Westminster Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day, January 17, 2021



WPC exists to develop in ourselves and others a passion for the glory of God and the preeminence of Christ in all of life and in all the world, as revealed in the infallible, inerrant Word of God alone.

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January 17, 2021 10:15 a.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

"Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker! For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand."

(Psalm 95:6-7)

*Prayer of Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

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. Amen.

*Hymn of Praise #101

"Come Thou Almighty King"

Come, Thou Almighty King, help us Thy name to sing, help us to praise. Father, all glorious, oe'r all victorious, come and reign over us, Ancient of Days.

Come, Thou Incarnate Word, gird on Thy mighty sword, our prayer attend. Come, and Thy people bless, and Give Thy Word success: Spirit of holiness, on us descend.

Come, Holy Comforter, thy sacred witness bear in this glad hour. Thou, who almighty art, now rule in ev'ry heart and ne'er from us depart, Spirit of pow'r.

To the great One in Three, eternal praises be, hence ever more. Thy sov'reign majesty may we in glory see, and to eternity love and adore.

READING OF SCRIPTURE

1 Kings 9:1-9

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

"And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands.

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This he set aside, nailing it to the cross." (Colossians 2:13-14)

*Song

"His Mercy Is More"

What love could remember no wrongs we have done, Omniscient all knowing, He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore, Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Praise the Lord! His mercy is more! Stronger than darkness, new every morn
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam, What Father so tender is calling us home He welcomes the weakest, the vilest the poor, Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Chorus

What riches of kindness He lavished on us, His blood was the payment, His life was the cost We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford, Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Chorus (x2)

*Confession of Faith WLC Q. 38

Pastor: Why was it requisite that the Mediator should be God?

<u>All:</u> It was requisite that the Mediator should be God, that he might sustain and keep the human nature from sinking under the infinite wrath of God, and the power of death; give worth and efficacy to his sufferings, obedience, and intercession; and to satisfy God's justice, procure his favor, purchase a peculiar people, give his Spirit to them, conquer all their enemies, and bring them to everlasting salvation.

*SONG

"Holy Spirit"

Holy Spirit, living Breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul. Bring the presence of the Risen Lord, to renew my heart & make me whole. Cause Your Word to come alive in me; give me faith for what I cannot see, Give me passion for Your purity; Holy Spirit breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within, may Your joy be seen in all I do.

Love enough to cover ev'ry sin, in each thought and deed and attitude.

Kindness to the greatest and the least, gentleness that sows the path of peace.

Turn my striving into works of grace; breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made. Show Your power once again on earth, cause Your church to hunger for Your ways. Let the fragrance of our prayers arise; lead us on the road of sacrifice, That in unity the face of Christ will be clear for all the world to see.

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

"To Whom Much is Given"

1. Privileges

2. Responsibilities

3. Consequences

* PSALM OF RESPONSE #118

"Now Open Wide the Gates"

Now open wide the gates for me, the gates of righteousness, And I will enter in through them; with thanks the LORD I'll bless.

This is the gate that is the LORD's, the righteous enter in. I'm thankful You have answered me; my Savior You have been.

That stone is now the cornerstone that builders once despised. This is the doing of the LORD, and wondrous in our eyes.

This is the day the LORD has made; let us be glad and sing. Hosanna, LORD! O give success! O LORD, salvation bring!

O blessed is the one who comes, comes in the LORD's great name. A blessing from the LORD's own house upon you we proclaim.

The LORD is God and He to us has made the light arise. With cords bind to the altar's horns the festal sacrifice.

You are my God, I'll give You thanks; my God, I'll give you praise. O thank the LORD, for He is good; His love lasts endless days.

* THE BENEDICTION

"May the Lord give you increase, you and your children! May you be blessed by the Lord, who made heaven and earth!"

(Psalm 115:14-15)

WPC Announcements

Evening Service Tonight: We encourage you to join us for evening worship at 5:30pm. If you cannot attend in person please join us via our livestream. To access the livestream go to our website www.wpc-pca.com and click on livestream.

Nursery Reopening: The church nursery is now open for Sunday morning services at 10:15am.

Seating Request: Although seating request are not required for services at this time it is still offered to those who would like to sit in an area where masks and strict social distancing will still be required. Each week you will get a new email from the church office with a link to request seating for Sunday worship services. The email will go out each Monday morning and you will have until Wednesday at 4pm to request seating. If for some reason you cannot access the seating request system, please contact the office at 882-8825 between 9am-3pm on Mon-Wed to request seating.

Directory Update: Kendall is working on updating the members and visitors directory she keeps in the church office. If you could contact the church office in whatever way you are comfortable sharing the information listed below that would be very helpful. If you don't want to send the info in an email you can call the office or write it down and place it in the offering box on Sunday and she will collect them from there. Email: wpcpca@embarqmail.com Phone: 850-862-8825

Directory Info

FAMILY LAST NAME
FIRST NAME(S) CHILDREN(S) NAME
HOME ADDRESS
PHONE NUMBER(S)
EMAIL ADDRESS(ES)
BIRTHDAYS (NEWSLETTER)

For Your Calendar:

Sunday, January 17, 3:00 p.m.

Children's Bible Class

Wednesday, January 20, 9:30 a.m.

Ladies' Weekly Bible Study

Sunday, January 17, 5:30 p.m.

Evening Service

Thursday, January 21, 6:00 a.m.

Carpenter's Apprentices