

# *Westminster Presbyterian Church*

*The Lord's Day, February 23, 2020*



*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 23, 2020 10:15 a.m.

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## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.  
Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.”  
(Psalm 29:1-2)

### \*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

### \*SONG OF PRAISE

### *“Come Praise and Glorify”*

Come praise and glorify our God, the Father of our Lord.  
In Christ, He has in heav'nly realms, His blessings on us poured.  
For pure and blameless in His sight He destined us to be,  
And now we've been adopted through His Son eternally.

*To the praise of Your glory, to the praise of Your mercy and grace;  
To the praise of Your glory, You are the God who saves.*

Come praise and glorify our God, who gives His grace in Christ.  
In Him, our sins are washed away, redeemed through sacrifice.  
In Him, God has made known to us the myst'ry of His will,  
That Christ should be the head of all, His purpose to fulfill.

*Chorus*

Come praise and glorify our God, for we've believed the Word;  
And through our faith we have a seal, the Spirit of the Lord.  
The Spirit guarantees our hope until redemption's done,  
Until we join in endless praise to God, the Three in One.

*Chorus x2*

### READING OF SCRIPTURE

2 Samuel 12:1-15a

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”

*(1 John 1:8-9)*

**\*SONG**

***“O How the Grace of God Amazes Me”***

O how the grace of God Amazes me! It loosed me from my bonds and set me free!  
What made it happen so? His own will, this much I know, set me, as now I show, at liberty  
My God has chosen me, though one of naught, To sit beside my King in heaven’s court.  
Hear what my Lord has done: O, the love that made him run,  
To meet his erring son! This has God wrought.

*Come now, the whole of me, eyes, ears, and voice. Join me, creation all, with joyful noise;  
Praise him who broke the chain holding me in sin’s domain,  
And set me free again! Sing and rejoice!*

Not for my righteousness, for I have none, but for his mercy’s sake, Jesus, God’s Son,  
Suffered on Calvary’s tree, crucified with thieves was he. great was his grace to me, His wayward one.  
And when I think of how, at Calvary, He bore sin’s penalty instead of me,  
Amazed, I wonder why He, the sinless One, should die for one so vile as I; My Savior he!

*Chorus*

Now all my heart’s desire is to abide in him, my Savior dear, in him to hide.  
My shield and buckler He, covering and protecting me; from Satan’s darts I’ll be safe at His side.  
Lord Jesus, hear my prayer, your grace impart; when evil thoughts arise through Satan’s art,  
O, drive them all away and you do, from day to day, keep me beneath Your sway, King of my heart

*Chorus*

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**\* CONFESSIO OF FAITH**

**WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM Q. 104**

**Pastor:** What do we pray for in the fourth petition?

**All:** In the fourth petition, which is, *Give us this day or daily bread,* we pray that of God’s free gift we may receive a competent portion of the good things of this life, and enjoy his blessing with them.

**OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING**

**PSALM**

***“Psalm 23”***  
***(See Insert)***

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE READING OF SCRIPTURE**

**MARK 2:13-17**

**THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD**

**REV. CHAD WATKINS**

***“Dinner With Jesus”***

Introduction

1. The Call Jesus Issues

## 2. The Scandal Jesus Sparks

## 3. The People Jesus Saves

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE #465      “Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord”**

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord, grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt!  
Yonder on Calvary’s mount outpoured there where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

*Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that will pardon and cleanse within,  
Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that is greater than all our sin!*

Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold, threaten the soul with infinite loss;  
Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold points to the Refuge, the mighty cross.

*Chorus*

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide, what can avail to wash it away?  
Look! there is flowing a crimson tide; whiter than snow you may be today.

*Chorus*

**\*THE BENEDICTION**

“Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus,  
the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good  
that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight ,through Jesus Christ,  
to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.”

*(Hebrews 13:20-21)*

**VISITORS:**

We are glad you are here with us today and trust you find us warm and friendly. We hope you will  
come again! During the service the Friendship Pads will be passed to you. Please fill it out  
completely to help us get to know you. If at some point you would like to consider joining WPC,  
please so indicate on the Friendship Pad or contact the Pastor or one of the Elders.



