

Lewinsville

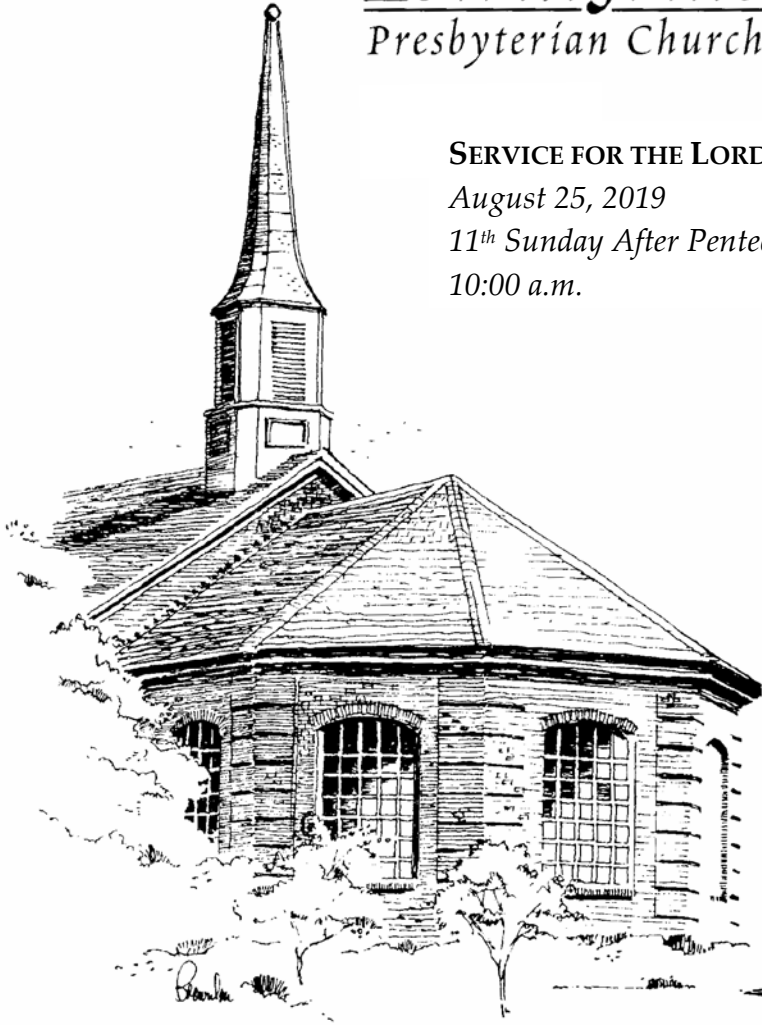
Presbyterian Church

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

August 25, 2019

11th Sunday After Pentecost

10:00 a.m.



“I was a stranger and you welcomed me.”

--MATT. 25:35

WELCOME. We're glad to gather together as a community of faith today. No matter where you are on the journey of faith, you are welcome here, to join in worship and service. All are invited to a time of refreshment and conversation immediately following worship in St. Andrews Hall (down the steps outside the sanctuary, and to the left).

If you are new to this community of faith, we rejoice in your presence with us. Remember, we're not strangers, but rather friends who journey together, following the Lord Jesus Christ.

Please turn off all cellular phones and watch alarms during worship. Please refrain from using flash photography during the worship service.

Leadership at Lewinsville

Ruling Elders

Clerk of Session: Tim Dokken

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Clay McConnell
Ryan Ramsey
Jody Ransom

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David Gunter
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Sharon Gamble
Janie Waldrop
Pat Matheson*

Banafshe Aghvami
Carolyn Fisk
Libby McConnell (moderator)
Sally McKeown
Wendy Maiwurm*

Gary Eames
Emily Foster (vice moderator)
Charlie Mendenhall
Rachel Russell
Karen Siple*

HEARING ASSISTANCE devices are available from the ushers or the audio/video console at the rear of the sanctuary.

PILLOWS are available in the coat room, just outside the narthex, to help make the pew more comfortable during worship. Feel free to borrow a pillow and return it after worship.

MISS A WORSHIP SERVICE? Sermons are posted every week on our website, www.lewinsville.org. DVD recordings of worship services are also archived in the Library. Feel free to check them out any time.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT LEWINSVILLE CHURCH? – the next Inquirers Class begins September 15 at 9:45am in the Library. Visit the web page www.lewinsville.org or call the church office for more information.

NOTES FOR WORSHIP:

GG – Glory to God The Presbyterian Hymnal
Renew! - Renew! Hymnal (grey)

OT - Pew Bible Old Testament
NT - Pew Bible New Testament

THE LEWINSVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
August 25, 2019, 10:00 a.m.

* *If you are able, please stand*

†† *Latecomers seated*

GATHERING

WELCOME

PRELUDE

Hymn Sing

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Let us worship the One who nourishes us,

who satisfied us in parched places and makes our bones strong.

Let us worship the One who calls us,

who leads us to compassion and draws us nearer to justice.

Let us worship the One who creates us,

who forms and reforms us in the image of our maker.

* HYMN

O Day of Rest and Gladness

GG 393

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CALL TO CONFESSION

Silence

You are faithful, O God of mercy, from everlasting to everlasting. Forgive us when our faith withers, our passion grows weary, and our focus wanes. You are loving, O God of mercy, from everlasting to everlasting. Forgive us when our love is too shallow, our compassion too slow, our status too important. You are the creator, O God of mercy, from everlasting to everlasting. Forgive us when we fear that you have stopped creating, stopped calling, stopped reforming. Convict us, enliven us, and lead us to know the depth of your steadfast love. In the name of Christ we pray, Amen.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *Lord, Have Mercy upon Us*

RENEW! 84

**Lord, have mercy,
Christ, have mercy,
Lord, have mercy.**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Friends, hear and believe the good news that comes from God.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

* RESPONSE

Come, Thou Almighty King

GG 2, vs. 4

**To thee, great One in Three,
eternal praises be, hence evermore!**

ITALIAN HYMN

**Thy sovereign majesty may we in glory see,
and to eternity love and adore.**

* THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Greet those around you, saying "Peace be with you" or "The Peace of Christ."

*If you prefer not to shake hands in greeting while passing the Peace of Christ,
you may choose to make eye contact and greet others in another personal way.*

LIFE IN THE CHURCH

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MEDITATION

There are no Sermon Stories this morning. Sermon Stories will resume September 15.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 71:1-6

OT p. 532

Luke 13:10-17

NT p. 76

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Transformative Sabbath

The Rev. Annamarie Groenenboom

* HYMN

We Come to You for Healing, Lord

GG 796

LAND OF REST

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

(Apostles' Creed)

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THANKSGIVING

THE SHARING OF OUR LIVES THROUGH OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY *Lord, For Thy Tender Mercy's Sake* Richard Farrant

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *We Give Thee but Thine Own* GG 708, vs. 1
**We give thee but thine own, whate'er the gift may be;
all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.**

* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SENDING

* HYMN *O God, Who Gives Us Life* GG 53
NOEL

* CHARGE AND BLESSING

* DISMISSAL
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE *Op. 65 Sonata No. 2 Mvt. III Allegro Mawstoso* Felix Mendelssohn

The pastor will be in the narthex to greet you following worship.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 25, 2019

*****WITHIN OUR PRAYERS*****

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given to the Glory of God in loving memory of **Jim Dokken**, beloved husband, father, and grandfather, by the **Dokken** family.

ALL NAMES ON THE PRAYER LIST HAVE BEEN REMOVED FOR PRIVACY REASONS. THE PRINTED ANNOUNCEMENTS INCLUDED IN THE BULLETIN ON SUNDAY MORNINGS CONTAINS THE COMPLETE LIST.

Help carry one another's burden, and in this way you will obey the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2

The weekly prayer list includes those members and friends of the church family who are in a short-term temporarily serious or critical situation. Please remember in your prayers all those listed. Names placed on the weekly list will be removed after six weeks unless the church office is requested otherwise. We need your help to keep our prayer lists accurate and current.

Please refer to the website, www.lewinsville.org, for further information on activities.

1st Sunday of the Month Collections

SHARE MONTHLY FOOD CONTRIBUTIONS - Remember to bring your canned and dry food donations to the Narthex NEXT Sunday, **September 1**. We deliver the contributions to SHARE. SHARE serves people in our area, and there is a great need for non-perishable foods. **Please no open or out-of-date products.**

DEACONS FUND - Following worship next Sunday, **September 1**, the Deacons will receive contributions for the Deacons Fund in the Narthex as you leave the Sanctuary. The Deacons Fund is used to provide short-term assistance to those in our community who have emergency needs.

FAIRFAX INTERFAITH COALITION FOR HABITAT - Want to work with Habitat for Humanity in our own backyard? The next workday for the Fairfax Interfaith Coalition for Habitat (FICH) with Habitat for Humanity of Northern Virginia is **Wednesday, September 4**, 8:30-3:00. We will be working on an extensive rehab off Telegraph Road and 495 in the Alexandria portion of Fairfax County. Volunteers supply their own lunch and Habitat supplies water and tools.

If you're interested in joining volunteers from other local congregations on September 4, contact Mary Frase, the Lewinsville representative to FICH, at maryjfrase@gmail.com or (703) 536-4091.



FESTIVAL SUNDAY - Come one, come all! Join us for an Old-Fashioned Ice Cream Social downstairs in Fellowship Hall following worship on **September 8**. It is a wonderful opportunity to meet new people and reconnect with those you may not have seen over the summer. We will have vanilla ice cream and all kinds of Sundae toppings. We hope you will join us as we celebrate the end of the summer and the beginning of the church year at our Ice Cream Festival!



SUBSCRIBE TO OUR SERMON PODCASTS - Our Sunday sermons are now available via Podcast on iTunes, Google Play, and Spotify. Subscribe using your favorite podcast app. Search Lewinsville Church to find. Never miss a sermon!

Clergy United for Racial Empathy (CURE) presents:

“Congregations Working Toward a Cure”

Sunday, September 22, 4:30-6:30p.m.

Floris United Methodist Church

13600 Frying Pan ROAD, Herndon. VA 20171



*CURE is an interfaith,
multi-racial group of
clergy who are working
together towards racial
reconciliation*

CURE participants will share about a recent trip in which they visited several significant sites of racial history and violence around Virginia - Charlottesville, Danville, and Richmond.

REGISTER NOW FOR THE ALL CHURCH RETREAT - *Recognizing God's Awe and Wonder in our Holy Life Together.* Register for the All Church Retreat October 4 – October 6 at Pearlstone Center in Reistertown, MD on the web page, www.lewinsville.org, by **August 25**. Our retreat is an intergenerational gathering that will use Bible studies, worship, quiet time, and communal gatherings to explore what awe and wonder means to people of faith at Lewinsville Presbyterian. There will also be plenty of free time to take full advantage of the beautiful fall weather and all the retreat center has to offer such as hiking, fishing, and more!



THE LOST SHEEP PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY - provides the opportunity for knitters and crocheters of all skill levels to create shawls and lap robes to provide spiritual comfort and warmth wherever there is a need. We meet on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month in the chapel between 10:00a-12:00p.

Those who cannot attend meetings are welcome and encouraged to be part of the Prayer Shawl Ministry. Just let us know you are out there! Contact Carol Kaffenberger, ckaffenb@gmail.com 703-407-6311, or Janet Jacewicz jjacewicz@gmail.com 703-231-3973.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 25, 2019

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

- SUMMER CHOIR
10:00am Service of Worship – Sanctuary
The Rev. Annamarie Groenenboom preaching
12:00pm Youth End of Summer Pool Party at the Deese's
5:30pm Sunday ChristCare - Library

MONDAY, AUGUST 26

- 9:00am Senior Exercise Group – Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27

- 11:30am Presbytery Group meeting - Chapel

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28

- 11:30am Bible Study – Chapel
7:00pm Congregational Care and Membership Ministry Group meeting - Library

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29

- 9:00am Senior Exercise Group – Fellowship Hall

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

- SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
10:00am Service of Worship (Taizé) – Sanctuary
The Rev. Annamarie Groenenboom preaching

MINISTERS
PASTOR
STATED SUPPLY PASTOR FOR CHRISTIAN FORMATION
STATED SUPPLY PASTOR FOR CARE MINISTRIES

The Entire Congregation of Lewinsville Church
The Rev. Dr. Scott Ramsey
The Reverend Annamarie Groenenboom
The Reverend Jen Dunfee

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES
DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

John Nothaft
Allison Lineberger

ACTIVE IN TODAY'S SERVICE:

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| MUSIC MINISTRY | Summer Choir |
| LAY READER | John Thomas |
| DUTY ELDER | Cathy Saunders |
| DUTY DEACON | Andrew Borene |

CLERK OF SESSION
TREASURER

Tim Dokken
Janet Gale

MISSION CO-WORKERS

Brian and Helen Chapaitis, Wycliffe Bible Translators, Jerico, VT
Andrew and Ellen Collins, Interserve (USA), Chiang Mai, Thailand
Frank Dimmock, The Outreach Foundation (Africa specialist), Decatur, GA

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