



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, January 21, 2024 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

January 21, 2024 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power; for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.”

(Revelation 4:11)

*HYMN OF PRAISE #598

“Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah”

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but Thou art mighty; hold me with Thy pow'rful hand;
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more,
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through;
Strong Deliv'rer, strong Deliv'rer, be Thou still my strength and shield.
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side;
Songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to Thee,
I will ever give to Thee.

***PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“In him we have redemption through his blood,
the forgiveness of our trespasses,
according to the riches of his grace”
(Ephesians 1:7)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

Hosea 3:1-4:19

***HYMN #415**

“Baptized Into Your Name Most Holy”

Baptized into your name most holy, O Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
I claim a place, though weak and lowly, among your seed, your chosen host.
Buried with Christ, and dead to sin: your Spirit e'er shall live within.

My loving Father, me you've taken fore'er to be your child and heir;
my faithful Savior, me you've given your righteous, holy life to share;
O Holy Spirit, you will be a comfort, guide, and help to me.

And I have vowed to fear and love you, and to obey you, Lord, alone;
because the Holy Spirit moved me I dared to pledge myself your own,
renouncing sin to keep the faith, and war with evil unto death.

My faithful God, your Word fails never, your cov'nant surely will abide;
oh, cast me not away forever, should I transgress it on my side!
Though I have oft my soul defiled, in love forgive, restore your child.

Yes, all I am and love most dearly I offer now, O Lord, to you.
Oh, let me make my vows sincerely, and what I say, help me to do.
Let naught within me, naught I own, serve any will but yours alone.

And never let my purpose falter, O Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
but keep me faithful to your altar, till you shall call me from my post.
So unto you I live and die, and praise you evermore on high.

PASTORAL PRAYER

**THE READING OF SCRIPTURE
THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD**

**REVELATION 2:12-17
REV. CHAD WATKINS**

“To the Church in Pergamum”

Who is Jesus?

What Does Jesus Know?

What Does Jesus Say?

What Does Jesus Promise?

***SONG OF RESPONSE**

“O Church Of Christ Invincible”

O Church of Christ invincible the people of the Lord
Empowered by the Spirit's breath and nourished by His word
His covenant of grace will be our portion evermore
For He who called us will not change our help and our reward

O chosen people called by grace the sons of Abraham
Who walk by faith in things unseen and on His promise stand
That ev'ry nation of the earth will hear of boundless love
That causes broken hearts to heal and pays our debts with blood

O Church of Christ in sorrow now where evil lies in wait
When trials and persecutions come this light will never fade
For though the hordes of hell may rage their pow'r will not endure
Our times are in the Father's hand our anchor is secure

O Church of Christ upon that day when all are gathered in
When ev'ry tear is wiped away with ev'ry trace of sin
Where justice truth and beauty shine and death has passed away
Where God and man will dwell as one for all eternity

***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

Stewardship Lunch Feb 4, 2024

The Session and Diaconate invites all WPC members to stay for a "stewardship" lunch following the morning service on February 4th. WPC traditionally has a stewardship themed gathering annually. At these meetings the Officers present the budget for the current year and discuss the finances of the church. It has been some time since we last updated the congregation on these matters. So we would appreciate the congregation gathering on the 4th for this important update. More details on the lunch coming soon.

Bahamas Short Term Mission Trip - Deadline January 31st

Westminster is hoping to organize another short-term missions' trip to Nassau Bahamas in July 2024 but we need to hear from you first!

If we go to the Bahamas in 2024, we need a team of at least **14** people to support a grade-school literacy and bible camp during the week of July 13-20. We need to hear from you by **January 31st** if you are interested in joining the team.

If you would like to know more about what is involved in going on the trip, please talk to one of last year's participants and communicate your interest with Landon Jostes. landonjostes@gmail.com

For Your Calendar:

Wednesday, January 24, 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday Ladies Bible Study

Thursday, January 25, 6:00 a.m.
Carpenters Apprentices

Thursday, January 25, 6:30 p.m.
Missions Meeting

Friday, January 26, 9:00 a.m.
Food Ministry

Friday, January 26
Office Closed