Lord’s Day, April 10, 2022

Palm Sunday

*Please complete the Attendance Registration sheet and pass it down the row. Visitor cards and prayer cards are located in the Attendance Register. Place visitor cards and prayer request cards in the offering plate. We welcome your prayer requests.*

Verse to Meditate on John 12:12-13 ESV

*“The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, ‘Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!’”*

Welcome/Announcements Nancy Stagge

Prelude

Call to Worship Zech. 9:9

\*Praise Songs *Your Will Be Done*

 *It was Finished Upon That Cross*

\*The Confession of Faith: *Responsive Reading of Psalm 118*

 *Hymnal*, p. 828-829

Pastoral Prayer 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.***

\*Hymn #473 “Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” PowerPoint

Worship through the Giving of Tithes and Offerings/Prayer

\*Offertory Response #731 “Doxology”

 **Praise God from whom all blessings flow;**

 **praise him, all creatures here below;**

 **praise him above, ye heav’nly host:**

 **praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Children’s Church is available for children from grades Pre-K-3.
Please exit to the narthex.*

Scripture Luke 19:28-44

Sermon “Jesus Wept”

\*Hymn #235 “All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

\*Benediction

**\*** Please stand if you are able.

**After church, be sure to pick up your palms.**

**Children’s Church**: Carol Morrison and Bev Sheldon

**UPCOMING NURSERY ATTENDANTS**

4/10 Laura Milligan and Melissa Grainger

4/17 Megan Oskamp and Debbie Sisson

4/24 Sara Feazell and Suzanne Maddox

5/1 Kathy Fagan and Ellen Metzger

**Church Office Hours - week of April 11th – April 15th**

Monday: Church Office closed

Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Friday: Church Office closed

Direct website links to church bulletin information:

* Prayer / Praise - <https://www.lochravenpca.org/praise-prayer-form/>
* Giving - <https://www.lochravenpca.org/giving/>
* Calendar / Events - <https://www.lochravenpca.org/our-activities/>
* Read the Bible in a year - [www.lochravenpca.org/our-bible](http://www.lochravenpca.org/our-bible)
* Resources - <https://www.lochravenpca.org/resources/>

Guest Wi-Fi network: LRPC@9318-Guest

Guest Wi-Fi Password: ac@lrpcgc

Church Website: [www.lochravenpca.org](http://www.lochravenpca.org)

**ATTENDANCE BOOKS**

We are starting to take attendance again using our attendance books, but we will be doing so somewhat differently. Instead of having a book in every row, there will be one attendance book in each section of seats, located in the front row. We ask that whoever is sitting up front in each section pass the book down to the next row. The book should be passed back until it reaches the back row, at which point we are asking that it be left on the counter of the tech booth, so it is not misplaced. Please encourage your neighbors to take a moment to fill their names, etc. out. This is one way we can find out about new visitors.

**WORSHIP, GROWTH AND FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

**Sunday, April 10, 2022**

1:00 p.m. **Stepping Stones Group**

4:00 p.m. **Heavenly Hands Puppet Rehearsal**

**Monday, April 11, 2022**

12:00 p.m. **ROMEO group**

7:00 p.m. **Session Meeting**

**Tuesday, April 12, 2022**

12:00 noon **Lenten Luncheon**

1:00 p.m. **Prayer Meeting**

5:45 p.m. **TOPS**

**NO GATHERING OR ESOL THIS WEEK**

**Wednesday, April 13, 2022**

7:00 p.m. **Search Committee**

**Thursday, April 14, 2022**

10:30 a.m. **Rebekah Circle** *Jonah, Joel, Amos*

7:00 p.m. **Maundy Thursday Service @ LRPC**

**Friday, April 15, 2022**

7:00 p.m. **Good Friday Service @ Aisquith**

**Sunday, April 17, 2021- EASTER SUNDAY**

7:30 a.m. **Sunrise Service followed by breakfast (BYO)**

9:30 a.m. **Sunday School Classes**

**Adult Classes:**

Men’s Class: *Genesis* Room 201

Berean Class (Women): *The Jesus Paul Knew* Room 202

Adult Elective: *Ruth* Room 203

**\*Because of the altered schedule for Holy Week, please have any announcements or schedule changes into the church office this week no later than noon on Tuesday, April 12.**

**Missions Prayer Emphasis**

**CHINA OUTREACH MINISTRIES (COM): REV. DANIEL SU, PRESIDENT**

Daniel sent the following prayer requests.

1. Our staff members and spouses (about 90) are meeting for our annual staff conference in California (this Wednesday to Monday). Please pray for God's blessings and safe travels.
2. Please pray for MK Li, a post doc at a major university. He's growing very close to knowing Christ. I met him and prayed with him a few weeks ago. Please pray that God may touch him and enable him to put his faith in him.

Thank you for your prayers. I know I'm behind in sending my spring prayer letters. I will work on that when returning from the conference. Please give my appreciation to your church folks for their prayers and support!

**THIRTY DAYS TO PRAY FOR THE MUSLIM WORLD – RAMADAN – APRIL 2 TO MAY 1**

As Muslims celebrate Ramadan with fasting and prayer for thirty days, many Christians also observe that period of time to pray for them that they might come to know the Lord personally.

**VISIT WITH PAUL CHINCHEN, PRESIDENT OF AFRICAN BIBLE COLLEGES**

On Sunday, April 24, Dr. Chinchen will be visiting LRPC**.**He will make a presentation during the 9:30 Sunday School hour in the Fellowship Hall. Come to hear him talk about what is happening in the three African Bible Colleges/Universities. He will also be our visiting preacher during the worship service.  After the service, the Missions Committee is planning a small potluck lunch with Paul for **twenty (20) people**.  If you are Interested in participating In this lunch, please sign up on the signup sheet noting each individual’s name and the food item to be shared.  Because of the intimacy of this group, the ones who will be able to attend will be determined on a first come first served basis.

**Church News**​

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

Please note that there will be no Fathering or ESOL on Tuesday this week (April 12). Thursday, April 14, we will have a Maundy Thursday service at LRPC at 7 p.m. and will be hosting Aisquith PCA. Friday, April 15, Aisquith will have a Good Friday service at 7 p.m., and all are welcome. Aisquith is located at 7515 Harford Rd.

On Easter Sunday, April 17, besides our regular 11 a.m. worship service, we will have an Easter Sunrise Service at 7:30 a.m., followed by a “bring-your-own” breakfast. We hope to see you there!

**​JAARS MISSIONS TRIP UPDATE**

Our 2022 Short Term Missions (STM) trip to JAARS (Jungle Aviation & Radio Service) this year is from June 26-July 2. The team consists of Jeff, Megan, Ruth, and Bethany Oskamp; Brian, Brea, Jenna, Parker, and Micah Duty; Danielle, Tristan, and Cara Breneman; David, Ethan, and Laura Milligan; Sam Maddox, Ben Mangels, Andrew Hansen, Paul Englar, and Patty De Rosa.

Our goal is to reach $5045 to cover our expenses including our project (not yet determined) to be done at JAARS. We are planning on several fundraisers, the details of which can be found in the biweekly eblast.

1. **Yards for JAARS!**
2. **Nails for JAARS!**

Please keep us in your prayers. We will have a chart showing our progress in raising money in the foyer in the next week or so.

**EASTER FLOWERS FOR 2022 - JUST ONE MORE WEEK LEFT!**

Easter is only a week away! Lots of people have ordered Easter flowers, but we still have some left: 13 tulips and 6 lilies. We are hoping to have all of the flowers sold by Easter, so if you haven’t got your order in as of yet, please do so.

 All flowers will be $10 apiece and include a pot cover. We ask that you place your payment in the offering plate (or the mailbox, if you typically mail it in) the Sunday after you have placed your order.  Please remember to notate on your check that it is specifically for Easter flowers.

 Also please remember that orders can only be placed by emailing the church office at lochravenpca@gmail.com or calling the office at 410-661-5777. Please include the following information.

1. Name of person/people ordering
2. Number of Lilies or Tulips (or both, if ordering some of each), and
3. If you are giving the flowers in honor of or in memory of a particular person or people

**START YOUR ENGINES…**

**VBS Save the Date: JULY 18-22**

More info to come. Begin praying now!