

Lewinsville

Presbyterian Church



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

October 3, 2021

World Communion Sunday

11:00 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 outside in the parking lot off the Great Falls Street side of the building

In order to provide a safe, loving, and welcoming environment for our youngest, unvaccinated congregants, as well as immune-compromised congregants, we ask that you wear a mask while inside the building. Thank you so much for your cooperation.

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

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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? – Visit the web page www.lewinsville.org or call the church office.

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
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* *If you are able, please stand*

†† *Latecomers seated*

GATHERING

WELCOME

PRELUDE

Prelude No. 3

Heitor Villa-Lobos
(Brazil; 1887-1959)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Heb. 1:1-4; 2:10-12

Long ago, God spoke to our ancestors in the faith through the prophets,

but in the last days God has spoken to us through his Son Jesus Christ.

Jesus is the reflection of God's glory, and he sustains all things in the world by his powerful Word.

**It was fitting that God, for whom and through whom all things exist,
should give his only Son to suffering for our salvation.**

Therefore we will proclaim God's name.

In the midst of the congregation, we gather to praise God!

HYMN

Sheaves of Wheat

GG 532

UNA ESPIGA

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CALL TO CONFESSION

Silence

**You gave us commandments, God of love,
because you know the hardness of our hearts.**

**You have created us to live in community,
and still we oppress others,**

we still separate ourselves from each other and from you.

We depend solely on our own ways, our own thoughts, our own ideas

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forgetting to whom we belong.
Jesus loved the children,
but there are still children in the world who live in hunger or fear,
rejected and unloved.
Forgive us and call us back to a deep dependence on you.
Bind all your children together as sisters and brothers
that we might share what we have received from you.
With the wonder and gratitude of children help us to receive Jesus
back into our lives.
In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Friends, hear and believe the good news that comes from God.
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MEDITATION

*Following the Children's Meditation, children age 4 through grade 2 are invited to meet
Allison Lineberger in the Narthex for Sermon Stories. Children will return to the
Sanctuary for worship with their parents following the sermon.*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 8
Mark 10:13-16

OT p. 492
NT p. 46

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

All the Children

The Rev. Dr. Scott Ramsey

HYMN

For Everyone Born

GG 769

FOR EVERYONE BORN

* 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.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY

Ave Verum Corpus

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

*Ave, verum corpus natum de Maria Virgine,
Vere passum immolatum in Cruce pro homine,
Cujus latus perforatum unda fluxit et sanguine,
Esto nobis praegustatum in mortis examine.*

Translation:

Jesu, Lamb of God, Redeemer, Born the blessed Virgin Mary's Son,
Who upon the Cross a victim Hast mans salvation won,
From whose side, which man had pierced,
Flowed the water and the blood:
By the sacred Body broken In death and in life be our food.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

All who profess faith in Jesus Christ are invited to the table.

THE INVITATION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Prayer continues.

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.**

THE BREAKING OF BREAD AND THE POURING OF THE CUP

The gifts of God for the people of God.

Alleluia! Amen!

Communion will be served at the front of the sanctuary. Ushers will indicate when each pew is to come forward to receive the bread and cup. After receiving the bread and cup, you may return to your pew using the side aisles. Those not desiring or unable to come forward may so indicate to the ushers, and the bread and cup will be brought to the pew so all may partake.

Gluten-free crackers are available. Please indicate your preference.

MUSIC AT COMMUNION

Let Us Break Bread Together

GG 525

(hymn will be sung in English and Japanese)

PRAYER AFTER THE SUPPER

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING

HYMN

We Are Marching in the Light of God

GG 853

(The congregation is invited to join in singing the final hymn)

SIYAHAMBA

* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Julia Florida

Agustin Barrios
(Paraguay; 1885-1944)

Today's Offering: Click the "Make a Gift" button to give online at www.lewinsville.org. To give via text message, text 703-270-0451 with the amount you would like to contribute, then follow instructions.

To celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month, Lewinsville's music ministry will be performing composers of LatinX and Spanish cultures.

Heitor Villa-Lobos (1887-1959) is one of the most celebrated South American composers in the history of music. His music was influenced by both Brazilian folk music and by stylistic elements from the European classical tradition, as exemplified by his *Bachianas brasileiras* ("Brazilian Bach-pieces"). He is also known for the work that he did in Brazil to reform music education in local schools.

Agustin Barrios (1885-1944) was a Paraguayan virtuoso classical guitarist and composer, largely regarded as one of the greatest performers and most prolific composers for the guitar. His works were largely late-Romantic in character, with many pieces influenced by South American and Central American folk music. The Johann Sebastian Bach-inspired *La Catedral*, from 1921, is widely considered to be Barrios' magnum opus.

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ACTIVE IN TODAY'S SERVICE:

MUSIC MINISTRY
GUEST MUSICIANS

John Nothaft
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