

## LPC News for the week of May 5, 2024

**Welcome!** Thank you for worshiping with us at Lakeview Presbyterian Church! 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 record your attendance with us in the black attendance folders, located in the pew racks toward the center aisle, so we can keep in touch.

*Where are the restrooms?* Restrooms are located through the side door in the front of the sanctuary. Turn right, and follow the hallway all the way down past the kitchen.

*Where is childcare?* We have a nursery in our day school, which is located in a separate building adjacent to the church. Exit to the parking lot and look for the green awning that says “Lakeview Weekday School.” You might have to ring the doorbell if it is locked.

**May Birthday Reception Today:** Join us following worship in the fellowship hall for cake, snacks, and conversation as we celebrate our May birthdays! We hope to see you there!

Helen Morlier - 5/7	Alex Lee-Cornell - 5/21
Alric Villanueva - 5/15	Elaine Christoph - 5/26
Susan Canavello - 5/15	Russell McCoy - 5/27
Ricky Villanueva - 5/19	Bronwyn Allen - 5/27
Barbara Estingoy - 5/20	Ray Voight - 5/29
Alexander Morrell - 5/20	Jennie Guidry - 5/31

**Do you have 15 minutes to spare?** Our preschool is having their annual spring Water Days this month and could use extra eyes, ears, and hands to ensure the kiddos’ fun and safety. The four year old class will go outside the morning of the 14th, the three year olds on the 10th, and the littlest class will have the 8th. You can come alone or coordinate with a friend. It's only a 15 minute commitment! Please call Mary or Angelle at the school (504-488-2172) to let them know when you can come.

The rainbow room graduation is in our sanctuary on May 16th at 6:30 with a reception to follow. All are invited to attend and volunteers are needed to receive items for the reception as they are dropped off between 6:00 and 6:30. Thank you to all who have prayed for and supported our school this year through donations and fundraisers. Your time and energy are appreciated.

**Mother’s Day: Special Celtic Music Service!** On May 12 (Mother’s Day) we will have a special service with guest musicians. Our hymns and music on 5/12 will be mostly familiar and traditional in their notes and lyrics, but different and fresh in their arrangement and style! Worship will include piano, guitar, fiddle, bass (and more!) to lead our singing in a traditional folk-Celtic style. You won’t want to miss it!

**RED OUT for Pentecost!** Sunday, May 19 is Pentecost, the most underrated “high holy day” on the church calendar! Following the season of Easter, Pentecost marks the coming of the Holy Spirit in the form of tongues of flame to the apostles and thus the “birth” of the church following the risen Christ’s ascension into heaven. It is the ONLY Sunday in the entire church year for which red is the designated color. So let’s have a “red out” in the sanctuary on 5/19—come dressed in red and ready to worship the Holy Spirit and celebrate the Church’s birthday!

**Congregational meeting 5/19:** At 10:25am before worship begins on May 19, we will have a congregational meeting to receive a report from the officer nominating committee and elect elders to the Session class of 2027. These elders will be trained during the summer and installed at the end of August, to serve a three year term ending in August 2027.

**Help wanted! Outreach and pastoral care:** LPC's outreach team is requesting volunteers to participate in an outreach ministry to our congregation and prayer chain requesters. Volunteers would be asked to send a card, make a phone call or visit a person who has expressed a need for prayer. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Ann Brown at [abrown210@icloud.com](mailto:abrown210@icloud.com).

**Help wanted! Spiritual leadership:** The nominating committee has begun the process of discerning who God is calling to serve on the Session (the governing board of LPC) for the coming year. If you are interested or have a name to suggest, please contact Sue Canavello at [suesmithcan@yahoo.com](mailto:suesmithcan@yahoo.com). The deadline for nominations is May 16. Elders will be elected in a congregational meeting before worship on May 19. They will be trained over the summer, installed on Session in late August, and will serve a three year term, to conclude in August 2027. Please reflect and pray about whether God is calling you to serve.

**Help wanted! Refreshments and hospitality:** Our Fellowship team requests volunteers from our congregation to make sure we have enough food and volunteers for clean-up and set-up to provide Christ-like hospitality following worship on Sunday mornings and at other LPC events. Please contact Pat Sharpe to be added to the list of volunteers willing to provide food and help put on fellowship events. [acottageplace@gmail.com](mailto:acottageplace@gmail.com).

**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](http://lpcno.org/give) (or scan the QR code) to give by credit/debit card.



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