

Welcome! Thank you for worshipping with us! Whether you are a longtime LPC member or are visiting for the 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.

Children's Sunday School and Childcare: A nursery is available from 9:30-11:30am in the LPWS building on Louis XIV. (Look for the green awning in the parking lot.) Ordinarily, children ages pre-K through 11 are dismissed during worship for age-appropriate Sunday school.

PROGRAM OF HOPE—Members of our church family will meet in our church kitchen on Tuesdays during the first three weeks of December to make sandwiches and care bags for the homeless. Please join us:

December 3 at 5 pm

December 10 at 5 pm

December 17 at 5 pm

Volunteers will be needed to bring the lunches to First Presbyterian Church each Wednesday morning at 8:30. Please contact Barbara Morlier if you have questions or can volunteer (504-450-0314).

Thank you.

After a prayer request for our church to Pastor Barrett Milner, this is his response:

As always, I hold you and my beloved Lakeview family close to my heart and in my prayers, and I will continue to do so at this challenging time. I pray that the movement of the Spirit and the creativity and the incredible giftedness and can-do spirit of LPC will reveal a new and prosperous future for all. Do know that I'm sending all my love, blessings, and prayers, and best, my friends!

40 Days of Prayer: Project Regeneration Update

On Wednesday, October 23 the Session had their latest meeting as part of the "Project Regeneration" effort. The goal of this discernment process is to restructure LPC's institutional model to match the reality of our current "small church" congregation. We are currently responsible for the upkeep of a building and property suited for a church with ten times as many members as we have now, which is financially and spiritually

unsustainable. Having completed our study of *Sailboat Church*, October 27 marks Day 1 of a congregation-wide 40 days of prayer. For the next forty days, all LPC members are encouraged to participate in the daily personal devotion series that concludes *Sailboat Church*. The daily prayers for the week will be made available each Sunday and sent via email. Please see the attached note from Ann Brown for more details.

LPC PRAYER CHAIN MINISTRY - Do you have a prayer request?

1. You can text Barbara Morlier at 504-450-0314 with your request. Barbara will send your request to our prayer chain members who will then pray for you. (If your request is for another person, please get their approval so that we respect their privacy.)

2. Also, you can stop by the library class any Sunday morning between 8:50-9:15 and we'll pray with you, or you can just drop off your request.

Your LPC prayer chain ministry is always ready to add new members to our praying community. If you'd like to dedicate yourself to praying for those who request prayers, please let Barbara know and she'll add you to this ministry.

Monsieur Crocodile's Scales

Don't forget to purchase more scales for our pulpit supply fund! \$1,010 collected to date

\$1,400 is our goal

Pulpit Supply / Communion Schedule

November 2024 - April 2025

Pastor Alex begins the first stint of his family leave on October 28. A BIG thank you to all the LPC members who have agreed to offer their gifts to preach and lead worship in his absence. You can participate in this effort by contributing to the pulpit supply fund, which will compensate Kelly Couch and Richard Williams, our two professionally trained worship leaders who will also fill the pulpit. See the schedule below:

END Family leave (part 1) on 11/24

November 24 Rev. Alex Lee-Cornell *Communion*

December 1, 8, 15 - Rev. Alex Lee-Cornell

December 22 Rev. Alex Lee-Cornell *Communion*;

BEGIN holiday vacation on 12/23

December 29 Susan Canavello
January 5 Jennifer Beasley
END holiday vacation on 1/6
January 12 Rev. Alex Lee-Cornell *Communion*
January 19, 26; February 2 - Rev. Alex Lee-Cornell
February 9 Rev. Alex Lee-Cornell Communion
BEGIN Family Leave (part 2) on 2/10
February 16 Rev. Richard Williams, SE Louisiana
Presbytery (Ordained)
February 23 Charlene Berry
March 2 Kelly Couch Begin Lenten Series
March 9 Kelly Couch
March 16 Kelly Couch *Communion*
March 23, 30; April 6 - Kelly Couch
END Family leave on 4/7
April 13 Rev. Alex Lee-Cornell (Palm Sunday)

2025 Pledge Cards: It's not too late to make a pledge to give to LPC for 2025! The green pledge cards can be found in the church office and on the bulletin board right outside the door at the front of the sanctuary. Please prayerfully consider how you can contribute your spiritual and financial gifts to LPC's ministry in the year ahead. Everyone is encouraged to make a pledge—that is, a promise to give a regular financial contribution. Our pledges help the Session develop a budget and plan for the combined ministry of Lakeview Presbyterian Church and Weekday School. This includes paying our staff, maintaining a safe, welcoming, insured, and functional church and school campus, and providing the resources for mission, education, outreach, fellowship and worship.

Gauging Cuba Trip Interest: Next year is the 125th Anniversary of our sister congregation in Cuba, Iglesia Juan G. Hall, and they have invited all their mission partners to send a pair of representatives for a celebration in February. Charlene Berry and Susan Zimmermann will represent LPC for this event. The Cuba mission team is also gauging whether there is interest in planning another, larger trip later in the year. If you are interested in going on an adult mission trip to Cuba in 2025 or on a potential youth/family mission trip to Cuba around June 1, 2026, please contact Mission chair Charlene Berry, cvberry54@cox.net.



Make a gift! Your financial contribution to Lakeview Presbyterian Church supports LPC's ministries of education, worship, and outreach. You can give by placing a check or cash in the offering plate during worship, mailing a check to the church office, or visiting our secure online portal at lpcno.org/give (or scan the QR code) to give by credit/debit card.