

Westminster Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day, July 11, 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.

The Lord's Day

July 11, 2021 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!”

(Psalm 34:8)

*HYMN OF PRAISE #181

“We Come, O Christ, to You”

We come, O Christ, to You, true Son of God and man,
By Whom all things consist, in Whom all life began:
In You alone we live and move, and have our being in Your love.

You are the Way to God, your blood our ransom paid;
In You we face our Judge and Maker unafraid.
Before the throne absolved we stand, Your love has met Your law's demand.

You are the living Truth! All wisdom dwells in You,
The Source of every skill, the One Eternal TRUE!
O great I AM! In You we rest, sure answer to our every quest.

You only are true Life, to know You is to live
The more abundant life that earth can never give:
O risen Lord! We live in You, in us each day Your life renew!

We worship You, Lord Christ, our Savior and our King,
To You our youth and strength adoringly we bring:
So fill our hearts, that all may view Your life in us, and turn to You.

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity;
I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the Lord,” and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.”
(*Psalm 32:5*)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

Romans 13:1-14

***SONG**

“Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me”

What gift of grace is Jesus, my redeemer. There is no more for heaven now to give.
He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom, my steadfast love my deep and boundless peace.

To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus. For my life is wholly bound to his.
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken, for by my side the Saviour, he will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing, for in my need, his power is displayed
To this I hold: my Shepherd will defend me. Through the deepest valley he will lead.
Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven, the future sure, the price, it has been paid.
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon, and he was raised to overthrow the grave.

To this I hold: my sin has been defeated. Jesus now, and ever is my plea.
Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus for he has said that he will bring me home.
And day by day I know he will renew me until I stand with joy before the throne.

To this I hold my: hope is only Jesus. All the glory evermore to him.
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat: Yet not I but through Christ in me

When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I but through Christ in me
Yet not I but through Christ in me

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

Genesis 13:1-18

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

REV. CHAD WATKINS

“Appearances Can Be Deceiving”

1. An Unexpected Problem

2. A Generous Solution

3. A Foolish Choice

4. A Word of Promise

***HYMN OF RESPONSE #34**

“The God of Abraham Praise”

The God of Abraham praise, who reigns enthroned above,
Ancient of everlasting days and God of love.

Jehovah! Great! I am! By earth and heav’n confessed;
I bow and bless the sacred name, forever blest.

The God of Abraham praise, at whose supreme command
From earth I rise, and seek the joys at his right hand.

I all on earth forsake, its wisdom, fame, and pow’r
And him my only portion make, my shield and tow’r.

He by himself hath sworn, I on his oath depend;
I shall, on eagles’ wings upborne, to heav’n ascend.
I shall behold his face, I shall his pow’r adore,
And sing the wonders of his grace forever more.

The goodly land I see, with peace and plenty blest,
A land of sacred liberty and endless rest.
There milk and honey flow, and oil and wine abound,
And trees of life forever grow, with mercy crowned.

There dwells the Lord our King, the Lord our Righteousness,
Triumphant o’er the world and sin, the Prince of Peace.
On Zion’s sacred height his kingdom he maintains,
And glorious with his saints in light forever reigns.

The whole triumphant host gives thanks to God on high;
“Hail, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!” they ever cry.
Hail, Abraham’s God and mine! I join the heav’nly lays;
All might and majesty are thine, and endless praise.

*** THE BENEDICTION**

“The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.”

(2 Corinthians 13:14)

WPC Announcements

Volunteers: If you would like to volunteer to help clean the sanctuary for services you will be given the opportunity to sign up when you request seating or you can contact the church office.

Nursery Open: The church nursery is now open for Sunday School at 9:00a.m. and the morning worship service at 10:15 a.m.

VBS 2021: We encourage you to take some VBS flyers home with you to share with family and any friends you would like to invite. They will be in the Narthex and being handed out by Pastor Knox and Melissa.

Communion Setup: We are looking for some volunteers to help with communion setup on Sunday mornings. If you are interested please contact Kendall in the church office for information.

For Your Calendar:

Thursday, July 8, 6:00 a.m.
Carpenter's Apprentices