



LAKESIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PALM SUNDAY
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8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Loving God, as we journey with your Son in this week of remembrance and hope, help us to understand you and your love for the world more clearly. Transform us by the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ and prepare us for service in your kingdom, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

GATHERING

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Hosanna in the highest!

* **GOSPEL PROCLAMATION** Mark 11:1-10 (N.T. p. 47)

* **PROCESSIONAL HYMN #196** *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALM READING Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29 (O.T. p. 565)

ANTHEM *Sing Hosanna, Jerusalem's Song* Robert J. Powell
Ashley Bruce, clarinet

Who is this man on the donkey? Who are these people with palms? Why does he ride to the Temple? Why should we follow along? It is Jesus who enters the city; riding triumphantly on. Follow him on to the Temple; Sing Hosanna, Jerusalem's Song Is he the one we have prayed for? Is he King David's own Son? Is he the promised Messiah? Is this our king who has come? When will he enter his kingdom? When will he sit on his throne? Israel, sing loud Hosannas; Our king comes to gather his own.

CALL TO CONFESSION (congregation seated) *from Psalm 118:2*

Leader: Let us confess our sins to God, whose steadfast love endures forever.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

O Lord, who on this day entered the rebellious city that later rejected you, we confess that our wills are as rebellious as Jerusalem's, that our faith is often more show than substance, that our hearts are in need of cleansing. Have mercy on us, Son of David, Savior of our lives. Help us to lay at your feet all that we have and all that we are, trusting you to forgive what is sinful, to heal what is broken, to welcome our praises, and to receive us as your own.

SILENT PRAYER

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

from Isaiah 50:7-9

Leader: The Lord God helps us; we will not be disgraced. The Lord God helps us; who can

declare us guilty? Sister and brothers, beyond the shadow of doubt, your sins are forgiven. By the mercy of Christ, let us live together forgiven and free.

* 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)

CHILDREN'S SERMON

* HYMN #197

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

ELLACOMBE

EPISTLE READING

Philippians 2:5-11

(N.T. p. 197)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Essential Rhythms

The Rev. Louisa W. Umphres

* THE APOSTLES' CREED

(hymnal page 35)

RESPONSE

* HYMN #200

A Cheering, Chanting, Dizzy Crowd

CHRISTIAN LOVE

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.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Hymnal p. 35)

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Hosanna!

Jason Krug

* 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 #209	<i>My Song Is Love Unknown</i>	LOVE UNKNOWN
CHARGE	Mark 14:10-16	(N.T. p. 51)
CHORAL RESPONSE	<i>Behold the Lamb of God</i>	G. F. Handel
	<i>Behold the Lamb of God, that taketh away the sin of the world.</i>	
* Those who are able please stand		Liturgist: Peggy Golden

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Holy Week Worship Services:

Dinner with Disciples, tonight: 5-6:30 pm Combined Dinner and Worship
Maundy Thursday: 7 p.m. Communion Service
Good Friday: 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary
Easter Sunrise Service: 6:30 a.m. begins in the Chapel
Easter Sunday worship: 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary

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WEEKLY CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, March 25

Worship - 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Church School - 9:45 a.m.
Kyrie Choir - 4:30 p.m.
Dinner with Disciples - 5:00 p.m.
Youth Group - 5:15 p.m.

Monday, March 26

Adult Education Committee - 7:00 p.m.
Volleyball - 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 27

Buildings and Grounds - 6:30 p.m.
NKCC Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 28

Mission Committee - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 29

Maundy Thursday Service - 7:00 p.m.
Chancel Choir - 8:00 p.m.

Friday, March 30

Good Friday Service - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 31

Easter Festival - 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, April 1—EASTER SUNDAY

Easter Sunrise Service - 6:30 a.m.
Worship - 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Church Office Open Monday – Friday
8:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m.



CONTACTING THE DEACONS

If you would like to reach out to the Deacon board, they can be reached via email at

deacons@lakesidechurch.org.

OUR CHURCH PRAYER LIST

Church members:

David Brewster	The Lohre Family
Watts Crutchfield	Joe McGee
Beth Dieter	Jennifer McMahan
Sherry Hahn	Melora McMahan
Marilyn Hagenseker	Tom Miller Jr. & Family
Lucille Hall	David Schenck
Sarah Harvie	Dan Springer
Leland Hoskins	Fran Whitson
Lois Houchins	
Stephanie Lee	
Russ Letsinger	

We've also been

asked to pray for:

Pam Edmiston, Carol Williamson, Tom Breyley, Patrick Simms, Lt. Cpl. Anton Breyley, Kyle Zulauf, Heather Fraller, Lyndi Halverson, Terry Donald, Maddie Harris and family, the Rudolph family, the Andreko family, Joyce Mattan, Amy, David White, Tami Newsome, Angie Batey, Kellie, Donna, Larry Bohm, Nathan Meyer

*Sanctuary flowers are given by
Pat & Ralph Bailey in honor of their
65th wedding anniversary on March 28th*

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

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. You can also check on line at PCUSA.org for more information on missions.

MISSIONS

MARCH GIVING BARREL

The Giving Barrel for March is the Welcome House Homeless Shelter for Women and Children. The shelter served over 1,100 households in 2016 including 469 children. The goal of the shelter is finding housing and stability for these families. The shelter needs groceries for their clients and for feeding women and children at the shelter, which feeds 35 each night. These are the items most needed:

Canned Meat (chicken and tuna), Macaroni & Cheese, Uncooked Pasta Noodles, Powdered Creamer, Canned Vegetables w/ pull tab, Kool-ade mix, Lemonade mix, Canned Beans with pull tab, Hot Cocoa mix, Pasta Sauce, Condiments, Peanut Butter & Jelly, Instant rice, Cereal, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Instant Oatmeal, Kroger Gift Cards for perishable items, Large cans of veggies

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

Easter is our annual participation in One Great Hour: Fish Banks and Envelope giving both! One Great Hour of Sharing is part of our relationship to the larger Presbyterian denomination. The offering contributes to three causes:

- ★ Presbyterian Hunger Fund—feeding the hungry close at home and around the world.
- ★ Presbyterian Disaster Assistance—PDA sponsors work groups like the team from our church and Presbytery just back from Tennessee.
- ★ Self Development of People—offering loans and support to individuals and groups moving toward prosperity

NEW EYEWEAR DONATION BOX

Look for the new blue VSP eyewear donation box located in the Narthex to donate your gently used prescription glasses, sunglasses or readers.

Please note: VSP does not accept non-prescription glasses or sunglasses.

CLASP

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

MATTHEW 25 MINISTRIES

Saturday, April 14th, Lakeside is volunteering at Matthew 25 Ministries. We head to M25M at 8:20 am from the church back parking lot and volunteer from 9–11am. Everyone planning to participate in this Mission activity needs to sign up in Fellowship Hall on the M25M clipboard Besides your name please note if this is your first visit, age of any children attending, if you need a ride, or if you need to be sitting during this volunteer activity. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Lou Blake at 859-578-0121.

PDA 2018 SPRING TRIP

The Cincinnati Presbytery is sponsoring a mission trip to Fayetteville, NC, to work on housing damaged by flooding in 2016. The week long trip will leave on or about April 15, 2018, and will be led by Kevin Murphy. There are 30 spots available. If you are interested in going, you need to contact Kevin fairly soon. His e-mail address is kevmurph02@gmail.com

AT THE TABLE

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

MAR 25TH: DINNER WITH DISCIPLES—See below for more information

APR 8TH: THE WHY'S, WHAT'S, AND HOW'S OF WORSHIP!

- Pot-Luck Meal

YOUTH GROUP

5:15-7:30pm Every Sunday Night

Some weeks we join At the Table, some weeks we're on our own. Either way, gather in the Chapel at 5:15 to worship, learn, and serve together!

March 25 – At the Table “Dinner with Disciples”, then help us prep for the Easter Festival!

April 1 – Easter, no Youth Group

DINNER WITH DISCIPLES

A Meal and Worship Experience for Holy Week,

5-6:30pm, Sunday, March 25th

Join us for an event combining food from the time of Jesus and experiential worship. We'll share dinner banquet-style, breaking bread and eating food prepared from first century Palestinian recipes (plus pass around potluck finger food dishes brought by you!). Throughout the night, we'll walk through the events of Jesus's final days in a creative, family-friendly worship experience that will prepare young and old for the sweeping lows and highs of Holy Week. Sign up in the Fellowship Hall, or just come!

EASTER FESTIVAL HELP

The Easter Festival is a great way to reach out to our community. Here are the ways you can help:

Candy Donations: please bring small, individually wrapped, and allergy free candy for our egg hunt.

We hide roughly 2000 eggs! Wow! That means we need *lots* of candy. A collection bin is in the Fellowship Hall.

General Help: We need folks to help us set up, run stations, and clean up on March 31st (the day of). Sign up to help in the Fellowship Hall!

EASTER FLOWERS

On Easter Sunday we'll be surrounded by beautiful spring flowers in our Sanctuary. If you would like to dedicate a plant in honor of or in memory of a loved one, there are envelopes available in Fellowship Hall. Please mark on the dedication if you would like to take your plant home with you after the 11am Easter service. The cost is \$14 per dedication. Please include your contribution in the envelope. Dedications must be received by Wednesday, March 28th.

FLOWERED CROSS OUTSIDE

Each year at Easter we extend our Celebration outside our building with a cross draped in black on Good Friday and suddenly alive with flowers on Easter Sunday. This year we invite you to bring flowers to the Easter Festival or on Easter morning to be part of the Flowered Cross this Easter Sunday morning!

FELLOWSHIP DINNERS

We will be holding Fellowship Dinners in April. These are small dinners held at church member's homes for fellowship and fun. The hosts will provide the entrée and you will be asked to bring something to accompany the meal such as a salad or dessert. We have four hosts along with different dates from which to choose.

Tom & Linda Crutchfield, Friday, April 13 at 6:30pm – Villa Hills, KY (6 guests)

Larry & Elaine Lewis, Saturday, April 21 at 6:00pm – Edgewood, KY (6 guests)

Cliff & Pepper Peale, Friday, April 27 at 6:30pm - Covington/Taylor Mill, KY (4 Guests) - *Childcare can be provided at this location. Please contact Joy Teremi to arrange.*

Matt Johnson & Johnathan Jones, Saturday, April 28 at 6:30pm - Lakeside Park, KY (14 Guests)

You can sign up during coffee hour or by contacting the church office. If you have any questions, please contact Joy Teremi at 859-240-6886. Sign-ups begin today and end April 8th.

RICHWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH VISIT

Join the Adult Ed Committee for a tour of the historic Richwood Presbyterian Church and cemetery, 1070 Richwood Rd, Walton, KY, on Saturday, April 7, at 10 a.m. Founded in 1834, this Kentucky Historic Landmark is the oldest Presbyterian Church in the Northern Kentucky area and was built by both white and black members. Sign up sheet is in the Fellowship Hall.

YOUTH FUNDRAISING!

This summer our youth are traveling to Montreat and on a "Pilgrimage of Bridges" (exploring Civil Rights, Interfaith, and other places of meeting across difference). Please help support these trips! Here are some ways you can help our fundraising...

- **PARENTS NIGHT OUT!**

Drop your children off Friday, April 6th from 6-10pm for a fun night while you support our youth with your charitable donation! Youth will be babysitting along with 2 or 3 adults! There will be planned activities, energizers, group crafts & dinner!

- **SPRING FLING! April 15th Lunch after Worship**

Join for a Spring-themed luncheon and auction supporting our youth! We'll have kite-making, a picnic-themed lunch, pies for sale and more. Save the date and stay tuned for more!

- **ENVELOPE BOARD**

Check out the bulletin board outside of the bathrooms and pick an envelope value to support us. We hope to have all envelopes gone by May!

COFFEE HOUR

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

Mission Committee B—TODAY

Men of the Church—April 1

- A "continental type" coffee hour -similar to one last year-will be held between services on Easter Sunday

Finance Committee—April 8

Fellowship & Evangelism—April 15

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.

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

- *We give to God out of gratitude; we glorify God through our gifts*
- *We give thanks for what God has returned to us, Christ's church*
- *We do God's will through Christ's church, our church, with the gifts God has returned to us*

Giving was strong in January. Thank you! That puts us ahead of where we need to be...a good start to the year. However, giving in February was below what we need to keep on pace.

We appreciate whatever you can give in the next month or two – it would be great to stay ahead of the game as we come in to the typically slow summer months.

<u>Month</u>	<u>Giving for Year</u>	<u>Giving for Year</u>	<u>Spending for Year</u>	<u>Ahead (+)</u>	<u>or Behind (-)</u>
January	\$77K	\$77K	\$49K	+\$31K	
February		\$36K	\$113K	\$98K	+\$15K
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Target per month	\$50K	\$600K	\$600K		

Thanks again for your generosity in support of God's work!