

# LAKEMONT

Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Leading men, women and children to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ, and helping them grow in Him and serve Him in the church and in the world.

# THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

#### **GOD CALLS US** TO WORSHIP

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **PRELUDE**

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

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

tion initiated by God

We are a Confessional Church. We choose to stand shoulder to shoulder with those saints who have gone before us. We

embrace the time-

less doctrinal truths of the Gospel.

#### MEDITATION IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

The simple fact remains that if we cannot trust Jesus Christ when He speaks about hell and eternal punishment, then we cannot really trust Him when He speaks about heaven and eternal life. - Timothy Beougher

#### † CORPORATE CALL TO WORSHIP From Isaiah 12:4-6 & Eph 3:20-21

Leader: Give praise to the Lord, proclaim His name; make known among the nations what He has done.

**People**: Sing to the Lord, for He has done glorious things; let this be known to all the world.

Leader: Shout aloud and sing for joy, for great is the Holy One of Israel among you.

All: To Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, be glory forever and ever.

# **† Prayer of Invocation**

# **† HYMN OF PRAISE**

Hymn No. 101

Come, Thou Almighty King

**† Confession of Faith** from the 1st Section of the Nicene Creed Leader: Using the first section of the Nicene Creed, let us confess what we believe about God.

**All**: We believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

#### GOD CLEANSES 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.

The scripture that follows our confession assures us of God's forgiveness, grace and pardon. This is the good news.

Our giving is an act of worship; it is both a response of gratitude for God's generosity toward us and a sign of faith in God's future provision.

#### 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.

#### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

Confess using Jer 2:19-21

**Leader**: Let us now, as a people chosen by God, redeemed by Christ, and sealed by the Spirit, confess our sins together:

**All**: We believe in one God, Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible, and yet we have forsaken you and do not fear you. Long ago, you broke our yokes and bonds, but we said, "I will not serve you". You planted us as a choice vine, a pure seed, but we have turned into a wild vine. We confess to our sin and ask you to remember us and forgive us. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

#### SILENT CONFESSION OF PERSONAL SIN

### PROMISE OF PARDONING GRACE

from Jeremiah 30

**Leader**: For thus says the Lord: Your hurt is incurable, and your wound is grievous. There is no medicine for your wound, no healing for you. [But] I will restore health to you, and your wounds I will heal, declares the Lord. You shall be my people, and I will be your God.

**CHORAL ANTHEM** 

Myrin & Redman, arr. Fettke (pg. 6)

10,000 Reasons

# PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Elder, Jeff Asmann

# Worship Through the Giving of Tithes and Offerings

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# †Doxology & Dedication of the Offering

Children, ages  $4 - 1^{st}$  grade, may be dismissed for Children's Church.

# SONG OF PREPARATION

Rowan, Littlepage (pg 6)

Hast Thou Heard Him, Seen Him, Known Him

# READING OF GOD'S WORD

1 John 5:6-12

(Bible pg. 1304)

## PROCLAIMING & HEARING GOD'S WORD

Whose Testimony Are You Going to believe

# **† HYMN OF RESPONSE**

Hymn No. 181 (vs. 1-4)

We Come, O Christ, to You

# **† BENEDICTION**

Jeremiah 30:3-4

**Leader**: I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore, I have continued my faithfulness to you. Again, I will build you, and you shall be built!

† Please Stand

GOD

US

**COMMISSIONS** 

Our worship con-

cludes with God's

sending us into the

world with his blessing as we seek to

love our community.

Preaching: Rev. Bryan Villarreal

Leading Worship: Elder, Matthew Peters

# 1 John 5:6-12

Main Idea: Jesus is the perfect help/Savior we need to have eternal life
I. Three Witnesses Give Assurance (v. 6-9)
II. God's Witness Gives Assurance (v. 10-12)