



Lake Osborne

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 28, 2010
Mission Conference

Welcome to Lake Osborne Presbyterian Church

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
To all who mourn and long for comfort;
To all who sin and need a Savior;
To all who are strangers and want fellowship;
To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
And to whosoever would come –
This church opens wide her doors and offers welcome
in the name of Jesus Christ.

We are a church committed to welcoming all those who are interested in learning more about Jesus Christ. Our desire is to provide honest answers to honest questions, no matter where you are in the spiritual spectrum – those who are convinced those who are confused, and those who are skeptical. We hope that our service will encourage and build up those who are believers as well as challenge and help those who are spiritually seeking.

As we move through the service please note that the texts in bold are meant to be said by the congregation. The * symbol next to a heading indicates that those who are able should stand.

Lake Osborne Presbyterian Church is a part of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA). For more information about the PCA please visit www.pcanet.org.

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Quotes for Reflection

Missions is not the ultimate goal of the church. Worship is. Missions exists because worship doesn't. Worship is ultimate, not missions, because God is ultimate, not man. When this age is over, and the countless millions of the redeemed fall on their faces before the throne of God, missions will be no more. It is a temporary necessity. But worship abides forever. Worship, therefore, is the fuel and goal in missions.

John Piper, *Let the Nations Be Glad*

... the most sensitive nerve in the human body runs from the wallet to the heart.

Paul Koistra, *Faith Promise*

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

GOD CALLS US

**Call to Worship:* 1 Chronicles 16:28-29; 31

Leader: Ascribe to the LORD, O clans of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength! Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him!

People: Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness...

Leader: Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice, and let them say among the nations,

People: The LORD reigns!

**Invocation*

**Hymn of Praise:* No. 457 *Come Thou Font of Every Blessing*

*Song of Praise: Mighty to Save

Ben Fielding & Reuben Morgan



1. Ev - 'ry one needs com - pas - sion, love that's nev - er fail - ing. Let
2. So take__ me as You find__ me, all my fears and fail - ures.



mer - cy fall on__ me. Ev' - ry one needs for - give - ness, the kind - ness of a Sav
Fill my life a - gain. I give__ my life to fol - low ev - 'ry - thing I be - lieve



- ior, the hope of na - tions. Sav - ior, He can move the
__ in. Now I sur - ren - der.



moun - tains. My God is might - y to save, He is might - y to save. For - ev - er, Au - thor of sal



va - tion, He rose and con - quered the grave, Je - sus con - quered the grave.



con - quered the grave. con - quered the grave.



Shine Your light and let the whole world__ see. We're sing - ing



for the glo - ry of the ris - en King Je - sus. King.

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Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: He Never Failed Me Yet by Robert Ray

**Doxology: Come Thou Almighty King*

Anonymous, ca. 1757

TRINITY
Felice de Giardini, 1769

To the great One_ in Three e - ter - nal prais - es be, hence ev - er - more.
His sov - reign maj - es - ty may we in glo - ry see, and to e - ter - ni - ty love and a - dore.

Prayer for Children's Church

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture: Philippians 1:3-7

I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, ⁴ always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, ⁵ because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. ⁶ And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. ⁷ It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel.

Prayer for Understanding

Sermon: Partners in the Gospel

Corporate Confession

Leader: Merciful God, you created us in your own image, with a mind to know you, a heart to love you, and a will to serve you.

People: Because of sin, and our continual love of it, our knowledge is imperfect, our love inconstant, and our obedience incomplete.

Leader: Forgive the ways we resist and turn away from growing into your likeness. Forgive us for the ways in which we have not loved those who do not know you. Give us hearts that cry for the sake of the lost.

All: For the sake of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior, do not hold our sins against us, but in your tender love, forgive.

Assurance of Forgiveness: Isaiah 40:1-2

Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to my people, and proclaim to them that their hard service has been completed, that their sins have been pardoned and their penalty has been paid.

GOD SENDS US

**Song: No. 94 - How Firm a Foundation*

**Benediction*

**Postlude*

Participants in the Worship Service

Rev. Omar Ortiz - Senior Pastor

Rev. Jay Forester - Assistant Pastor
Dr. Carl Ashley - Music Director
Mr. Michael A. Harris - Accompanist
Mrs. Marie Ashley - Soloist
Mr. Charlie Gauger - Liturgist

Flowers - The floral arrangement today is presented to the Glory of God
in honor of my Mom, Evelyn Noller's 88th birthday, on February 24.
From her loving family, Gary and Pat Timmerman
Flower dedication dates open: Mar.7, 14, 28

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Wide Events

Welcome! We are glad to have you as our guest today. Please fill out the blue card found in the pews and place it in the offering plate. Sunday sermons are available on our website: www.lopca.org.

Weekly Prayer Request and March Birthday/Activity calendars are available in the Narthex.

Mission Conference Ending Today – Our sermon today will explaining Faith Promise. Mission Fund Pledge cards are available in the pews. If you have not already made your pledge and wish to do so please leave your completed card in the offering plate.

Nursery - The nursery (3 and under) is located on the first floor of the Sanctuary Building. Please pick up your children immediately after the service is over.

Joint Officers Meeting this Tuesday, March 2 at 7:00 pm.

Wednesday Night Activities- No catered dinner this Wednesday night. All other activities will begin at 7:00 pm.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday Night - Please join us on Wed. nights in the main office for a time of prayer for the church. We are also studying the book *Praying Backwards* by Bryan Chapell.

Counseling - Lake Osborne has partnered with the Spanish River Counseling Center to provide biblical counseling for our members and our community. We now have both male and female counselors who are currently using Lake Osborne to meet with clients. If you are interested in learning more, or if you would like to schedule an appointment, please contact the Spanish River Counseling Center at 561-241-9014.

Baby Shower for Anna Forester on Saturday, March 20, 2010 - 2-4pm in the LOPC Education Building. Given with love by Nancy Lee and Melissa Backus. Please RSVP 588-7102 or 370-9266. Registered at Target and cottonbabies.com

Adult Ministries

Sunday School - Class 1 - John Brandt is teaching a class on the life of David using the book *The Shepherd King* by Roger Ellsworth. Class 2 - Stephen Van Roekel is teaching from the book of *Galatians*. These classes meet on the first floor of the Education Building.

Women's Tuesday Morning Bible Study – Ladies, you are all invited to join us this Tuesday, March 2 in the Parlor at 11:30 am for prayer and a study on Philippians with Pastor Jay Forester. Please bring your lunch if you wish to stay and eat together.

Men's Ministry Night – come and join the men of LOPC for a home cooked meal and fellowship on Tuesday, March 9 at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. If you will be attending please sign the blue card found in your pew so enough food will be prepared. Please bring \$5 to help with the cost of the food.

Women's Wednesday Night Bible Study –Sharon Virkler will lead us through '*A 30 Day Walk with God in the Psalms*' by Nancy Leigh DeMoss. We will be challenged to spend time with God with suggestions to help develop a lifestyle of praise and worship. Contact Melissa Backus at (503-3207) to order a book. Price: \$13.00. All women are welcome to join us for this study at 7:00 pm in the Parlor.

Men's Wednesday Night Bible Study - We will meet as a group on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm. Our study will be an open discussion about Sunday morning sermons. After our discussion we will separate into small groups of 4 or 5 for prayer and support

Children's Ministry

Children's Church (4yrs. – 3rd grade) - We encourage parents to take the time to talk to their kids about what they are learning. Today: February 28- *Luke 6:27-38* – We worship God by loving others. For more information please contact Lisa Lennon, l.lennon@live.com. Please pick up your children after the service in the Education Building.

Awana (3yrs. - 6th grade): Wednesday nights from 6:30-8:15 pm. We have memory verse time, games, and snacks. Catechism questions for Wednesday, March 3rd - #73 – *Why do you need Christ as your prophet?* If you would like more information please contact Lisa Lennon. Awana meets on the first floor of the Education Building.

Nursery Volunteers

During Sunday School	Feb.28 - Lisa L.; Vicki B. Mar 7- Annette M.; Vicki B.
During Worship (0-2 yrs)	Feb.28 – Martha M.; Peggy Sprankle Mar. 7 – Ann S.; Yvonne M.
During Worship (2-3 yrs)	Feb.28 - Sharon V.; Caroline T. Mar. 7- Jeanne M.; Emily W.
Children's Church (4 yrs-3rd grade)	Feb.28 – Teacher: Lisa L.; Helper: Mayetta L. Mar. 7 - Teacher: Lisa L.; Chris L.

Youth Ministry

Sunday School - We are using the book *The Enemy Within* by Kris Lundgaard. Youth Sunday School meets on the second floor in the Education Building. Contact Jay Forester for more information or to get a copy of the book.

Sunday Nights – ‘Plugged-In’ tonight at 6:00 pm in the youth room on the second floor of the Education Building. Join us as we explore our identity as “reformed Christians”.

Wednesday Nights – after dinner the youth will meet in the Education Building. After playing a game we will continue learning about being “in the world, but not of the world”.

Youth Rummage Sale- Saturday, March 6th from 8 am -1 pm. Preview evening this Friday, March 5th from 6-8pm. The deadline for bringing your clean resalable rummage items is Wed., March 3. We are in need of plastic bags (grocery shopping bags, etc), wire hangers, cardboard boxes (good condition) and volunteers to help either with the Friday night Preview Sale, or the Saturday Rummage Sale, or BOTH. Proceeds from this annual event will help with expenses for the youth summer mission trip. For questions or more information please contact the office at 582-5686.

Youth Mission Trip – July 9-18, the church will be sending students and leaders to St. Louis, Missouri, to work with New City Fellowship, a Presbyterian church that is seeking to restore St. Louis through deeds of mercy and evangelism. We will be tutoring elementary students, rehabilitating homes and business in the economically depressed areas of downtown St. Louis and hosting a backyard Bible club. We are still in need of a female chaperone so please contact Jay or Charlie if you could to join the group for the mission trip.

Outreach/Service Opportunities

ESL – Will meet in the Education Building on Tuesday, March 2 at 7 pm. Praise God for the interest and wonderful turnout! As a result, we need more volunteers to teach and for nursery. If interested call Maria Osso – 954-294-8178

First Care’s Walk for Life at John Prince Park (2 miles) is coming March 20, 2010! Pick up your pledge form today at the Outreach Table or visit: www.first-care.org to print forms at home. Ask your friends, family and neighbors to sponsor you. There are many terrific prizes being offered this year! Together we can make a difference! Call the church office and speak with Peggy for more information at 582-5686.

THIS WEEK AT LOPC: February 28 - March 6

	9:00 am -10:00 am	Sunday School; Nursery
	10:00 am -10:25 am	Fellowship; Library Open
	10:30 am -11:30 am	Worship; Children's Church
		Faith Promise Challenge
	6:00 pm	Youth "Plugged In"
Mon	11:30 am - 1:00 pm	Ladies Encouragement Group Study/Visits (Parlor)
Tues	11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Women's Tues. Morning Bible Study (Philippians-lunch/parlor)
	7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Joint Officers Meeting
	7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	ESL Meeting (Education Building)
Wed	3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	"Knit-Wits" (Parlor)
	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Wednesday Night Activities/NO DINNER
Thurs	6:00 am - 7:30 am	Men's Sunrise Study/Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)
	7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Home Bible Studies: Hair/Livanec (Hair home); Tate (Kullmar home); Elder (Roese home)
Fri	6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Youth Benefit Rummage Sale Preview Night (Fellowship Hall)
Sat	7:00 am - 8:00 am	Sat. Prayer Group (Education Building)
	8:00 am - 1:00 pm	Youth Benefit Rummage Sale (Fellowship Hall)

LOPC Missions

Missionaries

Clay and Darlene Quarterman, Ukraine
Garry Chambers and Anita Chambers, Belize
Alice Hatch, MTW Atlanta
Joe and Beverly Fitzpatrick, Puerto Rico
Howard and Dee Shelden, Texas
Tim and Becky McKeown, MNA
Bob and Joanne Tanzie, Spain
Mike and Robin McMahan, Ecuador
Jim and Mary Alice Patterson, Philippines

Local Ministries

First Care
Equip India (Dennis Clark)

Other Ministries

PCA Chaplains
MTW Administration
Embers to a Flame
ESL Program
Oasis Compassion Ministry

David and Marcia Jones (at large)
Craig and Heather Gahagen, Peru
Rick and Betty Aschmann, Ecuador

Habitat for Humanity



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