

# *Westminster Presbyterian Church*

*The Lord's Day, January 31, 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

January 31, 2021 10:15 a.m.

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## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Our help is in the name of the LORD, who made heaven and earth.”  
*(Psalm 124:8)*

### \*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

### \*SONG OF PRAISE

#### *“Hear the Call of the Kingdom”*

Hear the call of the Kingdom, lift your eyes to the King.  
Let His song rise within you as a fragrant offering  
Of how God, rich in Mercy, came in Christ to redeem  
All who trust in His unfailing grace.

Hear the call of the Kingdom to be children of light,  
With the mercy of heaven, the humility of Christ;  
Walking justly before Him, loving all that is right;  
That the light of Christ may shine through us.

*King of heaven, we will answer the call;  
We will follow, bringing hope to the world,  
Filled with passion, filled with power to proclaim  
Salvation in Jesus' name.*

Hear the call of the Kingdom to reach out to the lost;  
With the Father's compassion, in the wonder of the cross.  
Bringing peace and forgiveness and a hope yet to come,  
Let the nations put their trust in Him.

*Chorus 2x*

**READING OF SCRIPTURE**

1 Kings 10:1-13

**\* PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”  
*(Romans 6:23)*

**\*HYMN #32**

***“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”***

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;  
there is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;  
as Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!*  
*Morning by morning new mercies I see:*  
*All I have needed Thy hand hath provided*  
*Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above,  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
to Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

*Chorus*

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

*Chorus*

**\*CONFESSION OF FAITH  
WLC Q. 40-42**

**Pastor:** Why was it requisite that the Mediator should be God and man in one person?

**All:** It was requisite that the Mediator, who was to reconcile God and man, should himself be both God and man, and this in one person, that the proper works of each nature might be accepted of God for us, and relied on by us as the works of the whole person.

**Pastor:** Why was our Mediator called Jesus?

**All:** Our Mediator was called Jesus, because he saves his people from their sins.

**Pastor:** Why was our Mediator called Christ?

**All:** Our Mediator was called Christ, because he was anointed with the Holy Spirit above measure; and so set apart, and fully furnished with the authority and ability, to execute the offices of prophet, priest, and king of his church, in the estate both of his humiliation and exaltation.

**\*SONG**

***“Magnificent, Marvelous, Matchless Love”***

Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love, too vast and astounding to tell,  
Forever existing in worlds above, now offered and given to all.  
O fountain of beauty eternal, the Father, the Spirit, the Son.  
Sufficient and endlessly generous, magnificent, marvelous, matchless love.

Creation is brimming with thankfulness, the mountains exultant they stand.  
The seasons rejoice in Your faithfulness, all life is sustained by Your hand.  
You crown ev’ry meadow with color, You paint ev’ry shade in the sky.  
Each day that dawn wakes is an encore of magnificent, marvelous, matchless love.

*How great, how sure His love endures forevermore. Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love.*

What grace, that You entered our brokenness, You came in the fullness of time.  
How far we had fallen from righteousness, but not from the mercies of Christ.  
Your cross is our door to redemption, Your death is our fullness of life.  
That day, how forgiveness, flowed as a flood; magnificent, marvelous, matchless love.

*How great, how sure His love endures forevermore. Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love.*

United in Your resurrection, You lift us to infinite heights.  
Could anything sever or take us from magnificent, marvelous, matchless love?

*How great, how sure His love endures forevermore. Magnificent, marvelous, matchless love. (repeat)*

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE READING OF SCRIPTURE**

**MARK 12:18-27**

**THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD**

**REV. CHAD WATKINS**

*“One Wife for Seven Brothers!”*

1. Trick Question

2. Straight Answer

### 3. Scripture Explained

#### \* HYMN OF RESPONSE #277

#### *“Christ the Lord is Risen Today”*

“Christ the Lord is ris’n today,” Alleluia! Sons of men and angels say; Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high; Alleluia! Sing ye heav’ns, and earth, reply. Alleluia!

Vain the stone, the watch, the seal; Alleluia! Christ has burst the gates of hell: Alleluia!  
Death in vain forbids his rise; Alleluia! Christ has opened paradise. Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia! Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!  
Once He died, our souls to save; Alleluia! Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia! Foll’wing our exalted Head; Alleluia!  
Made like Him, like Him we rise; Alleluia! Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!

#### \* THE BENEDICTION

“May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such  
harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one  
voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

*(Romans 15:5-6)*

# 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](http://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](mailto: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)

**Jostes Baby Shower:** On Saturday, February 6 we will be having a couples come and go baby shower for Landon and Rachel Jostes from 2-4 at the Koch's home. To RSVP please contact Kendall Clark 205-522-9009 or Cheri Koch 850-642-0536. Baby Registry: [babylist.com](http://babylist.com) under Rachel Jostes.

## For Your Calendar:

**Sunday, January 31, 3:00 p.m.**  
Children's Bible Class

**Wednesday, February 3, 9:30 a.m.**  
Ladies' Weekly Bible Study

**Sunday, January 31, 5:30 p.m.**  
Evening Service

**Thursday, February 4, 6:00 a.m.**  
Carpenter's Apprentices