



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, January 5, 2025 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.

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January 5, 2025 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

“How Lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts!
My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the LORD;
my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God...

For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness.

For the LORD God is a sun and shield; the LORD bestows favor and honor.

No good thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly.

O LORD of hosts, blessed is the one who trusts in you!”

(Psalm 84:1-2;10-12)

***HYMN OF PRAISE #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.

***PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever.
He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.
For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him.”
(Psalm 103:8-12)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

James 2:1-13

***SONG**

“Before the Throne of God Above”

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea;
A great High Priest whose name is love, who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands; My name is written on His heart.
I know that while in heav’n He stands, no tongue can bid me thence depart,
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of my guilt within
Upward I look and see Him there, who made an end of all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free.
For God, the Just, is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me,
To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there the risen Lamb, my perfect spotless, Righteousness.
The great unchangeable I Am, the King of Glory and of grace.
One with Himself, I cannot die. My soul is purchased by His blood.
My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my Savior and my God,
With Christ my Savior and my God.

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

JOSHUA 10:1-43

REV. CHAD WATKINS

“The LORD Fights For You”

The Oath Fulfilled

The Divine Warrior

The Power of Prayer

The Sign of Victory

***PSALM OF RESPONSE**

“The LORD Has Spoken to My Lord”

PSALM 110B

The LORD has spoken to my Lord; “Sit here at my right hand
until I make your foes a stool on which your feet may stand.”
The LORD from Zion shall extend the scepter of your pow’r:
“Rule all surrounding enemies, and be their conqueror.”

When you display your mighty pow’r, your people come to you;
at dawn, arrayed in holiness, your youth appear like dew.
The LORD has sworn, and from his oath he’ll never be released:
“Of th’order of Melchizedek, you’ll always be a priest.”

The Lord at your right hand will strike earth’s rulers in his wrath.
Among the nations he will judge; the slain will fill his path.
In many lands he’ll crush their kings, his wrath will be their dread.
And from the wayside brook he’ll drink, in vict’ry lift the head.

***THE BENEDICTION**

“The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.”
(2 Corinthians 13:14)

WPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lord's Supper Offering

Our recipient for the 4th quarter will be Destin Harvest. Destin Harvest partners with WPC. Our weekly food distributions are provided by this organization. Destin Harvest is in need of donations to help with repairs for their Food Rescue Truck. Please visit <https://destinharvest.org/> for more information about Destin Harvest.

CPR Training

If you are interested in taking a CPR training course, please sign-up through the church office via email at wpcpcaoffice@gmail.com. Once enough members have signed up for CPR training, a date for the class will be determined.

Monthly Discipleship Study Group | January 7 | 4:30pm-5:30 p.m.

This group meets the first Tuesday of each month from 4:30-5:30 p.m. in classroom 2. This group exists to encourage students who are enrolled in courses from the LowCountry Biblical Counseling Center. Contact Diane Poff if you are interested in the group.

For Your Calendar:

TONIGHT 5:30 p.m.
Evening Service

Thursday, January 9, 6:00 a.m.
Carpenter's Apprentice

Wednesday, January 8, 9:30 a.m.
Ladies' Bible Study

Friday, January 10, 9:00 a.m.
Food Ministry