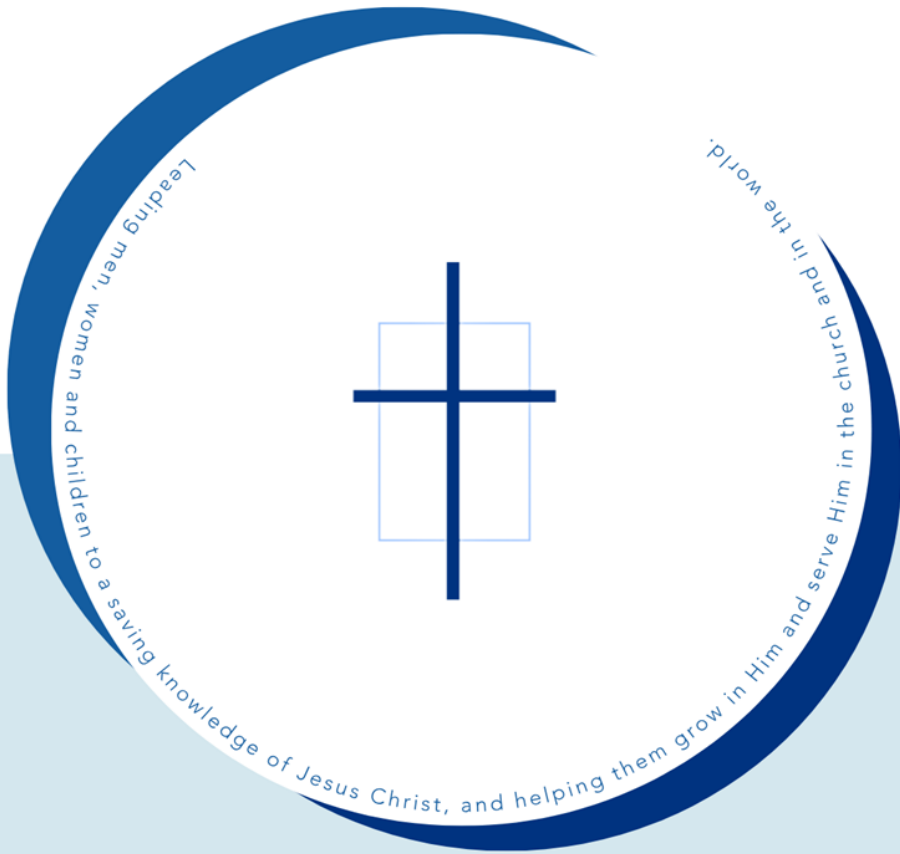

LAKEMONT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America



THE LORD'S DAY

May 3rd, 2026

Rev. Dave Vosseller, Pastor

Rev. Bryan Villarreal, Assoc. Pastor

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, MAY 3RD, 2026

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We prepare our hearts to come in the Lord's presence and orient ourselves to worship.

PRELUDE

MEDITATION IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Our worship begins with a scriptural call for God's people to worship. In this way, our gathered worship is a conversation initiated by God between himself and his people.

"Eternal! It is the joy of angels, the delight of saints. While saints are made happy in the beautiful sight, and filled with perfect love and joy, they sit and sing, 'All this will be eternal!' Eternal! This word – it is a loud alarm to all yet on earth, a serious caution to make it our grand concern, that when we go out of this life, our eternal souls might obtain eternal salvation. God gives time in this world to prepare for eternity."

- Thomas Doolittle, Puritan Sermons 1659-1689, IV:32.

† **CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 116:1-2

All: I love the LORD, because he has heard my voice and my pleas for mercy. Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.

† **PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

We humbly ask Jesus to preside and to represent us before the Father.

† **HYMN OF PRAISE** *Rejoice the Lord is King*
Hymn No. 310

We ask the Holy Spirit to fill us and inform us and dedicate the service to the Lord.

CELEBRATING GOD'S FAITHFULNESS TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Ryan Crapse, Esther Hall, Cora Hunn, Elly Peters

† **CONFESSION OF FAITH** Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. No. 38

Leader: Let us confess together what we believe the Scriptures teach: What benefits do believers receive from Christ at the resurrection?

All: At the resurrection, believers, being raised up in glory, shall be openly acknowledged and acquitted in the day of judgment, and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God to all eternity.

We are a Confessional Church. We choose to stand shoulder to shoulder with those saints who have gone before us. We embrace the timeless doctrinal truths of the Gospel

CONFESSION OF SIN Based on Romans 7:19 & Psalm 69:5

GOD CLEANSSES US
Within the context
of our relationship
with God, we are
invited in safety, not
shame, to consider
our sins. God loves
us in spite of our
sins. We rehearse
this truth each week
by confessing our
sins corporately and
leaning into his
renewal, restoration,
and cleansing.

Leader Let us now confess our sins together before the Lord:

All: Heavenly Father, every day I continue to sin in thought, word, and deed. The good I would do, I do not, and the evil I would not, that I find I do. I am such a fool, and none of my sins are hidden from you. We pretend that we can sin in secret when in reality you are watching us the entire time. Forgive us, O Lord. Grant us today renewed gospel conviction to turn from our sins and love you and follow you. In Jesus' name. Amen.¹

MOMENT FOR SILENT CONFESSION OF PERSONAL SIN

PROMISE OF PARDONING GRACE..... 1 Peter 2:24

Leader: He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed.

CHORAL ANTHEM..... *Fullness of Grace*

Lyrics pg. 6

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

WORSHIP THROUGH THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

† **DOXOLOGY AND DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING**

SONG OF PREPARATION *We Will Feast in the House of Zion*

Lyrics pg. 7

READING OF GOD'S WORD 2 Corinthians 4:13-18

Bible pg. 1227

PROCLAIMING AND HEARING GOD'S WORD

“LIVING WITH THE UNSEEN ETERNITY IN VIEW”

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Words of Institution

Distribution of the Elements

“Jesus said, ‘This is my body which is for you.’”

“Jesus said, ‘This is the blood of my covenant.’”

GOD COMMUNICATES WITH US
God's Word itself has power. The Preaching of God's Word is one of the chief means of grace by which God's people grow.

GOD COMMUNES WITH US
If you are a baptized Christian and member in good standing of a gospel-believing church, we invite you to participate with us in the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. If this doesn't describe you, please use this part of the service to consider the grace and forgiveness that Christ offers.

GOD
COMMISSIONS US
Our worship
concludes with
God's sending us
into the world with
his blessing as we
seek to love our
community.

† **HYMN OF RESPONSE** *Be Thou My Vision*
Hymn No. 642

† **BENEDICTION** 1Peter 5:10-11
Leader: And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the dominion forever and ever.
Amen.

† **PLEASE STAND**

1. Derek Thomas, [Approaching the Throne of God: Confessions of Sin & Assurances of Pardon](#), (Christian Focus, 2025), pg. 72.

Preaching: Rev. Dave Vosseller

Leading Worship: Rev. Bryan Villarreal

2 Corinthians 4:13-18

Theme: Our Future Hope Keeps Us from Losing Heart Today

I. Why We Continue to Proclaim Christ (v. 13-15)

A. Faith in the Promise of Future Resurrection (v. 13-14)

B. Zeal for the Promotion of the Glory of God (v. 15)

II. We (Still) Don't Lose Heart (v. 16-18 and v. 1)

A. Confidence in God's Renewing Power (v. 16)

B. Cultivation of An Eternal Perspective (v. 17-18):

Fullness Of Grace

Fullness of grace in man's human frailty
This is the wonder of Jesus
Laying aside His power and glory
Humbly He entered our world
Chose the path of meanest worth
Scandal of a virgin birth
Born in a stable cold and rejected
Here lies the hope of the world

Fullness of grace the love of the Father
Shown in the face of Jesus
Stooping to bear the weight of humanity
Walking the Calvary road
Christ the holy innocent
Took our sin and punishment
Fullness of God despised and rejected
Crushed for the sins of the world

Fullness of hope in Christ we had longed for
Promise of God in Jesus
Through His obedience we are forgiven
Op'ning the floodgates of heav'n
All our hopes and dreams we bring
Gladly as an offering
Fullness of life and joy unspeakable
God's gift in love to the world

Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend

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We Will Feast in the House of Zion

Chorus

We will feast in the house of Zion
We will sing with our hearts restored
He has done great things we will say together
We will feast and weep no more

We will not be burned by the fire
He is the Lord our God
We are not consumed by the flood
Upheld protected gathered up

In the dark of night before the dawn
My soul be not afraid
For the promised morning oh how long
Oh God of Jacob be my strength

Every vow we've broken and betrayed
You are the faithful one
And from the garden to the grave
Bind us together bring shalom

Joshua Moore, Sandra McCracken
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