



Stewardship Sunday November 2, 2025

Please silence your cell phone

Prelude

It Is Good to Sing Thy Praises

Arr. by S. Martin
Suk Choi, Organist

Welcome

Pastor Jim Szeyller

Call to Worship

Leader: If you are tired, come and worship!

People: *If you are hungry, come and worship!*

Leader: If you are filled with joy, come and worship!

People: *If your spirit feels renewed, come and worship!*

Leader: Our God desires our worship, whether we have much or little to give.

People: *There is healing when we come before our God.*

Leader: All who are gathered here, come and worship!

Opening Prayer

Hymns of Praise (please stand if able)

This is Amazing Grace

Jeremy Riddle, Josh Farro, & Phil Wickham
Michael Smith, Worship Leader
Sho Fujieda, Drums & Madison Spach, Guitar

*Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
The King of Glory the King above all kings*

*Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
The King of Glory the King above all kings*

*This is amazing grace This is unfailing love
That You would take my place
That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life That I would be set free
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me*

*Who brings our chaos back into order
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter
The King of Glory the King of Glory*

*Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
The King of Glory the King above all kings*

*Yeah This is amazing grace This is unfailing love
That You would take my place
That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life That I would be set free
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me*

*Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy worthy worthy*

*Oh This is amazing grace This is unfailing love
That You would take my place
That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life That I would be set free
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me*

Glorious Day

Jason Ingram, Jonathan Smith, Kristian Stanfill, & Sean Curran

*I was buried beneath my shame
Who could carry that kind of weight
It was my tomb 'til I met You*

*I was breathing but not alive
All my failures I tried to hide
It was my tomb 'til I met You*

*You called my name and I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day
You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day*

*Now Your mercy has saved my soul
Now Your freedom is all that I know
The old made new Jesus when I met You*

*You called my name and I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day
You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day*

*I needed rescue my sin was heavy
But chains break at the weight of Your glory
I needed shelter I was an orphan
Now You call me a citizen of Heaven
When I was broken You were my healing
Now Your love is the air that I'm breathing
I have a future my eyes are open*

*'Cause when You called my name I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day
You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave
Out of the darkness into Your glorious day*

Prayer of Confession

Lani Colley

Declaration of Forgiveness

Response of Thanksgiving
(please stand if able)

Gloria Patri
Suk Choi, Organist

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen. Amen.*

Passing of the Joy & Peace of Christ

Anthem

Wonderful Grace of Jesus
Haldor Lillenas, Arr. by Larry Shackley
LNPC Chancel Choir

Wonderful grace of Jesus,
Greater than all my sin;
How shall my tongue describe it,
Where shall its praise begin?

Wonderful grace of Jesus,
Reaching to all the lost,
By it I have been pardoned,
Saved to the uttermost;

Taking away my burden,
Setting my spirit free;
For the wonderful grace of
Jesus reaches me.

Chains have been torn asunder,
Giving me liberty,
For the wonderful grace of
Jesus reaches me.

Wonderful the matchless grace of Jesus,
Deeper than the mighty rolling sea;
Higher than the mountain,
Sparkling like a fountain,
All sufficient grace for even me;

Wonderful the matchless grace of Jesus,
Deeper than the mighty rolling sea;
Higher than the mountain,
Sparkling like a fountain,
All sufficient grace for even me;

Broader than the scope
of my transgressions,
Greater far than all my sin and shame;
O magnify the precious name of Jesus,
Praise his name!

Broader than the scope
of my transgressions,
Greater far than all my sin and shame;
O magnify the precious name of Jesus,
Praise his name!

Wonderful the matchless grace,
Wonderful the matchless grace of Jesus!

Recognition of Children

First Scripture Readings

Romans 3: 24
Grace Hirakawa
Pew Bible p. 154

²⁴They are now justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus.

Romans 5: 15
Pew Bible p. 156

¹⁵But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if the many died through the one man's trespass, much more surely have the grace of God and the free gift in the grace of the one man, Jesus Christ, abounded for the many.

Romans 11: 5, 6
Pew Bible p. 160

⁵So too at the present time there is a remnant, chosen by grace. ⁶But if it is by grace, it is no longer on the basis of works, otherwise grace would no longer be grace.

Hymn of Preparation
(please stand if able)

To God Be the Glory
Fanny J. Crosby
#72 (vv. 1, 2)

*To God be the glory, great things he hath done,
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
Who yielded his life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.*

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,
And give him the glory, great things he hath done.*

*O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
To every believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.*

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,
And give him the glory, great things he hath done.*

Second Scripture Readings

2 Corinthians 9: 8
Pew Bible p. 184

⁸And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work.

1 Corinthians 15: 10
Pew Bible p. 176

¹⁰ But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me.

Sermon

Keys: Grace

Time of Reflection

Blessing of Our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory

From The Inside Out
Joel Houston

A thousand times I've failed Still Your mercy remains
And should I stumble again Still I'm caught in Your grace
Everlasting
Your light will shine when all else fades
Never-ending
Your glory goes beyond all fame

Your will above all else My purpose remains
The art of losing myself In bringing You praise
Everlasting
Your light will shine when all else fades
Never-ending
Your glory goes beyond all fame

In my heart in my soul Lord I give You control
Consume me from the inside out Lord
Let justice and praise Become my embrace
To love You from the inside out

Your will above all else My purpose remains
The art of losing myself In bringing You praise
Everlasting
Your light will shine when all else fades
Never-ending
Your glory goes beyond all fame

In my heart in my soul Lord I give You control
Consume me from the inside out Lord
Let justice and praise Become my embrace
To love You from the inside out

Everlasting
Your light will shine when all else fades
Never-ending
Your glory goes beyond all fame
And the cry of my heart Is to bring You praise
From the inside out
Lord my soul cries out

Everlasting
Your light will shine when all else fades
Never-ending
Your glory goes beyond all fame
And the cry of my heart Is to bring You praise
From the inside out
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Pastoral Prayer and 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 of Response
(please stand if able)

Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound
John Newton
#502 (vv. 1, 2, 3)

*Amazing grace! how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind but now I see.*

*'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!*

*Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come;
'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.*

Charge and Benediction
(please remain standing)

Chorale Response

Prayer for the Road

*May we be blessed as we go on our way.
May we be kept in safety and love.
May grace and compassion find their way to every soul,
May this be our blessing Amen.
Amen, Amen.
May this be our blessing, Amen.
Amen, Amen.
May this be our blessing, Amen.*

(We invite you to be seated for the Congregational Meeting immediately following the worship service. Thank you.)

Congregational Meeting

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SERMON NOTES



Prayer Concerns

LNPC Members

Steve Foster
Jody Fristoe-Schnitzer
Mary Gay
Ellen Hampsten
C.M. Hourigan
Linda Klein
Kathleen Lechner
Minton Paul
Louanna Robeson
Kathleen Roebuck
Tasha Schwarz
The Stamey Family
Gary Wright

Peace & Comfort

Family of Laura Clark (Borg)
Jaime & Lani Colley and Family
(Jaime's Father)
Fred and Janice Ehlers &
Family (Fred's Mother)
The Fair Family (Angela's Aunt)
Fitzpatrick Family (Jill's Father)
Eileen Green (Brother)
Ellen Hampsten (Nephew)
CM, Patrick, & Sienna
Hourigan & Jeff Macarevich
(Tim)
Nora and Mark Imfeld & Family
(Nora's Father)

Sharon and Greg Johnson &
Family (Sharon's Brother, Bob)
Lange Family (Mindy)
Kat, Jason, & Hannah
Marechal (Lucy Marechal)
Moore Family & John Flannery
(Mike Moore)
Family of Linda Schmidt
Pam and Bill Souther (Pam's
Brother, Bruce)
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(Mother, Karen)

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Sunday, November 2, 2025 Announcements

Children bathroom independent through 5th Grade*

Worship is attended as a family until the Recognition of Children, when our young children are excused to go with their teachers to the Sunday School classroom located in the hallway off the Narthex.

**If you are in need of nursery space during the service, you are invited to use the Quiet Room, equipped with livestream, located across from the Sunday School Room.*

Noteworthy News

- ◆ **Congregational Meeting:** Immediately following Worship this morning. Members are encouraged to remain for the meeting as we elect our Pastor Nominating Committee.
- ◆ **SCO Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive:** Drop Thanksgiving shelf-stable food donations in the barrels by the Missions Cart on the patio on Sunday, November 9th & 16th. Flyers with requested food items are available at the Missions Cart.
- ◆ **Operation Christmas Child: Give joy and spread God’s love to children around the world!** Pick up a shoebox (with instructions inside) from the table in the Narthex or go to LNPC.org to pack a shoebox online. Packed shoeboxes must be returned to the church no later than Sunday, November 23rd.
- ◆ **Red Cross Blood Drive:** Sunday, November 23rd, 7:30 am to 1:30 pm. Schedule your appointment online at redcrossblood.org and use Sponsor Code LNPC or call the church office.
- ◆ **Hanging of the Greens:** Sunday, November 23rd, immediately following the 10:00 am service. Please join us in decorating the Sanctuary for Advent season and placing the trees. (This year the congregation will be invited to help decorate our trees on Sunday, November 30th.)

THIS WEEK at LNPC

<u>November 2</u>		<u>SUNDAY</u>
10:00 am	Stewardship Sunday	Sanctuary / Livestream
11:00 am	Congregational Mtg.	Sanctuary
11:15 am	Men’s Ministry	Christian Ed. Room
11:15 am	Missions	Gard A
11:30 am	Middle School	The Garage
4:00 pm	High School	The Garage
4:00 pm	The Journey	Gard A
7:00 pm	The Chosen	Gard A

<u>November 3</u>		<u>MONDAY</u>
7:00 am	AA Men’s	Gard B
10:30 am	AA Women’s	Gard B
1:30 pm	Staff Meeting	Conference Room
8:00 pm	AA Mixed	Gard B

<u>November 4</u>		<u>TUESDAY</u>
9:30 am	Al-Anon Mixed	Gard B
10:30 am	Pastor’s Bible Study	Conference Room

<u>November 5</u>		<u>WEDNESDAY</u>
6:00 pm	AA Mixed	Gard B
7:00 pm	Great Bible Themes	Gard A

<u>November 6</u>		<u>THURSDAY</u>
1:00 pm	FAM Food Dist.	LNPC Parking Lot
6:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

<u>November 7</u>		<u>FRIDAY</u>
7:00 am	AA Men’s	Gard B
10:30 am	AA Women’s	Gard C

<u>November 8</u>		<u>SATURDAY</u>
9:00 am	Buildings & Grounds	Conference Room
9:00 am	Bag Ladies	Kitchen

<u>November 9</u>		<u>SUNDAY</u>
10:00 am	Communion Sunday	Sanctuary / Livestream
11:15 am	Faithful Conversations	Sanctuary
11:30 am	Congregational Life	Gard A
11:30 am	Middle School	The Garage
4:00 pm	High School	The Garage
4:00 pm	The Journey	Gard A
7:00 pm	The Chosen - Season 5	Gard A

Prayer Concerns

Family & Friends (Church Contact)

Marvel Anderson (Shelton)	Erica Lane Kirk and Children
Amy Bolles* (Lechner)	(M. Fair)
Ginny Bowman (Heath)	Theresa Mays*
Mary Brown (Troester)	Erik McMahon (Rihovsky)
John Carruth (Ehlers)	Bobby Pilkerton (LeBlanc)
Annie Coleman (Coleman)	George Rihovsky
Gary Fong (Ehlers)	Robert Ruiz, Jr. (Pasco)
Family of Arman Karami	David Tuma (Troester)
	Pat Williams (LeBlanc)

(*New addition - Names will appear for 3 months unless otherwise specified by those who submit the prayer request.)

To submit a prayer request or notify us that one can be removed:
office@lnpc.org or 949.249.1218