



Lakeside Presbyterian Church
November 26, 2017

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CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

November 26, 2017

8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

GATHERING

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Prelude in C Major (WTC bk 1)

J.S. Bach

Prelude in Eb Major (BWV 998)

WELCOME

INTROIT

At the Name of Jesus

KING'S WESTON

At the name of Jesus every knee shall bow, every tongue confess him King of Glory now; 'tis the Father's pleasure we should call him Lord, who from the beginning was the mighty Word.

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: O come, let us sing to the Lord!

PEOPLE: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Leader: For the Lord is a great God

PEOPLE: And a great King above all gods.

Leader: O come, let us worship and bow down.

PEOPLE: Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

Leader: For the Lord is our God,

PEOPLE: And we are the people of God's pasture and the sheep of God's hand.

*** HYMN #268**

Crown Him with Many Crowns

DIADEMATA

*** PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

O Lord, our God: You have called us to be Your disciples in a world that is lonely, strife-torn, and hungry. And we have turned aside from Your way to the ways of our own concerns and petty needs. We have grown insensitive, not only to distant strife but also to the brokenness in our relationships as family and neighbors. We have complained of the lack of attention from our friends, and we have failed to be a friend to others who are lonely. We have dieted our weight away, and we have neglected to share our plenty with those who need it to survive. By Your love, forgive our failures, and renew us to love kindness, to do justice, and to walk humbly with You. Plant in us a vision of Your will, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*** SILENT PRAYER**

*** DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS**

*** PASSING THE PEACE**

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

* **GLORIA PATRI**

Glory Be to the Father

(Hymn #581)

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S SERMON

ANTHEM

Let All the Angels of God Worship Him

G. F. Handel

Let all the angels of God worship him.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Ezekiel 34:11-16

(O.T., p. 803)

EPISTLE READING

Ephesians 1:15-23

(N.T., p. 192)

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 25:31-46

(N.T., p. 29)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Least of These

The Rev. Bill Love

* **HYMN #363**

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

DARWALL'S 148TH

RESPONSE

PARISH CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

AMEN *(sung response)*

(Hymnal #599)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Hymnal p. 35)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Diapason Movement

John Stanley

* **DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

(Hymnal # 606)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;

praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

SENDING

* **HYMN #343** *Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life* GERMANY

* **CHARGE AND BLESSING**

* **OUR BLESSING TO EACH OTHER** AR HYD Y NOS

May the Lord, our gracious Father, bless you this day;
Give you peace and hope and courage, along your way.
May you stay within God's keeping, in your waking, in your sleeping.
In your joy and in your weeping: God be with you.

POSTLUDE *Prelude and Fugue in C Major* J.S. Bach

* Those who are able please stand Liturgist: Laura Lewis

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WEEKLY CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, November 26

Worship - 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Church School - 9:45 a.m.

Monday, November 27

Buildings and Grounds - 6:30 p.m.

Adult Education Committee - 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, November 28

NKCC Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 30

Lakeside Ringers - 6:30 p.m.

Chancel Choir - 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 2

NKCC Rehearsal - 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, December 3

Worship - 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Church School - 9:45 a.m.

NKCC Concert - 3:00 p.m.

Kyrie Choir - 4:30 p.m.

At the Table - 5:00 p.m.

Youth Group - 6:30 p.m.

Celebration Choir - 6:30 p.m.

Adult Programming - 6:30 p.m.

Church Office Open

Monday – Friday

8:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m.

Saturdays—Closed

OUR CHURCH PRAYER LIST

Church members:

David Brewster

Don Breyley

Yvonne Breyley

Watts Crutchfield

Beth Dieter

Susan Foote

Sherry Hahn

Marilyn Hagenseker

Lucille Hall

Sarah Harvie

Lois Houchins

Stephanie Lee

Russ Letsinger

The Lohre Family

Joe McGee

Jennifer McMahan

Melora McMahan

Tom Miller Jr.

& family

David Schenck

Dan Springer

Mary Ann Springer

Fran Whitson

We've also been asked to pray for:

Pam Edmiston, Carol Williamson, Tom Breyley,

Patrick Simms, Lc. Cpl. Anton Breyley,

Lina Torres, Brenda Pope, John, Jan Marlett,

Martha Breyley, Kyle Zulauf

Sanctuary flowers are given by

Leo and Jeanne Dolan.

ADDING NAMES TO THE PRAYER LIST

Our church prayer list is a living and ever-changing list. If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, call the church office or e-mail

lakeside@lakesidechurch.org



PASTORAL CARE

Interim Pastor Bill Love, Associate Pastor Louisa Umphres, and the Church Office are your first call when you or someone you know needs pastoral care. Our Board of Deacons and Stephen Ministers are also available to be of help. Contacting Bill, Louisa, or the Church Office will help us arrange for the best response to your pastoral care situation.

MISSIONS

COMMUNION FOOD DONATIONS

We will next celebrate communion on December 3rd. Everyone is encouraged to share with others a donation of food on this Sunday.

ANGEL TREES

There were lots of elves taking gift tags from the Angel Trees, but we still have some tags left. Please stop by before or after church and find a tag that calling your name. For the tags you choose, make sure to sign your name next to the tag number on the Ludlow or Brighton Center list so we can keep track of all the tags.

The gifts tags will be available through December 3rd then all gifts ***must be returned on*** December 10th, unwrapped and with the gift tag attached. We do not have storage space to accept the gifts early so please remember to keep them at home until the 10th.

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH JAN HECKLER

Pick up Jan's prayer card in Fellowship Hall. This card provides information on how to follow Jan's work as well as other Presbyterian missions. Jan and Pastor Mamisoa will again be visiting Lakeside on January 28th. You can check on line at PCUSA.org for more information on missions.

OPEN DOOR

Saturday, December 16th is our next visit to Open Door at the Church of the Advent in Walnut Hills. This Mission outreach needs at least 20 volunteers to make the client check in and food distribution run smoothly. If interested in participating, please sign-up on the OPEN DOOR clipboard in Fellowship Hall. You will need to arrive by **8:15 a.m.** to help get everything set up.

EQUAL EXCHANGE

EE products will be available for purchase today, ***Sunday, November 26th.***

CHRISTMAS FLOWER DEDICATION

It's that time of year! We anticipate the Sanctuary looking beautiful, especially on Sunday, December 17th and Christmas Eve when the poinsettia display is in place. We invite you to make a dedication of one or more poinsettia plants. Your name and the name of the dedication will be printed in the worship bulletins. The cost per dedication will be \$14. Envelopes are available in Fellowship Hall today if you are interested in purchasing a Poinsettia in honor or memory of a loved one. You will be able to take your plant home after the 9:00 p.m. Christmas Eve service.

CLASP

CLASP – Children of Ludlow After School Program. Interested in being a volunteer on Thursday afternoons, please contact Nancy Faulconer or Lynne Baker.

PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Should you wish to contribute to the immediate need of disaster areas, you may visit pda.pcusa.org or write a check to Lakeside and note on the check it is for PDA Hurricanes/Florida, Houston or Puerto Rico. Lakeside members are in touch with PDA and will continue to follow developments and potential PDA trips to the affected areas.



AT THE TABLE

Join us from 5:00-6:30 p.m. for dinner and intergenerational programming.

NOV 26TH: GOD CALLS US TO SABBATH

- **Take the Night Off:** enjoy time to relax and spend time with the family

DEC 3RD: ADVENT 1

- **Traditional Potluck**

ADULT EDUCATION

ADVENT SERIES: EXPLORING LESSONS & CAROLS

Sunday Mornings (9:45-10:45am), December 3rd, 10th, and 17th

Our pastors team up with Stephanie Nash to explore the meaning, tradition, and music of the annual Lakeside Tradition. Join us as we take on the original 9 scriptures, examples of compositions used through the history of the festival, and tackle tough texts (like what does it mean that “Adam lay ybouden”??). CHAPEL.

Sunday Evenings (6:30-7:30PM, Dec 3rd and 10th)

- **Animate: Bible, a small group experience for adults**, Convened by Karen Ginn, *The Barnabas Room*
- **Einstein’s God**, Led by Steve Thrasher, *The Library*

YOUTH

November 26:

No Youth Group. Enjoy your Thanksgiving breaks!!

December 3:

5:15 – Meet in the Chapel for dinner and bonding time together. At 6:10 we’ll worship with At the Table, then move into...

6:30-7:30pm – Light Up Lakeside! We’ll walk over to the Barleycorn’s Parking Lot and grab carriage rides. RSVP to Louisa to ensure a spot!

MONTREAT SENIOR HIGH—June 10-16, 2018

Don’t forget to get a deposit into Louisa to secure your spot in our 2018 adventure! \$100 to Lakeside Presbyterian Church, memo Montreat Senior High!

DECORATING FOR CHRISTMAS

Saturday evening, December 1st, we would love to have your help with decorating for the Season! We'll be putting up banners, bringing out the trees, setting window decorations and wreaths. We'll start at 6:30 p.m. and work as long as it takes. We hope to see you there!

ADVENT WORKSHOP: DEC. 3RD, 9:30-10:45AM

A PreK-5th Grade opportunity to experience and learn about Advent and the Christmas season! More details to come, but expect songs, stories, crafts, and other goodies.

ELDERBERRIES

Thursday, December 7th, we gather at noon for lunch and program to follow! The sign-up sheet is out this morning. Plan to bring a friend, but please make sure we know how many are coming!

COFFEE HOUR

We invite you to join us for fellowship and treats after worship each Sunday. Here's the upcoming schedule of groups responsible:

Deacons B—TODAY

Children's Ministry—December 3

Fellowship & Evangelism—December 10

Food for Thought Team—December 17

AMAZON SMILE

You can also contribute to our General Fund every time you make an Amazon purchase. Go to Amazon smile for details, or call the church office and we'll teach you how!

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS

We receive a generous check from Kroger on a quarterly basis thanks to your grocery shopping habits! Please visit www.kroger.com, log in to your account, click on the following chain of prompts: Community -- Community Rewards-- Enroll: then choose Lakeside!

PER CAPITA FOR 2017

The Per Capita apportionment for 2017 is \$30.45 per member. In the pews, you'll find envelopes to make possible a direct donation to cover the per capita amount for your family. This modest donation allows Lakeside to fulfill our financial obligation to the Presbytery of Cincinnati, which in turn allows the Presbytery to support Lakeside and the other congregations in Greater Cincinnati. Thank you!

CONTRIBUTING ONLINE OR WHEN AWAY

Thank you for remembering to send your contribution even when you can't get to church. We receive offerings in the mail or through direct deposit giving. We also accept contributions online (or even on your phone) through **EASY TITHE**. Check out the GIVE page on our church website to learn how easy it is to use Easy Tithe to make your contributions to the church. Even if you're sitting in the pew on Sunday morning and didn't bring the offering you intended, you can use your phone to make the contribution any time during the service, especially during the offering! Check with the church office if you'd like help downloading the Easy Tithe app.

JOIN THE CHURCH!

Are you considering making Lakeside Presbyterian your church home? Becoming an “Active Member” means committing to the life of this community and to our larger church denomination in ways that effect local and global missions, volunteer opportunities, and your ability to make your voice heard through votes and leadership.

The next New Member Class will be **Sunday, November 26 and December 3**. Let us know if you are interested or if you would like to learn more—sign up on the “Interested in Membership” clipboard in the Fellowship Hall after worship or get in touch directly with Bill Love

We hope you will consider committing yourself to this community as we live out Christ’s body in the world together!

ONE FUND UPDATE

We are a generous congregation – we give willingly to God from our abundance so our church can do His work. This year so far has been no exception. In February and March, our congregation gave over \$50,000 so we could finish up the kitchen. We are all thankful to those who were able to step forward then. In April and May, we got off to a good start with One Fund – not a great start – but a step forward in giving as we learn how One Fund works best for us.

Giving is typically quite strong in November and December. We’re looking forward to that again this year. For the past several years, we’ve focused our year end giving on capital projects – Jubilation and then the Kitchen last year. This year it’s time to return to our roots, the core of who we are. Our focus for the end of 2017 is on Mission. Every penny we receive over and above what we need for paying our bills will go to Mission causes this year.

The Mission Committee always has a list of opportunities to serve our community and the world. We start with Open Door and Clasp – these are fully funded this year. There are many others on their list of offerings – PDA, Jan Heckler, other foreign ministries, Presbyterian-led mission initiatives, etc. We as a church would be thankful for the opportunity to serve our Lord through funding as many of these opportunities as we can.

So – if you’ve pledged, or already given, perhaps you can find a way to increase your gift, to support our Mission causes. If you haven’t given yet, please consider how your gift can help us move our Mission Ministry forward.

Thank you...together we move forward in service to our Lord.