Westminster Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day, April 7, 2019



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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April 7, 2019 10:15 a.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

"Serve the LORD with fear, and rejoice with trembling.

Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and you perish in the way, for his wrath is quickly kindled.

Blessed are all who take refuge in him."

(Psalm 2:11-12)

* Prayer of Invocation

* SONG OF PRAISE

"Lift High the Name of Jesus"

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our King.

Make known the power of His grace, the beauty of His peace.

Remember how His mercy reached and we cried out to Him.

He lifted us to solid ground, to freedom from our sin.

Oh sing my soul, and tell all He's done, till the earth and heavens are filled with His glory!

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our Lord.
His power in us is greater than, is greater than this world.
To share the reason for our hope, to serve with love and grace,
That all who see Him shine through us might bring the Father praise.

Chorus

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our Light. No other name on earth can save, can raise a soul to life. He opens up our eyes to see the harvest He has grown. We labor in His fields of grace as He leads sinners home.

Chorus x2

READING OF SCRIPTURE

1 Samuel 16:1-13

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

"In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace."

(Ephesians 1:7)

* Song

"Power of the Cross

Oh to see the dawn of the darkest day Christ on the road to Calvary Tried by sinful men torn and beaten then nailed to a cross of wood

This the pow'r of the cross, Christ became sin for us Took the blame bore the wrath, we stand forgiven at the cross

Oh to see the pain written on Your face, bearing the awesome weight of sin Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed, crowning Your bloodstained brow

Chorus

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath quakes as its maker bows His head Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life, "Finished!" the vict'ry cry

Chorus

Oh to see my name written in the wounds, for through Your suffring I am free Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live, won through Your selfless love

> This the pow'r of the cross, Son of God slain for us What a life, what a cost, we stand forgiven at the cross

*Confession of Faith Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 19-20

<u>Pastor:</u> What is the misery of that estate whereinto man fell?

<u>All:</u> All mankind by their fall lost communion with God, are under his wrath and curse, and so made liable to all the miseries of this life, to death itself, and to the pains of hell forever.

Pastor: Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

<u>All:</u> God, having out of his mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life, did enter into a covenant of grace to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer.

OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING

Song

"Be Still My Soul (In You I Rest)"

Be still, my soul! The Lord is on thy side; Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain; Leave to thy God to order and provide; In every change He faithful will remain.

Be still, my soul! Thy best, thy heavenly Friend

Thro' thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

Be still, my soul! Thy God doth undertake To guide the future as He has the past. Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake; All now mysterious shall be bright at last.

Be still, my soul! The waves and winds still know

His voice who ruled them while He dwelt below.

In you I rest, in you I found my hope. In You I trust, You never let me go.
I place my life within Your hands alone, Be still my soul.

Be still, my soul! The hour is hastening on When we shall be forever with the Lord, When disappointment, grief, and fear are gone, Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.

Be still, My soul! When change and tears are past,

All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

In you I rest, in you I found my hope. In You I trust, You never let me go.
I place my life within Your hands alone, Be still my soul.

In you I rest, in you I found my hope In You I trust, You never let me go
I place my life within Your hands alone,
Be still my soul, Be still my soul

(At this time, children ages 5 through 2nd Grade are dismissed to go to Children's Church at parents' discretion)

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

REV. CHAD WATKINS

JONAH 1:17-2:20

"Running to God"

1. Sinking

2. Salvation

"Psalm 130"

Song of Response

Lord, from the depths to Thee I cried. My Lord, give ear to me. O hear my voice and hearken to My supplicating plea.

Lord, who shall stand if Thou, my Lord, Shouldst mark iniquity? But yet with Thee forgiveness is, That men may rev'rence Thee.

I wait, my soul awaits the Lord; My hope is in His word. More than the watchmen wait for morn. My soul waits for my Lord.

> O Israel, hope in the Lord; The Lord saves graciously. And He shall Israel redeem From all iniquity.

* THE BENEDICTION

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope."

(Romans 15:13)

For Your Calendar:

Sunday, April 7, 12 p.m. NextGen Chili Cookoff

Sunday, April 7, 5:30 p.m. Young Adult Bible Study (Watkins Home)

Monday, April 8, 6:30 p.m. Diaconate Meeting

Tuesday, April 9, 6:30 p.m. Missions Meeting

Wednesday, April 10, 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Weekly Bible Study

Wednesday, April 10, 6:30 p.m. Officer Training

Thursday, April 11, 6 a.m.
The Carpenter's Apprentices
(The Breakfast Place, Beal Pkwy)

Thursday, April 11, 4:30-6 p.m. Kids' Club