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THE CHURCH AT LITCHFIELD PARK

A HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL PEOPLE

September 13, 2026 - 8:30am

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome | Announcements | New Members

Mark & Patricia Armstrong, Marcus Miller

Prelude Have a Little Faith in Me Marcus Miller, Soloist

Opening Prayer Liturgist

Choral Call Come, We that Love the Lord

***Call to Worship**

L: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me,
bless His holy name.

**P: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget none of
His benefits.**

L: The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to
anger and abounding in loving kindness.

**P: He does not deal with us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our iniquities.**

L: As far as the east is from the west, so far has He
removed our transgressions from us.

**P: As a father has compassion on his children, so
the Lord has compassion on those who fear Him.**

ALL: Bless the Lord, O my soul. Amen.

CLP Kids Dismissed

***Hymn** All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name #43 vs. 1, 3, & 4

Anthem We Will Keep Our Faith Alive

Sermon Scripture **Romans 14:1-12 (ESV)**

As for the one who is weak in faith, welcome him, but
not to quarrel over opinions. 2 One person believes he
may eat anything, while the weak person eats only



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vegetables. 3 Let not the one who eats despise the one who abstains, and let not the one who abstains pass judgment on the one who eats, for God has welcomed him. 4 Who are you to pass judgment on the servant of another? It is before his own master that he stands or falls. And he will be upheld, for the Lord is able to make him stand. 5 One person esteems one day as better than another, while another esteems all days alike. Each one should be fully convinced in his own mind. 6 The one who observes the day, observes it in honor of the Lord. The one who eats, eats in honor of the Lord, since he gives thanks to God, while the one who abstains, abstains in honor of the Lord and gives thanks to God. 7 For none of us lives to himself, and none of us dies to himself. 8 For if we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord. So then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's. 9 For to this end Christ died and lived again, that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living. 10 Why do you pass judgment on your brother? Or you, why do you despise your brother? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God; 11 for it is written, "As I live, says the Lord, every knee shall bow to me, and every tongue shall confess to God." 12 So then each of us will give an account of himself to God.

Sermon Who Are We to Pass Judgment on Another?

Rev. Brenda Houlihan

Nicene Creed | Lord's Prayer

(See 10:00am service)

***Hymn** Great Is Thy Faithfulness #139 vs 1 & 3

Short Scripture Psalm 100: 4-5 (ESV)

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

***Hymn** To God Be the Glory #56 vs 1 & 3

***Invitation to Give | Doxology**

***Benediction | Blessing**

***Postlude** Blessed Be the Name of the Lord

10:00AM - CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

Announcements | New Member Stephanie Copeland

***Song** Goodness of God

*Opening Prayer

CLP Kids Dismissed

***Song** Battle Belongs

Scripture Romans 14:1-12 (ESV)

Sermon Who Are We to Pass Judgment on Another?

Nicene Creed | Lord's Prayer

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. And united in this faith, as one family in Christ, we pray together as our Lord taught us: Our Father...

***Song** Holy Forever

*Song	Gratitude
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*Benediction | Invitation

*New Doxology

*The Blessing

***Postlude** Blessed Be the Name of the Lord

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VISION AND MISSION STATEMENT

The Church at Litchfield Park is a house of prayer for all people, called to be as inclusive as the love of God. Together, we grow in our faith, serve in Christ's love, and engage in God's mission.

OUR PASTORS AND WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Kristofer McCoy | Interim Senior Pastor

Rev. Brenda Houlihan | Associate Pastor

Beverly Griggs | Choir Director

Kathy Drake | Organist and Pianist

Sue Kujawski | Bell Choir Director

Lee Miller | 8:30am Lead Deacon

Fred Cochrane, Judy Mercy, Sandi Mikesell | Ushers

Christa Denofsky | 8:30am Liturgist

Lori Sparks | 10:00am Lead Deacon

Brian Cate, Margaret McHenry, Iram Saenz | Ushers

LIFE@CLP

Homeless Youth Connection Drive | Entire Month of September

Bible Drive | Entire Month of September

Men@CLP Weekly Study | Unbreakable Courage

September 15 at 10:00am and September 17 at 5:00pm

Women@CLP Weekly Study | Abide

Tuesdays at 10:00am and Thursdays at 5:00 pm

FELLOWSHIP@CLP

Coffee Fellowship | Fireside Rooms | Every Sunday 8:15-11:30am

Midweek@CLP Dinners | Souers Community Hall | September 9 at 5:15pm

The flowers on the Altar are in celebration of
Ken & Carol Hahn's 68th Wedding Anniversary

The flowers on the Altar are in celebration of
Ned & Linda Hannah's 60th Wedding Anniversary

GIVE



Nursery | Sundays (all services)
CLP Kids Church | Sundays (all services)
Rise Up, Youth! | 9:45-11am Sundays

THE MINISTERS OF THIS CHURCH ARE ITS MEMBERS.
ASSISTING THEM ARE THEIR PASTORS AND STAFF.

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