



Lakewood Presbyterian Church

Open. Inclusive. Affirming.

"We are God's people doing God's work in our community."

Morning Worship
10:30a

6th Sunday after Pentecost
June 30, 2024

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements
Musical Introit

Fiona Ashton-Knochel

WE PRAISE GOD

Call to Worship

One: When our lives feel burdened, what shall we do? When we need healing for our bodies and souls, what shall we do? When all around us, there is turmoil, to whom shall we turn?
All: **God once had a body. Through Jesus, God had burdens and pain and inner turmoil.**

One: When no one seems to understand our sorrow, to whom shall we turn?

All: **God, get it. You offer not just healing but understanding. You are with us. May we not forget. Amen.**

*Hymn No.

*Prayer of Confession (speak bold in unison)

God calls to take a risk, to be like the woman in the gospel who reaches out to Jesus for healing; or the father who risks the scorn of others to bring Jesus to his dying daughter. Let us ponder the places in our lives where we may be resistant to turn to God for healing and change.

When we resist your call to open our hearts to allow the freshness of your grace to enter:

God have mercy.

When we close our eyes to your new and unexpected possibilities of healing and reconciliation:

Christ have mercy.

When we let fear overwhelm us, and cling to the security of what we know instead of risking new steps toward your freedom and justice:

God have mercy. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri

No. 581

*Passing of the Peace

One: May the Peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

Children's Song
Children's Time

"Jesus Loves Me"

GTG 188

First Scripture Reading
Second Scripture Reading

Wisdom of Solomon 1:13-15, 2:23-24
Mark 5:21-43

Sermon

"God Did Not Make Death"

Rev. Addie Domske

Hymn No.

Affirmation of Faith

The saying is sure: If we have died with Christ, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful—for he cannot deny himself.

2 Tim. 2:11-13

WE PREPARE TO SERVE EACH OTHER

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Offertory

*Doxology

No. 607

*Hymn No.

*Charge and Benediction

*Congregational Choral Response No. 2281

(Blue Hymnal)

May you run and not be weary. May your heart be filled with song. And may the love of God continue to give you hope and keep you strong. And may you run and not be weary. May your life be filled with joy! And may the road you travel always lead you home.

*Postlude

**Denotes to please rise, in body or in Spirit.*

We are so glad you chose to worship with us today!
Please join us for coffee and fellowship after worship.



Have littles with you for worship?

The nursery is open at 10a each Sunday for children under 5. Children and babies can be dropped off at the beginning of the service, stay in worship until Children's Time, or join for the entire service. If this is your first time with us, please fill out an information form at the nursery. Our playground is open to the public after worship and during the week after 1p.

Special thanks to:

Sharing the Word: Rev. Addie Domske

Worship Leader: Suzy Farley

Accompanist: Fiona Ashton-Knochel

Deacon on Call: Tom Callahan

Happy Birthday and Anniversary to: None this week

Community Announcements

[All church events may be found online at lakewoodpres.org/calendar.]

Adult Formation, Sundays 9:30-10:15a: Pastor Addie continues our Sunday class to study the Reformation Project's "How To Talk About the Bible & LGBT Inclusion." We still have one book left if you want to join!

Join Pastor Addie for a **weekly prayer Zoom, Thursdays from 9-9:30a** lifting up both our local and global community in prayer each week. No sign up required. Find the zoom link at www.lakewoodpres.org/calendar.

Grounds Cleanup Day is scheduled for **July 13 at 9a** (alternate date is July 20 in case of rain). Bring your own tools. Coffee and donuts will be provided. Questions? Contact Brad Tourangeau 253.230.0056.

Pastor Laura is on maternity leave until July 28. **Pastor Addie** is with us for 20 hours each week, 3 Sundays a month. You can contact her at pastor@lakewoodpres.org or for non-emergencies via text at 724.971.6952. She will be in the office on **Wednesday** this week.

Our **Annual Church Picnic** is scheduled for **Sunday, July 28, 11:30a-3p** (the day Pastor Laura returns!) Hamburgers and hot dogs will be served. PLU's steel drum band, Steel Rain, will provide live music with a conga line! To help, visit the sign up sheet at the back of the sanctuary.

Gentle Yoga meets Thursdays from 10-11a in the Fellowship Hall. (Upcoming note: no yoga on July 4th.) Please bring a non-perishable item to class for the pantry.



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