

Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, September 24, 2023 P.M.

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

September 24, 2023 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP | PSALM 98

<u>Pastor:</u> Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praise!

All: The LORD has made known his salvation; He has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.

Pastor: He remembers his steadfast love and faithfulness.

All: His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for Him. For the LORD has made known His salvation.

*Song of Praise

"Behold Our God"

Who has held the oceans in His hands? Who has numbered every grain of sand? Kings and nations tremble at His voice, all creation rises to rejoice

Behold our God seated on His throne, come, let us adore Him Behold our King—nothing can compare, come, let us adore Him

Who has given counsel to the Lord? Who can question any of His words? Who can teach the One who knows all things? Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds?

Chorus

Who has felt the nails upon His hands, bearing all the guilt of sinful man? God eternal, humbled to the grave, Jesus, Savior, risen now to reign *Chorus*

You will reign forever (Let Your glory fill the earth) (Repeat)

Chorus x2

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

*Assurance of Pardon

"Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon."

(Isaiah 55:6-7)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

Proverbs 31:1-31

*Hymn #558

"That Man is Blest Who, Fearing God"

That man is blest who, fearing God, from sin restrains his feet, Who will not stand with wicked men, who shuns the scorners' seat.

Yea, blest is he who makes God's law his portion and delight, And meditates upon that law with gladness day and night.

That man is nourished like a tree set by the rivers' side; Its leaf is green, its fruit is sure, and thus his works abide.

The wicked like the driven chaff are swept from off the land; They shall not gather with the just, nor in the judgment stand.

The Lord will guard the righteous well, their way to him is known; The way of sinners, far from God, shall surely be o'er thrown.

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE
THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

2 THESSALONIANS 2:3-12 REV. CHAD WATKINS

"The Man of Lawlessness"

His Identity

His Activity

His Destiny

*Hymn of Preparation #246 "Man of Sorrows! What a Name" (vv. 1-3)

Man of Sorrows! what a name for the Son of God, who came Ruined sinners to reclaim: Hallelujah! what a Savior!

Bearing shame and scoffing rude, in my place condemned He stood, Sealed my pardon with His blood: Hallelujah! what a Savior!

Guilty, vile, and helpless, we; spotless Lamb of God was He; Full atonement! can it be? Hallelujah! what a Savior!

THE LORD'S SUPPER INSTRUCTION AND EXHORTATION

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER*

*Hymn of Thanksgiving #246 "Man of Sorrows! What a Name" (vv. 4-5)

Lifted up was He to die, "It is finished!" was His cry; Now in heav'n exalted high: Hallelujah! what a Savior!

When He comes, our glorious King, all His ransomed home to bring, Then anew this song we'll sing: Hallelujah! what a Savior!

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)

WPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tuesday Ladies Bible Study

Tuesdays | 9:30am-10:45am | Newton Conference Room | **Beginning September 12th** Come grow and learn with us as we dig deep into God's Word through an inductive study of the Book of Philippians! We will be using "Joy: A Bible Study on Philippians for Women" by Keri Folmar. Copies are available (for \$10 if able). Come join us and get to know women in our church. **Pick up a study from Melissa today as we plan to discuss week one this Tuesday!**

Wednesday Ladies Bible Study

Wednesdays | 9:30am-11:00 am | Newton Conference Room

"From Garden to Glory" by Courtney Doctor is a Bible study on the Bible's story. It is a beautiful, epic and cohesive story. Through this amazing story you will marvel at the steadfast love of our God who longs to dwell with His children again as He did in the garden- and who will stop at nothing until He does. If you would like additional information, contact Jean Hart 850-830-2270.

Carpenter's Apprentice | Thursdays at 6:00 a.m.

Carpenter's Apprentice is a weekly men's discipleship group that meets every Thursday morning at 6:00AM at the Breakfast Place on Beal Parkway. A new study has recently been started using the book, "Bringing the Gospel Home: Witnessing to Family Members, Close Friends, and Others Who Know You Well," by Randy Newman. Contact Earl Smith if you would like a weekly email reminder of what to study for the week ahead.

For Your Calendar:

Tuesday, September 26, 9:30 a.m. Ladies Tuesday Bible Study

Wednesday, September 27, 9:30 a.m. Ladies Wednesday Bible Study

Wednesday, September 27, 4:45 p.m. Catechism Club

Thursday, September 28, 6:00 a.m.

Carpenter's Apprentice

Friday, September 29, 9:00 a.m.

Food Ministry