

Logan Memorial Presbyterian Church
White Horse Pike and Merchant Street
(18 W. Merchant)
Audubon, NJ 08106

Order for Worship

October 11, 2026 20th Sunday after Pentecost

The Approach to God

Welcome and Ministry Concerns

Prelude: "Pavane"

Gabriel Fauré

***Call to Worship**

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord, who
created the heavens and the earth.

People: *Amen.*

Pastor: The Lord is near!

People: *Let us stand firm in the Lord.*

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People: *Let us replace fear and worry with prayer
and peace.*

Pastor: The Lord is near!

People: *Let us rejoice with gentleness and gratitude.*

Pastor: The Lord is near!

People: *Let us unite that we might love God with all
our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and our neighbors
as ourselves.*

Pastor: The Lord is near!

People: *And the God of peace will guard our hearts
and minds in Christ Jesus.*

Salutation

***Hymn of Praise:** "*Rejoice, the Lord is King*"

#262

***Prayer of Confession (responsive):**

Pastor: O gracious Christ, we are mindful this day of the
many occasions in our lives when we do not heed your
invitation. For the times you have called, and we have
ignored you,

People: *we confess our sin to you.*

Pastor: For the times we have blatantly refused and
neglected you,

People: *we confess our sin to you.*

Pastor: For the times we're not prepared to be the people of
God that You call us to be,

People: *we confess our sin to you. Amen.*

Words of Assurance: Many are called and invited, but even
though there are those who decline the calling and invitation,
still to those who respond and clothe themselves with God's
grace and acts of goodness and kindness God abounds in
mercy and love and will forgive all unrighteousness. This is
the good news!

Summary of the Law

***Words of Welcome for One Another**

***Gloria Patri**

#805

The Word of God

Anthem: "O God of Every Nation:

Welsh Melody

Old Testament Lesson

Exodus 32:1-14

New Testament Lesson

Matthew 22:1-14

***Hymn of Meditation:** "*Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts*"

#121

Sermon: "What Are You Wearing to the Wedding"

Reverend Keith Schmitt

The Response to the Word

***Confession of Faith**

Offering

Offertory: "Chorus Mysticus" Arrigo Boito

***Doxology** #809

***Prayer of Dedication:** May our offerings help to prepare many to feast at Your banquet table. May our generosity reflect the amazing abundance You entrust to our care. As we find joy in giving, may others be inspired to give their best, and may all of us realize Your peace, dwelling within and among us as we serve in Christ's name. Amen.

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

***Hymn of Departure:** "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" #95

***Commissioning and Benediction:** "May the Lord, Mighty God" #843

Postlude: "Prayer" Pietro Mascagni

The Church Staff:

Reverend Keith Schmitt, Ph.D., Interim Pastor

William Braun, Music Director

Lisa Hanson, Treasurer

Lesley Echols, Administrative Assistant

Mark Hall, Sexton

This Week in Our Church:

Sunday:	Worship	11:00 a.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
Monday:	AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday:	Thrift Store Workers	9:00 a.m. – noon
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	8:00 p.m.
Wednesday:	AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
Thursday:	AA (Fellowship Hall)	5:30 p.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
Friday:	AA (Fellowship Hall)	5:30 p.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	8:00 p.m.

WELCOME! We welcome you to our church in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. If you are visiting, please sign the guest register in the narthex or place a pew card in the offering plate.

FLOWERS:

Placed by Ray & Ruth Gamble in Honor of Melissa on her birthday

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Shelby's family on her passing
TJ and his sister

Sara Lavecchio is recovering comfortably at Elmwood Hills Healthcare Center, 425 Woodbury - Turnersville Rd, Blackwood, NJ 08012. She is so appreciative of the love, the visits, calls and messages she has received. However, she asks that friends please not call or visit as she tires easily and is consumed by her daily therapy. Prayers and greeting cards are certainly welcome.