

LPC News for the week of September 27, 2026

Welcome! Thank you for worshipping with us! Whether you are a regular churchgoer or are visiting for the very first time we are *so* glad you are here! The best way to keep in touch with us is to fill out a yellow “We want to connect with you” card and give it to an usher or put it in the offering plate during the Time for Offering.

Welcome Kelly Cuppett! This morning we are proud to welcome back Kelly Cuppett as our guest accompanist while Tom Brown is away. A native of Tampa, FL, Kelly is a pianist and board-certified music therapist. She holds Masters degrees in Music Performance and Music Therapy from Loyola and has over fifteen years of experience in music ministry.

Flowers in Worship: The flowers on the chancel this Sunday are generously provided to the glory of God by the New Orleans Orchid Society, where Marian Prigmore is a member.

NEEDED! Photos for the LPC Website: The photos at www.lpcno.org are woefully outdated. You can help by taking pictures of your experiences at church! Then, upload them to our shared Google drive folder: <https://bit.ly/46LqwF9>, or send them to office@lpcno.org, or post them on our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/LPCNOLA. Thanks to our ‘webmaster from afar,’ Susan Zimmerman, for keeping us up-to-date and online!

NEXT SUNDAY 10/4: Worship at Chinese Presbyterian: The next service in the Greater NOLA shared worship series is October 4 (World Communion Sunday). That day there will **not** be a service at LPC. Instead, we’ll be at Chinese Presbyterian Church: 2901 W Esplanade Ave. Kenner, LA 70065. Worship is at **11am**, followed by a *pot-luck lunch* (there will be **plenty** of food if you don’t have time to bring anything!). **Volunteers** are needed to help usher, serve communion, or read a portion of the service in a language other than English. Pastor Alex will be the preacher at CPC for this service; contact him to volunteer: pastor@lpcno.org. If you plan to bring a dish for lunch, let Pat Sharpe know.

Greeters for Sept. 27: Gary McCall, Jennifer Adams, Mary Ann Chrestman, John Schwegmann, and Dawn Davis

Greeters for Oct. 4: None! Worship at Chinese Presbyterian Church

Class for Prospective Members! Following worship on Sunday, October 11 there will be a class for new/prospective members of LPC in the church library from 12:00-1:30pm. A light lunch will be served. The class will cover the basics of Presbyterian beliefs, and the mission, values, and programming of LPC. Please RSVP to pastor Alex: pastor@lpcno.org.

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES:

New Orleans Medical Missions: If you or your pet takes prescription meds, donate them to NOMM! They will sterilize and reuse them for citizens in Honduras. You can also donate leftover/unused hospital supplies (bandages, wipes, tape, bed cloths, “depends,” etc...) The NOMM distributes them here in NOLA. If you don’t have the capacity to volunteer for a *project*, you can still serve and help by simply donating what you don’t need. Just let Mission Chair Charlene Berry know what you have to donate! cvberry54@cox.net.

CUBA: Many thanks to all who donated to the Cuba Food Fund! And there is still time! Donate online, checks with Cuba Mission--Food, or cash to Charlene. Help is always needed!

Program of Hope: Volunteers are always appreciated and needed at First Presbyterian Church on Claiborne Ave. each Wednesday to help with lunch bags or clothing distribution for the guests that come seeking assistance. John Calvin is taking lead for the month of September. Arrive around 8:30 and you are usually finished around 10:30.

Jefferson Presbyterian Food Bank: (4450 Jefferson Hwy.) At the Church on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month grocery bags of food are given to qualified, registered folks between 9-11. Food is packed at the church on Thursdays prior to their distribution. Filling the grocery bags begins at 7am and usually lasts until 9am. September dates are as follows: Thursday Bag Filling: 10/1, 10/15; Saturday bag distribution: 10/3, 10/17.

The Adult Sunday School Library Class had completed the Old Testament Book of Amos. This Sunday, we start a study of the Old Testament Book of Zechariah.

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The Fellowship Hall Class: We will study the chapter, The Church in the Age of Machines. Navigating Faith in the Age of AI" by Nathan Webb. The class has moved the start time from 9:30 am to 9:15 am. Please come even if you don't have the book and participate in the discussion.

New Time—Preacher's Bible Study: All are welcome to join pastor Alex for the preacher's Bible study. We meet every **Wednesday at 11:30** in the church library to study the text for an upcoming sermon. This week we study Matt. 22:1-14.

Trunk-or-Treat is COMING! Sunday, October 18 is the annual Trunk-or-Treat, in partnership with LPWS! Donations are needed for the silent auction to support LPWS's scholarship fund. You can also help by donating candy/treats, working a trunk, or running an activity booth. LPWS serves 71 children and their families—find a way to connect with our school on Oct. 18th! Bring donations to the church office or email lakeviewweekdayschool@gmail.org to volunteer.

Food for Coffee Hour: If you would like to provide refreshments for before or after worship on any Sunday please sign up on the bulletin board or contact Pat Sharpe at acottageplace@gmail.com / 504-388-8400 by Saturday evening.

CAMPUS CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 27

Sunday, Sept. 27	18th Sunday after Pentecost	
9:00am-12:30pm	LPC worship, Sunday school, & Fellowship	Whole campus
9:30am-11:30am	New Life Church Sunday school and choir rehearsal	Upstairs
1:00pm-4:00pm	New Life Church worship, Sunday school, and Fellowship	Whole campus
Monday, Sept. 28	<i>LPC Office closed</i>	
10:00am-11:30am	Aerobics Dance Class	Fellowship Hall
10:15am-11:15am	AWE Snack/Recess	Playground, Courtyard
12:15pm-1:15pm	AWE Lunch/Recess	Playground, Courtyard
1:15pm-2:45pm	AWE PE	Fellowship Hall, Playground
7:00pm-9:00pm	Scout Troop 150	Fellowship Hall, Playground
Tuesday, Sept. 29	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
9:45am-10:00am	AWE Recess	Playground
10:00am-11:30am	Aerobics Dance Class	Fellowship Hall
1:00pm-1:15pm	AWE Recess	Playground
1:15pm-2:45pm	AWE PE	Fellowship, Playground
Wednesday, Sept. 30	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
9:00am-10:30am	Piano Tuning	Sanctuary
9:00am-2:00pm	PCHAS Client Session	PCHAS office
10:15am-11:15am	AWE Snack/Recess	Playground, Courtyard
11:30am-1:00pm	Pastor Bible Study	Library
12:15pm-1:15pm	AWE Lunch/Recess	Playground, Courtyard
1:15pm-2:45pm	AWE PE	Fellowship Hall, Playground
Thursday, Oct. 1	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
10:00am-11:30am	Aerobics Dance Class	Fellowship Hall
10:15am-11:15am	AWE Snack/Recess	Playground, Courtyard
12:15pm-1:15pm	AWE Lunch/Recess	Playground, Courtyard
1:15pm-2:45pm	AWE PE	Fellowship Hall, Playground
12:00pm-2:00pm	PCHAS Client Session	PCHAS office
6:00pm-7:00pm	Cub Scouts	Fellowship Hall
6:00pm-9:00pm	Pontchartrain Men's AA	Library
8:00pm-9:00pm	New Life Church prayer meeting	Sanctuary
Friday, Oct. 2	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
8:30am-9:00am	AWE Yoga	Fellowship Hall
10:00am-11:30am	Aerobics Dance Class	Fellowship Hall
1:15pm-2:45pm	AWE PE	Fellowship Hall, Playground
1:30pm-3:00pm	AWE Cooking	Kitchen
Saturday, Oct. 3		
6:00am-8:00am	New Life Church Morning Glory Prayer Group	Sanctuary, Library
6:00pm-8:00pm	Crushed Grapes AA	Fellowship Hall
Sunday, Oct. 4	19th Sunday after Pentecost - WORSHIP AT CHINESE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	
9:30am-4:00pm	New Life Church Sunday school, choir rehearsal, worship, and Fellowship	Whole campus