



Lacey Presbyterian Church

November 15, 2020 10:00 a.m.

Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Pastor Shari Monson

Call to Worship Prayer Psalm 24:1-4, NRSV

The earth is the LORD'S and all that is in it, the world, and those who live in it;

For he has founded it on the seas, and established it on the rivers.

Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD? And who shall stand in his holy place?

**Those who have clean hands and pure hearts,
who do not lift up their souls to what is false, and do not swear deceitfully.**

Come, let us worship the Lord together.

A Song of Praise "Did You Feel the Mountains Tremble "

Did you feel the mountains tremble
Did you hear the oceans roar
When the people rose to sing of
Jesus Christ the risen One

Did you feel the people tremble
Did you hear the singers roar
When the lost began to sing of
Jesus Christ the saving One

And we can see that God You're moving
A mighty river through the nations
And young and old will turn to Jesus
Fling wide you heavenly gates
Prepare the way of the risen Lord

Open up the doors and let the music play
Let the streets resound with singing
Songs that bring Your hope
Songs that bring Your joy
Dancers who dance upon injustice

Do you feel the darkness tremble
When all the saints join in one song
And all the streams flow as one river
To wash away our brokenness

And here we see that God You're moving
A time of jubilee is coming
When young and old return to Jesus
Fling wide you heavenly gates
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Call to Confession

Doug Karman

Prayer of Confession

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Forgive our faithlessness, O faithful God!

And see beyond our apathy, our thoughtlessness, our self-centeredness, our wrong choices. See into our hearts, for you are our treasure. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness from Acts 10:43 NRSV

Sharing the Peace of Christ

As God has given us peace through Christ, so let us pass the peace of Christ to each other.

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Pastor Shari

If you have a specific need or concern for which you would like to have someone pray, please email prayer@laceypres.org. Your request will be shared with the Care Team. If you wish to have someone call you, include your phone number. If you would prefer a written note, include your mailing address.

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.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading Acts 6:1-7

Doug Karman

In those days when the number of disciples was increasing, the Hellenistic Jews among them complained against the Hebraic Jews because their widows were being overlooked in the daily distribution of food.

So the Twelve gathered all the disciples together and said, "It would not be right for us to neglect the ministry of the word of God in order to wait on tables. Brothers and sisters, choose seven men from among you who are known to be full of the Spirit and wisdom. We will turn this responsibility over to them and will give our attention to prayer and the ministry of the word.

"This proposal pleased the whole group. They chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit; also Philip, Procorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicolas from Antioch, a convert to Judaism. They presented these men to the apostles, who prayed and laid their hands on them. So the word of God spread.

The number of disciples in Jerusalem increased rapidly, and a large number of priests became obedient to the faith.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Prayer of Illumination

Message

Pastor Shari

“How to Wait on Tables and Serve the World”

Scripture Reflection Questions

Fill in the blanks:

1. I knew that I belonged at church when _____.
2. To walk with others and desire their well-being is hard for me when _____.

Moment for Mission Warm Clothing Drive

June Shaffer

Offering Prayer from Acts 20:35, NIV

Sending Song "Blessed Be your Name"

Blessed be Your name
In the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of
abundance flow
Blessed be Your name

Blessed be Your name
When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through
the wilderness
Blessed be Your name

Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll
Turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord
Still I will say

Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name

Blessed be Your name
When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's all as it should be
Blessed be Your name

Blessed be Your name
On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering
Blessed be Your name

Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll
Turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord
Still I will say

Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name

You give and take away
You give and take away
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Lord blessed be Your name

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Benediction and Instructions for Congregational Meeting on Zoom

Pastor Shari

**LPC Congregational Meeting
Today at 11:30 a.m. via Zoom.**

**This purpose of this meeting is to elect elders, deacons, trustees and
Call to Servanthood members at large for the Class of 2021.**

**Everyone is invited to attend. Members of LPC are encouraged to
participate by voting for the Class of 2021 officers.**

[Click to Join Zoom Meeting](#)

**Meeting ID: 870 7988 1303
Passcode: 064583**

If you have any questions, please call the church office at 360-491-7722. We are happy to help!

We will be answering the phone Sunday, November 15th before and during the Congregational Conversation to answer any questions and to help you get signed on.



**TODAY'S FLOWERS ARE BY
VERA LEACH
"IN MEMORY OF MY FATHER."**

**SAVE THE DATE!
Sunday, November 22
Congregational Conversation
Zoom Meeting at 11:30 a.m.**

**Praise Team: Allen Bolsinger, Dave King, Joe Murrow, Carol Ortiz, Janet Scott, Linda Steadman,
Joshua Sumner, Jon Vanderwood.**

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