## Westminster Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day, January 16, 2022



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 16, 2022 10:15 a.m.

#### GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

"Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker! For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand."

(Psalm 95:6-7)

#### \*Prayer of Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

## \*Hymn of Praise #369 "Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns"

Shout, for the blessed Jesus reigns; through distant lands his triumphs spread; And sinners, freed from endless pains, own him their Savior and their Head.

He calls his chosen from afar, they all at Zion's gates arrive; Those who were dead in sin before by sovereign grace are made alive.

Gentiles and Jews his laws obey; nations remote their off'rings bring, And unconstrained their homage pay to their exalted God and King.

O may his holy church increase, his Word and Spirit still prevail, While angels celebrate his praise, and saints his growing glories hail.

Loud hallelujahs to the Lamb, from all below, and all above! In lofty songs exalt his name, in songs as lasting as his love.

#### READING OF SCRIPTURE

Hebrews 12:18-29

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

#### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

"To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

(Acts 10:43)

## \*Song

## "The 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 suff'ring 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 WLC Q.98

**Pastor:** Where s the moral law summarily comprehended?

<u>All</u>: The moral law is summarily comprehended in the ten commandments, which were delivered by the voice of God upon Mount Sinai, and written by him in two tables of stone; and recorded in the twentieth chapter of Exodus. The four first commandments containing our duty to God, and the other six our duty to man.

## OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING

SONG

## "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand"

On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye To Canaan's fair and happy land, where my possessions lie. All o'er those wide extended plains shines one eternal day; There God the Son forever reigns and scatters night away.

I am bound (I am bound), I am bound (I am bound), I am bound for the promised land I am bound (I am bound), I am bound (I am bound), I am bound for the promised land

No chilling winds nor poisonous breath can reach that healthful shore; Sickness and sorrow, pain and death are felt and feared no more.

Chorus

When shall I reach that happy place, and be forever blest? When shall I see my Father's face, and in His bosom rest?

Chorus

## PASTORAL PRAYER

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GENESIS 36-37:1

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

Rev. Knox White

"In the shadow of the Red Kingdom, the Invisible Kingdom Dawns"

The kingdom of God is superior to the kingdoms of man...

So cling to the covenant of God

#### \*PSALM OF RESPONSE #49

## "Let No Fear Disturb Your Peace"

Let no fear disturb your peace When one's house and wealth increase; All his glory death will end; With him nothing will descend.

Though throughout the time he lives, To himself he praises gives— And though men will praise you too, When good things for self you do—

To his fathers he will go, Where the eye no light will know. Man with honor, yet not wise, Like the beasts that perish, dies.

## \* 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)