

Worship Planner for Sunday, September 13, 2026

Musical Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Family Faith – Sundays 9:30 to 10:30am. LPC.

September 16-11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Bruce County Outreach at the Lucknow United Church.

Lunch provided.

September 16 at 7:15 p.m. Board of Managers. LPC.

September 18-20-Lucknow Fall Fair

September 19-8 a.m. Firefighters' Breakfast

September 20-10:30 a.m. Fall Fair Community Church Service at the Arena,
followed by Pet Blessing.

September 20-2:30 p.m. Plowing Match Church Service, Walkerton.

September 20-4-7 p.m. Kirk in the Cedars at Camp Kintail.

September 22- Men's Fellowship

September 23-Messy Church. LPC.

September 27-South Kinloss PC Ham and Scalloped Potato Supper.

October 4-Photo Scavenger Hunt and Potluck Supper. LPC.

Lighting Christ Candle

Responsive Call to Worship

Praise the God of life.

Let us praise God together.

For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is God's steadfast love;

as far as the east is from the west, so far God removes our sins.

So let us rejoice in God's gracious presence.

Let us praise the God of mercy together.

Opening Hymn #78 This is the day

Prayer of Approach and Lord's Prayer

. . . Out of a desire to begin again with you and one another,

we now confess to you our sins in one voice:

Merciful God; our lives do not always reflect your transforming power.

You are gracious, but we cling to judgment.

You are kind, but we can be cruel.

You are forgiving, but we nurse grudges and old wounds.

Forgive us, O God. Fill us with your Holy Spirit,

and make us new through Christ, your Son and our Saviour,

Who taught us to pray together,

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors.
 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
 forever and ever. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Music Ministry

Family Focus

Hymn #314 God is love (Tune #371) (Lyrics different than hymn book)

Prayer for Illumination

Scriptures

Responsive Psalm 103: 1-13

Let my whole being¹ bless the Lord!

Let everything inside me bless his holy name!

Let my whole being bless the Lord

and never forget all his good deeds:

how God forgives all your sins,

heals all your sickness,

saves your life from the pit,

crowns you with faithful love and compassion,

and satisfies you with plenty of good things

so that your youth is made fresh like an eagle's.

The Lord works righteousness;

does justice for all who are oppressed.

God made his ways known to Moses;

made his deeds known to the Israelites.

The Lord is compassionate and merciful,

very patient, and full of faithful love.

God won't always play the judge;

he won't be angry forever.

He doesn't deal with us according to our sin

or repay us according to our wrongdoing,

because as high as heaven is above the earth,

that's how large God's faithful love is for those who honor him.

As far as east is from west—

that's how far God has removed our sin from us.

Like a parent feels compassion for their children—

that's how the Lord feels compassion for those who honor him.

2 Corinthians 2:14-17

But thank God, who is always leading us around through Christ as if we were in a parade. He releases the fragrance of the knowledge of him everywhere through us. We smell like the aroma of Christ's offering to God, both to those who are being saved and to those who are on the road to destruction. We smell like a contagious dead person to those who are dying, but we smell like the fountain of life to those who are being saved. Who is qualified for this kind of ministry? We aren't like so many people who hustle the word of God to make a profit. We are speaking through Christ in the presence of God, as those who are sincere and as those who are sent from God.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon: God's grace is sufficient

Hymn #255 Now let the vault of heaven resound

Invitation to the Offering

Doxology #661

We give thee but thine own,
whate'er the gift may be;
all that we have is thine alone,
a trust, O Lord, from thee.

Prayer of Dedication

Mission Moment

Prayers of the People

Closing Hymn #410 Joyful, joyful we adore you

Benediction

Benediction Song

Musical Postlude