## Westminster Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day, February 20, 2022



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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February 20, 2022 5:30 p.m.

#### GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## \*THE CALL TO WORSHIP | PSALM 24:7-10

<u>Pastor</u>: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

All: Who is this King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle!

<u>Pastor</u>: Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

All: Who is the King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory!

#### \*Hymn of Praise #3

## "Give to Our God Immortal Praise"

Give to our God immortal praise; mercy and truth are all his ways: wonders of grace to God belong; repeat his mercies in your song.

Give to the Lord of lords renown; the King of kings with glory crown: his mercies ever shall endure, when lords and kings are known no more.

He built the earth, he spread the sky, and fixed the starry lights on high: wonders of grace to God belong; repeat his mercies in your song.

He fills the sun with morning light; he bids the moon direct the night: his mercies ever shall endure, when suns and moons shall shine no more.

He sent his Son with pow'r to save from guilt and darkness and the grave: wonders of grace to God belong; repeat his mercies in your song.

Through this vain world he guides our feet, and leads us to his heav'nly seat: his mercies ever shall endure, when this vain world shall be no more.

#### \*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND 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.

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

#### READING OF SCRIPTURE

1 Corinthians 15:35-58

\*Song

#### "All I Have is Christ"

I once was lost in darkest night, yet thought I knew the way; The sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave. I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your will, And if You had not loved me first I would refuse You still.

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ! Hallelujah! Jesus is my life!

But as I ran my hell-bound race, indifferent to the cost, You looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross. And I beheld God's love displayed, You suffered in my place; You bore the wrath reserved for me; Now all I know is grace!

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ! Hallelujah! Jesus is my life!

Now, Lord, I would be Yours alone and live so all might see The strength to follow Your commands could never come from me. O Father, use my ransomed life in any way You choose, And let my song forever be: My only boast is You.

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ! Hallelujah! Jesus is my life! Hallelujah! All I have is Christ! Hallelujah! Jesus is my life!

## PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE
THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

Genesis 41 Rev. Chad Watkins

"His Purposes Will Ripen Fast"

1. Failure of False Religion

2. Joseph's Rapid Rise	

3. The Savior of the World

#### \*Hymn of Response #128

## "God Moves in a Mysterious Way"

God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform; He plants his footsteps in the sea, and rides upon the storm.

Deep in unfathomable mines of never failing skill He treasures up his bright designs, and works his sovereign will.

Ye fearful saints, fresh courage take; the clouds ye so much dread Are big with mercy, and shall break in blessings on your head.

Judge not the Lord by feeble sense, but trust him for his grace; Behind a frowning providence he hides a smiling face.

His purposes will ripen fast, unfolding ev'ry hour; The bud may have a bitter taste, but sweet will be the flow'r.

Blind unbelief is sure to err, and scan his work in vain; God is his own interpreter, and he will make it plain.

### \* THE BENEDICTION

"The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace."
(Numbers 6:24-26)