

ROMANS

MESSAGE OF GRACE

LAKE BALDWIN CHURCH

April 21, 2024

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Worship Service:

Sundays at 10:45am | Winter Park High School
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Quotes for Reflection

"How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good news..."

– Isaiah 52:7

"Our goal is not to send some, or even our best, but to send all into the mission – to our city, across the country, or to the other side of the world."

– J.D. Greaser

"Mission begins with a kind of explosion of joy. The news that the rejected and crucified Jesus is alive is something that cannot possibly be suppressed. It must be told."

– Leslie Newbigin

Call to Worship

Psalm 96:1-4

Oh sing to the Lord a new song;
sing to the Lord, all the earth!

Sing to the Lord, bless his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.

Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the peoples!
For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;
he is to be feared above all gods.

Prayer

Songs of Adoration

"Great Are You Lord"

"Jesus You Alone"

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 45:22 & Acts 4:12

Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

2 Corinthians 5:19-21

Song of Assurance

"To God Be The Glory"

Baptism

Intercessory Prayer

Scripture Reading

Romans 10:5-21

⁵ For Moses writes about the righteousness that is based on the law, that the person who does the commandments shall live by them. ⁶ But the righteousness based on faith says, “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’ ” (that is, to bring Christ down) ⁷ “or ‘Who will descend into the abyss?’ ” (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead).

⁸ But what does it say? “The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹ because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

¹⁰ For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. ¹¹ For the Scripture says, “Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame.” ¹² For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. ¹³ For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.” ¹⁴ How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? ¹⁵ And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!” ¹⁶ But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, “Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?” ¹⁷ So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

¹⁸ But I ask, have they not heard? Indeed they have, for “Their voice has gone out to all the earth, and their words to the ends of the world.”

¹⁹ But I ask, did Israel not understand? First Moses says, “I will make you jealous of those who are not a nation; with a foolish nation I will make you angry.”

²⁰ Then Isaiah is so bold as to say, “I have been found by those who did not seek me; I have shown myself to those who did not ask for me.”

²¹ But of Israel he says, “All day long I have held out my hands to a disobedient and contrary people.”

Sermon

“Radiating the Good News”

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Offering

Songs of Response

“I Stand (All Praise)”

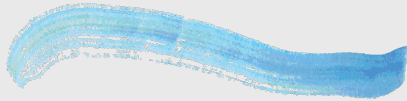
“Across The Lands”

Benediction



Our Vision

Transformed by the grace of Christ, and compelled by his love, our vision is to be a flourishing community marked by love for God and for our neighbor. Depending on prayer and the work of the Holy Spirit, we desire to radiate the good news of God's grace in such a way that people are redeemed by the gospel, grow in the context of healthy relationships, serve the poor and needy around us, and partner with the global church to bring the gospel to the nations.



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Welcome to Lake Baldwin Church! - To all you first-timers, or recent newcomers, we're so excited that you're here! We hope you are warmly received by our community at LBC. If you'd like to connect, submit a prayer request, or would like more information about our church family, please send an e-mail to hello@lakebaldwinchurch.com. We look forward to knowing you more!

We The People (who work here)

Brian Lum Shue Chan, Senior Pastor

Erik Rome, Director of Discipleship, Connections, & Outreach

Alison Epps, Communications Director

Mark McKinney, Worship Director

Heather Shiflett, SPLASH Director

Kayla Oliver, SPLASH Volunteer Coordinator

Sarah Bergeson, SPLASH Curriculum & Events

Austin Watson, Pastoral Intern

Scott Stinson, Pastoral Intern

This you should know ...

Membership Classes- We are excited to be offering the next round of membership classes at LBC, and would love to add your name to the list! The class will be Friday, April 26th from 6-9pm with dinner included, and Saturday morning, the 27th, from 9am-12pm. Attending the membership class does not require you to become a member once you've gone through it, rather it gives you a great opportunity to learn more about Lake Baldwin Church, meet some new people and get connected, and ask any questions you may have! If you would like to learn more or RSVP to hello@lakebaldwinchurch.com

Christianity Explored - If you haven't yet followed Jesus in faith and want to explore more about what this means, join Pastor Brian and his wife Debbie as they host a Christianity Explored group at their home. Over 7 sessions in Mark's Gospel, find out more about the life of the person at the heart of the Christian faith - Jesus Christ. The group starts on Monday, April 29th and will meet weekly from 6:30pm - 8:30pm. Register for this group by shooting an email to hello@lakebaldwinchurch.com

Baptism - Today we celebrate the infant baptism of Lucy Stinson alongside her parents EllieClaire and Scott. Take a moment to pray for and encourage the Stinsons as they raise their daughter clinging to God's Covenant promises. We are elated to welcome Lucy to the Covenant Family!!

Anchor - If you have a 4th or 5th grader please check the SPLASH surf report or Weekly Update for information about our coming up Anchor Class on May 3rd & 4th or talk to Heather Shiflett, heather@lakebaldwinchurch.com

A Look Ahead - Next week we will continue our series in Romans, Message of Grace, with a message from Romans 11:1-10