

LPC News for the week of August 2, 2026

Welcome! Thank you for worshiping with us! Whether you are a regular churchgoer or are visiting for the very first time we are *so* glad you are here! We hope you will register your presence in worship with us in the black friendship pads, located in the pew racks toward the center aisle, so we can keep in touch

Worship at Parkway Presbyterian Next Sunday!

Next Sunday, August 9 is the final installment of our Summer Shared Worship series with other local Presbyterian Church (USA) congregations. There will not be a service in the LPC sanctuary. Instead, we will *gather for worship at Parkway Presbyterian Church.*

Parkway is located at 6200 Camphor Street, Metairie, LA 70003, and the service begins at 10:30am.

August Birthdays: Happy Birthday to:

Katheryn Zimmermann 8/2

Patrick Briand 8/12

Amelia Chrestman 8/19

Mark Allen 8/23

Heidi Melancon 8/25

Meg Brown 8/26

Jennifer Adams 8/27

Naomi James 8/28

No Nursery: There will be no nursery services available on August 2nd.

THANKS TO ALL OF YOU FOR SHARING YOUR FAITH! Here are the words you wrote on the poster in fellowship hall to complete the sentence, Jesus's love for me is _____: Unconditional, A strong foundation, Eternally yours, Neverending, Forgiving, Restoring, Rejuvenating, Continuous, Always, Constant, Everything, What I do and how I am, Magnanimous, Beautiful, Sustaining, Tenacious, Tolerant. These words certainly reflect the faith of folks who are in close relationship with the Lord! May the Lord bless those who read your words so that they desire a similar relationship with the Lord.

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES FOR AUGUST:

Jefferson Presbyterian Church 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 9-11am. Food is packed at the church on the Thursdays prior to their distribution. Filling the grocery bags begins at 7am and usually lasts until 9 am. Dates are as follows: Thursday bag filling: Aug. 13. Saturday bag distribution: Aug. 1 & Aug. 15.

NEW OPPORTUNITY: Let's help fill those bags of groceries for two months by donating one specific item to each bag--a **single pound of rice**. The Food Bank fills 300 bags of groceries per month, giving a total of 600 bags of groceries for two months. *Thanks to the abundance of the Lord and the generosity of the congregation, to date we have collected 581 bags of rice for needy families. We only need 19 bags to reach our goal of 600 bags of rice!*

The Fellowship Hall Class: On June 21st, the Fellowship Hall class begins a 6-week study of the parables of Jesus. Jesus was a master storyteller and his stories shed light on truths about the Kingdom of God that go beyond the words themselves. These stories are just as relevant for our lives as Christ followers today. Our class meets at 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall. For more information, contact Ann Brown abrown210@icloud.com.

The Adult Sunday School Library Class will study the following Books of the Old Testament over the next several weeks of the following prophets: Obadiah, Zephaniah, and Nahum.

Preacher's Bible Study: All are welcome to join pastor Alex for the preacher's Bible study. We meet in the church library on **Fridays at noon** to study the text for an upcoming worship service and sermon. This Friday, August 7, we will study Romans 11.

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FELLOWSHIP REFRESHMENTS: The fellowship committee has decided to offer donuts during our coffee hour this summer. If you would like to provide donuts on any Sunday please sign up on the bulletin board or contact Pat Sharpe at acottageplace@gmail.com or calling 504-388-8400 by Saturday evening. You may provide alternative refreshments if you wish to sponsor a coffee hour. Please sign up on the bulletin board outside the sanctuary and coordinate with Pat Sharpe.

CAMPUS CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 2

Sunday, Aug. 2	10th 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, Aug. 3	<i>LPC Office closed</i>	
8:00am-1:00pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Kitchen
8:00am-3:30pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Fellowship Hall
12:00pm-1:00pm	AWE recess	Yard/Playground
1:00pm-2:30pm	AWE	Kitchen
7:00pm-9:00pm	Scout Troop 150	Fellowship Hall, Playground
Tuesday, Aug. 4	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
8:00am-1:00pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Kitchen
8:00am-3:30pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Fellowship Hall
12:00pm-1:00pm	AWE recess	Yard/Playground
1:00pm-2:30pm	AWE	Kitchen
Wednesday, Aug. 5	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
8:00am-1:00pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Kitchen
8:00am-3:30pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Fellowship Hall
9:00am-2:00pm	PCHAS Client Session	PCHAS office
12:00pm-1:00pm	AWE Recess	Yard/Playground
1:00pm-2:30pm	AWE	Kitchen
Thursday, Aug. 6	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
8:00am-1:00pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Kitchen
8:00am-3:30pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Fellowship Hall
12:00pm-2:00pm	PCHAS Client Session	PCHAS office
12:00pm-1:00pm	AWE Recess	Yard/Playground
1:00pm-2:30pm	AWE	Kitchen
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, Aug. 7	<i>LPC Office open 9am-2pm</i>	
8:00am-1:00pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Kitchen
8:00am-3:30pm	LPWS Teachers Training	Fellowship Hall
12:00pm-1:30pm	Bible Study	Library
12:00pm-1:00pm	AWE Recess	Yard/Playground
1:00pm-2:30pm	AWE	Kitchen
Saturday, Aug. 8		
6:00am-8:00am	New Life Church Morning Glory Prayer Group	Sanctuary, Library
6:00pm-8:00pm	Crushed Grapes AA	Fellowship Hall, Kitchen
Sunday, Aug. 9	11th Sunday after Pentecost - WORSHIP AT PARKWAY	
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
4:00pm-7:30pm	Troop 150 - Court of Honor	Sanctuary, Fellowship Hall