



Lake Nona Presbyterian Church exists as a community of believers committed to the Apostles' teaching, the fellowship, the breaking of bread, and prayer in Acts 2:42.

October 11, 2026

Welcome!

We are glad you have joined us this morning and hope you find our service to be friendly and reverent. Most of all, we hope you experience Christ this morning.

If you have questions, need the help of Pastor Angel or an elder, or are interested in church membership, visit our website **www.lnpca.church/leadership** or contact the church at 407-573-2208. Leader email addresses are hyperlinked to their names on the website.

Children

Children are part of God's family and we welcome them in our worship service! We appreciate your understanding of the occasional disruption.

A nursery is available for infants to age 2 at 10:15. We also have a nursing room in the back of Trotter 1. Ages 3 through 5th grade attending children's church are dismissed prior to the Scripture reading and will return after the sermon. On the 4th Sunday of the month, instead of going to children's church, children remain in the service.

The Lord's Supper

At Lake Nona Presbyterian Church, we offer communion every week. We believe that it adds a tremendous sensory experience to worship and provides a deep encounter with Christ.

Jesus Christ himself invites all true believers to his table. If you are a baptized Christian, a follower of Jesus Christ, and a faithful member or adherent of this or some other congregation, recognized as belonging to the fellowship of Christian believers, please know how welcome you are to eat this gracious meal with us. By taking the bread and the wine, you are acknowledging that you are a sinner, without hope except in God's sovereign mercy and that you are trusting in Christ alone for your salvation. If you have any questions about your participation in the Lord's Supper, please speak to our elders.

Gluten-free bread is available. An elder or pastor will have it at the front as an option.

The red cups are wine; the white cups are grape juice.

Elders will hold the bread and cup for communion at the front. If you would like to receive communion, come to the front when your row is dismissed. Please take both bread and cup to your seat and hold them until all have been served so we can partake together. We will say, "*The body of Christ, broken for you*" as you receive the bread. As you receive the wine, we will say, "*The blood of Christ, poured out for you.*"

Officer In Charge Today - Scott Bentley

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THE LORD'S SERVICE

10:30 am



PREPARATION

Silent Preparation for Worship

Prelude

The congregation may prepare quietly for worship.

Welcome and Announcements

THE LORD CALLS US INTO HIS PRESENCE

** Please stand (if able). Words in **bold** are read aloud by the congregation.*

Salutation*

Leader: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

In the Name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit! Amen!

God Calls Us to Worship*

Psalm 84:11-12

Leader: For the LORD God is a sun and shield; the LORD bestows favor and honor. No good thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly. O LORD of hosts, blessed is the one who trusts in you!

*Song of Adoration**

“Rejoice”

We Pray for God to Help Us Worship*

THE LORD CLEANSSES US

God Calls Us to Confess Our Sins

John 14:15

Leader: “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

We Confess Our Sins

Almighty and most merciful Father, we are thankful that your mercy is higher than the heavens, wider than our wanderings, deeper than all our sin. Forgive our careless attitudes toward your purposes, our refusal to relieve the suffering of others, our envy of those who have more than we have, our obsession with creating a life of constant pleasure, our indifference to the treasures of heaven, our neglect of your wise and gracious law. Help us to change our way of life so that we may desire what is good, love what you love, and do what you command, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Leader: Let it be known to you therefore, brothers, that through this man forgiveness of sins is proclaimed to you, and by him everyone who believes is freed from everything from which you could not be freed by the law of Moses.

*Song of Gospel Thanksgiving**

"All Sufficient Merit"

We Pray Together

Children's Memory Verse

Luke 10:27

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.

We Give Our Offerings to God

Leader: What gifts do you offer to your Lord in response to His grace?

**People: We offer ourselves through praise and thanksgiving.
We offer our tithes and offerings for the sake of the world.**

We Share the Peace of Christ with One Another*

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

*Song of Praise**

"Grace Alone"

THE LORD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 50:1-14

¹ Then Joseph fell on his father's face and wept over him and kissed him. ² And Joseph commanded his servants the physicians to embalm his father. So the physicians embalmed Israel. ³ Forty days were required for it, for that is how many are required for embalming. And the Egyptians wept for him seventy days. ⁴ And when the days of weeping for him were past, Joseph spoke to the household of Pharaoh, saying, "If now I have found favor in your eyes, please speak in the ears of Pharaoh, saying, ⁵ 'My father made me swear, saying, "I am about to die: in my tomb that I hewed out for myself in the land of Canaan, there shall you bury me." Now therefore, let me please go up and bury my father. Then I will return.'" ⁶ And Pharaoh answered, "Go up, and bury your father, as he made you swear." ⁷ So Joseph went up to bury his father. With him went up all the servants of Pharaoh, the elders of his household, and all the elders of the land of Egypt, ⁸ as well as all the household of Joseph, his brothers, and his father's household. Only their children, their flocks, and their herds were left in the land of Goshen. ⁹ And there went up with him both chariots and horsemen. It was a very great company. ¹⁰ When they came to the threshing floor of Atad, which is beyond the Jordan, they lamented there with a very great and grievous lamentation, and he made a mourning for his father seven days. ¹¹ When the

inhabitants of the land, the Canaanites, saw the mourning on the threshing floor of Atad, they said, “This is a grievous mourning by the Egyptians.” Therefore the place was named Abel-mizraim; it is beyond the Jordan. ¹² Thus his sons did for him as he had commanded them, ¹³ for his sons carried him to the land of Canaan and buried him in the cave of the field at Machpelah, to the east of Mamre, which Abraham bought with the field from Ephron the Hittite to possess as a burying place. ¹⁴ After he had buried his father, Joseph returned to Egypt with his brothers and all who had gone up with him to bury his father.

Leader: This is the word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

New Testament Reading

Ephesians 6:1-4

¹Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. ² “Honor your father and mother” (this is the first commandment with a promise), ³ “that it may go well with you and that you may live long in the land.” ⁴ Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.

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Gospel Reading

Matthew 10:34-39

³⁴ “Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. ³⁵ For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law. ³⁶ And a person’s enemies will be those of his own household. ³⁷ Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. ³⁸ And whoever does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me. ³⁹ Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.

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Sermon

“Honor and Authority”

Rev. Angel Roman Diaz

Sermon Notes:

*Song of Response**

“Psalm 145”

We Confess Our Faith

The Westminster Shorter Catechism Q&A 63-65

Leader: Which is the fifth commandment?

All: The fifth commandment is, Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

Leader: What is required in the fifth commandment?

All: The fifth commandment requireth the preserving the honor, and performing the duties, belonging to every one in their several places and relations, as superiors, inferiors, or equals.

Leader: What is forbidden in the fifth commandment?

All: The fifth commandment forbiddeth the neglecting of, or doing anything against, the honor and duty which belongeth to every one in their several places and relations.

THE LORD FEEDS US AT HIS TABLE

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

THE LORD BLESSES US AND COMMISSIONS US

We Receive the Benediction*

*Doxology**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congregation Meeting

Today after the service

Members, please stay for a meeting after the service to vote on Eric Ogle becoming an elder.

Communicants' Class

<https://forms.gle/o2JBjLAwu5om7biTA>

Parents, if you are interested in your child taking the communicants' class (on the basics of theology, practice, and church community for accepting their own role in the church), please go to the link for description and registration.

LIFE GROUPS & YOUTH GROUP

Buchanan Life Group

2nd & 4th Sunday
12:30-2:30 pm

Praise God for so many participants. Our group is now full.

Quigley Life Group

2nd & 4th Wednesday
7:30-9:00 pm

Join us in the Moss Park area for a study on "Listening to God." Contact Ed at 980-328-4503.

Wichterman Life Group

1st & 3rd Sunday
4:30-7:00 pm

Please join us in the Boggy Creek area as we fellowship together and study the Beatitudes. All ages invited. Contact Cheryl at 205-482-2443.

Youth Group

1st & 3rd Wednesday
6:00-8:00 pm

High School and Middle School. Email Rosa at youth@lnpca.church.

WOMEN'S & MEN'S MINISTRY

Pre-church Prayer

Sunday, 9:45-10:15 am

All are welcome to join us in the café for part or all of the time. It's a joy to pray for our service and other needs!

Men's Ministry

2nd & 4th Thursdays
6:30 pm Dinner
7:10 pm Study

Finishing 1 Timothy, then switching to Nehemiah. The North and South groups meet separately and join by video at 7:10. See the men's group weekly email or contact Kevin Chase: 407-620-6143.

Fall Women's Bible Studies

Thursday early group 7 pm
Thursday late group 8 pm
Friday morning group 10 am

Studying Hosea using [No Empty Word: Relentless Pursuit A Study on Hosea](#). All are welcome! For more info, contact women@lnpca.church. For dates, see the Church Center app.

GIVING

Last Week: \$9,135
Year to Date: \$78,693

Budgeted Weekly Need: \$5,404
Budgeted Expenses to Date: \$73,335