

Lord's Day, August 15, 2021

Visitor cards and prayer cards are located on the table in the Narthex. Please place visitor cards and prayer request cards in the offering plate. We welcome your prayer requests.

Verse to Meditate on John 6:35 ESV

"Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.'"

Welcome/Announcements Tom Feazell

Prelude

Call to Worship Hebrews 1:8-12

*Praise Songs "Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery"
"Only a Holy God"

*The Confession of Faith (*from the Westminster Shorter Catechism in Modern English*, Questions 65 and 66)

Q.65. What does the fifth commandment forbid?
A. The fifth commandment forbids being disrespectful to or not treating others as their position or relationship to us demands.

Q.66. What is the reason for the fifth commandment?
A. The reason for the fifth commandment is the promise of long life and prosperity, if these glorify God and are for the good of those who obey this commandment.

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 #264 "Jesus, Keep Me near the Cross"

Worship through the Giving of Tithes and Offerings/Prayer
Offertory Response: "Speak, O Lord"

**Speak, O Lord, as we come to You
To receive the food of Your Holy Word
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness**

Scripture Acts 27:13-25

Sermon "How To Survive Your Storm"
Dr. Chuck Buettner

*Hymn #521 "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

*Benediction

* Please stand if you are able.

Church Office Hours - week of August 16th – August 20th

Monday: Church Office closed
Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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
- WCF Shorter Catechism study
- <https://www.lochravenpca.org/wcf-shorter-catechism/>
- Visitor Feedback <https://www.lochravenpca.org/visitor-feedback/>

UPCOMING NURSERY ATTENDANTS

8/15 Sara Feazell, Amanda Pagani
8/22 Laura Milligan, Debbie Sisson
8/29 Megan Oskamp, Carolyn Clark

WORSHIP, GROWTH AND FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Monday, August 16, 2021

12:00 p.m. ROMEO group
7:00 p.m. Trustees' Meeting

Tuesday, August 17, 2021

1:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting
5:45 p.m. TOPS

Wednesday, August 18, 2021

7:00 p.m. Hannah Circle
7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study

Thursday, August 19, 2021

7:00 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal

Friday, August 20, 2021

7:00 p.m. Lydia Circle
7:30 p.m. GROW Conference

Saturday, August 20, 2021

8:30 a.m. GROW Conference

***All bulletin information is due into the church office no later than Wednesdays at 12 noon.**

Missions Prayer Emphasis

SCHOOLS, TEACHERS, AND STUDENTS RETURNING TO SCHOOL

Pray for good decisions concerning the opening of schools this fall. Pray that administrators will find ways to protect everyone from COVID. Pray that teachers and students will be careful and considerate of others by using of masks, handwashing, and social distancing so that everyone will be protected.

Pray that excellent instruction by teachers and eager learning by students will result and help to eliminate any negative results from this past year of online learning.

Church News

JAARS 2021 SUNDAY SCHOOL AND POTLUCK – SUNDAY, AUGUST 22

Come hear more about the JAARS Missions trip from this past June. During the Sunday school hour (9:30-10:30), we will be showing a video with many pictures and stories from our trip. Then stick around after the worship service for a potluck to hear from each team member as well as a rap the children learned! A sign-up for the potluck will be available in the narthex on August 8th and 15th.

GROW CONFERENCE: AUGUST 20 & 21

Registration is open for the PCA's GROW Conference. Watch from home on Friday, August 20th, from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Come to church on Saturday, August 21st, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for a continental breakfast, door prizes, children's ministry training, and two additional virtual seminars by leaders in the PCA. GROW Conference is for ALL people, not just children's ministry volunteers, who desire to be better equipped to disciple the next generation. Sign up by emailing the church office at lochravenpca@gmail.com or contact Brea Duty.

2021-2022 CHURCH SCHOOL YEAR

Five Sunday School classes and two church time classes are in need of teachers and class grandparents so the next generation will know, believe, and tell of “the glorious deeds of the Lord” and “set their hope in God” (Psalm 78: 4,7). Please prayerfully consider this opportunity to serve the Lord and each other. See Brea in the lobby for more information today!

ENGLISH CLASSES FOR IMMIGRANTS (ESOL MINISTRY) ANNOUNCEMENT

Please contact Rachel Stenger in person or by email (lochravenesol@gmail.com) if you are interested in learning more about the ministry of ESOL or in participating in any way. We meet on Tuesday nights at 7 p.m., starting near the end of September. We are looking for an additional Level 1 teacher, an additional Kids' ESOL helper/substitute teacher, other class helpers, and also workers for registration night in September (date to be announced). We covet your prayers as we move forward with in-person classes this fall. May God be glorified as we serve our community and share the gospel.

WELCOME, DR. CHUCK BUETTNER

We welcome Dr. Chuck Buettner to our pulpit today. Dr. Buettner is the executive director of the Baltimore Rescue Mission.