

*Lake Nona Presbyterian Church exists as a community of believers committed to the Apostles' teaching, the fellowship, the breaking of bread, and prayer in Acts 2:42.*

**February 14, 2021**

## Welcome!

We are glad you have joined us this morning and hope you find our service to be friendly and reverent. Most of all, we hope you experience Christ this morning.

If you have questions, need the help of Pastor BJ or an elder, or are interested in church membership, visit our website [www.lnpca.church/leadership](http://www.lnpca.church/leadership) or contact the church at 407-573-2208. Leader email addresses are hyperlinked to their names on the website.

## Children

Children are part of God's family and we welcome them in our worship service! We appreciate your understanding of the occasional disruption.

Due to the threat of Covid-19 nursery is unavailable at this time. Children will remain in the service with their parents.

## The Lord's Supper

At Lake Nona Presbyterian Church, we offer communion every week. We believe that it adds a tremendous sensory experience to worship and provides a deep encounter with Christ.

Jesus Christ himself invites all true believers to his table. If you are a baptized Christian, a follower of Jesus Christ, and a faithful member or adherent of this or some other congregation, recognized as belonging to the fellowship of Christian believers, please know how welcome you are to eat this gracious meal with us. By taking the bread and the wine, you are acknowledging that you are a sinner, without hope except in God's sovereign mercy and that you are trusting in Christ alone for your salvation. If you have any questions about your participation in the Lord's Supper please speak to our pastor.

*\*Gluten-free bread is available. Simply raise your hand, and the pastor will serve you.*

The red cups are wine; the white cups are grape juice.

Elders will hold the elements at the front. If you would like to receive communion come to the front when your row is dismissed. Please take each element to your seat and hold onto them until all have been served so we can partake together. We will say, "*The body of Christ, broken for you*" as you receive the bread. As you receive the wine, we will say, "*The blood of Christ, poured out for you.*"

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# THE LORD'S SERVICE

10:30 am

## PREPARATION

Silent Preparation for Worship

*Prelude*

*The congregation may sing or prepare quietly for worship.*

Welcome

## THE LORD CALLS US INTO HIS PRESENCE

*\*Please stand (if able). Words in **bold** are read aloud by the congregation.*

Salutation and Responsive Scriptures\*

*Leader:*

The Lord be with you!

**People:**

**And also with you!** Ruth 2:4

**In the Name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit! Amen!** Matthew 28:19

God Calls Us to  
Worship\*

Psalm 134:1-2

*Leader:*

*Come, bless the LORD, all you servants of the LORD, who stand by night in the house of the LORD! Lift up your hands to the holy place and bless the LORD! (ESV)*

*Song of Adoration\**

We Pray for God to Help Us Worship\*

## THE LORD CLEANSSES US

God Calls Us to Confess Our Sins

Isaiah 1:18

*Leader:*

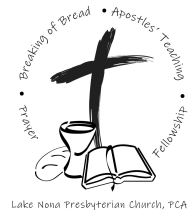
*Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool. (ESV)*

We Confess Our Sins

(Selections from Psalm 51)

**All: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment. Cleanse me, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.**

Silent Confession of Sin



*Leader:* I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins. (ESV)

*Song of Gospel Thanksgiving\**

Children’s Catechism: Question: What is God?  
Questions 9-11 **Answer: God is a Spirit and does not have a body like men.**

Question: Where is God?  
**Answer: God is everywhere.**

Question: Can you see God?  
**Answer: No. I cannot see God, but he always sees me.**

We Confess our Faith

Apostles’ Creed

**All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic (universal) church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

We Pray Together

*Leader:* The peace of Christ be with you!

**People:** And also with you!

*Song of Praise\**

**THE LORD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD**

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 41:8-10

<sup>8</sup> But you, Israel, my servant, Jacob, whom I have chosen, the offspring of Abraham, my friend;

<sup>9</sup> you whom I took from the ends of the earth, and called from its farthest corners, saying to you, "You are my servant, I have chosen you and not cast you off";

<sup>10</sup> fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand. (ESV)

*Leader:* *This is the word of the Lord!*

**People:** **Thanks be to God!**

New Testament Reading

Acts 27:1-12

<sup>1</sup> And when it was decided that we should sail for Italy, they delivered Paul and some other prisoners to a centurion of the Augustan Cohort named Julius. <sup>2</sup> And embarking in a ship of Adramyttium, which was about to sail to the ports along the coast of Asia, we put to sea, accompanied by Aristarchus, a Macedonian from Thessalonica. <sup>3</sup> The next day we put in at Sidon. And Julius treated Paul kindly and gave him leave to go to his friends and be cared for. <sup>4</sup> And putting out to sea from there we sailed under the lee of Cyprus, because the winds were against us. <sup>5</sup> And when we had sailed across the open sea along the coast of Cilicia and Pamphylia, we came to Myra in Lycia. <sup>6</sup> There the centurion found a ship of Alexandria sailing for Italy and put us on board. <sup>7</sup> We sailed slowly for a number of days and arrived with difficulty off Cnidus, and as the wind did not allow us to go farther, we sailed under the lee of Crete off Salmone. <sup>8</sup> Coasting along it with difficulty, we came to a place called Fair Havens, near which was the city of Lasea.

<sup>9</sup> Since much time had passed, and the voyage was now dangerous because even the Fast was already over, Paul advised them, <sup>10</sup> saying, "Sirs, I perceive that the voyage will be with injury and much loss, not only of the cargo and the ship, but also of our lives." <sup>11</sup> But the centurion paid more attention to the pilot and to the owner of the ship than to what Paul said. <sup>12</sup> And because the harbor was not suitable to spend the winter in, the majority decided to put out to sea from there, on the chance that somehow they could reach Phoenix, a harbor of Crete, facing both southwest and northwest, and spend the winter there. (ESV)

*Leader:* *This is the word of the Lord!*

**People:** **Thanks be to God!**

## SERMON

*Heading for a Shipwreck* Acts 27:1-12 Pastor BJ Milgate

1. We trust the Lord by \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ he gives us in the ups and downs of life (v. 1-3).
2. As Christians we \_\_\_\_\_ for those in need when times are \_\_\_\_\_ for them (v. 3-8).
3. No matter how certain we are that disaster is \_\_\_\_\_, all events are in the Lord's \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 9-12).

**Key Truth:** Because our lives are in the Lord's hands, the Christian \_\_\_\_\_ his control when it looks like we're heading for \_\_\_\_\_.

## WE RESPOND TO GOD

*Song of Response\**

We Give Our Offerings to God

*Leader:* What gifts do you offer to your Lord in response to His grace?

**People:** **We offer ourselves through praise and thanksgiving.**  
**We offer our tithes and offerings for the sake of the world.**

**THE LORD FEEDS US AT HIS TABLE**

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper

**THE LORD BLESSES US AND COMMISSIONS US**

We Receive the Benediction\*

*Gloria Patri / Doxology\**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Women’s Ministry**  
Saturday, February 27  
8:30am - lunch

Mark your calendars, Ladies. Saturday, February 27, will be a time of fellowship and learning. Come hear Pastor BJ instruct us in approaches for teaching the Bible. This will be beneficial even if you don’t plan on teaching. Your personal time in the Bible will be enhanced as you apply these techniques. We will start at 8:30am and go through lunch, which will be provided. Sign up now at [women@lnpca.church](mailto:women@lnpca.church).

**Pre-Service Prayer**  
9:30-10:00  
Zoom link in the church  
email: Ruth Cowen

Every Sunday morning 9:30-10:00 you are welcome to join a Zoom prayer time for our service and church family. You are welcome for all or part of the time.

**Wednesday Prayer**  
8:00pm  
Jovani Pink

Wednesday nights you are welcome to join a Zoom prayer meeting for our service and church family. The Zoom link is in the church email.

**LIFE GROUPS AND YOUTH GROUP**

**Bentley Life Group**  
[scott@lnpca.church](mailto:scott@lnpca.church)  
407-803-1562

We meet on the 2nd and 4th Sundays 4-6 pm on Zoom. For more information, please contact Scott.

**McGill Life Group**  
[kim@lnpca.church](mailto:kim@lnpca.church)  
Tues, Feb 16

McGill life group meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6 pm. We are studying Ephesians. Dinner is provided.

**Quigley Life Group**  
980-328-4503  
Tues, Feb 16

Quigley life group meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 7:30pm. We are studying 1 John. We'd love for you to join us. If interested, please contact Ed or Susan.

**Youth Bible Study**  
youth@lnpca.church

Youth Sunday School meets Sundays at 9am in the nursery. We will continue our study of the storyline of Scripture and how it all leads to Christ. Any students in grades 6-12 are invited. Contact Joe Donaldson at youth@lnpca.church for more information.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

**Biblical Hebrew Study**  
andrea@lnpca.church

Next meeting is Sunday, Feb 21 by Zoom. For more info, contact Andrea Milgate or Susan.

**PCA Leadership Training**

Ladies of LNPC, the PCA Leadership Training for women is virtual this year. Check out the keynote speakers, workshops, and affinity groups for "The Promise of His Presence: Living and Leading Covenantally" at the pcacdm.org website. Content will drop the weekend of 2/18 - 2/20, but be available to you for 12 weeks. See Chantal Jones or Jane Anne Wilson for more information and how to register for free.

## MEN'S MINISTRY

**Meeting Tuesday Feb. 9th 7:00-8:00 p.m.**

Men's Bible study is studying the life of David from 1st Samuel. Contact Nick Brawand for directions or to connect on Zoom. nicholasbrawand@gmail.com

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Children's Church**  
Fay Augenstein  
kids@lnpca.church

The Children's ministry has resumed for the Spring quarter. Parents, please remember to check in your children at the registration table upon arrival. Masks are required (except for children 2 and under). For more information, contact Fay Augenstein at kids@lnpca.church.

## GIVING

**Last Week: \$3,862 Year to Date: \$18,793**  
**Budgeted Expenses to Date: \$23,982**

