



# Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

*The Lord's Day, February 15, 2026 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

February 15, 2026 5:30 p.m.

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## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP** **Responsive Reading of Psalm 24:7-10**

*Pastor: Lift up your heads, O you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.*

**People: Who is this King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD mighty in battle!**

*Pastor: Lift up your heads, O you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.*

**People: Who is he, this King of glory? The LORD Almighty — he is the King of glory.**

### **\*HYMN OF PRAISE #304**

### ***"I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"***

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Come unto me and rest;  
lay down, O weary one, lay down your head upon my breast."

I came to Jesus as I was, weary and worn and sad;  
I found in him a resting place, and he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Behold, I freely give  
the living water; thirsty one, stoop down and drink, and live."

I came to Jesus, and I drank of that life-giving stream;  
my thirst was quenched, my soul revived, and now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "I am this dark world's Light;  
look unto me, your morn shall rise, and all your day be bright."

I looked to Jesus and I found in him my Star, my Sun;  
and in that light of life I'll walk, till trav'ling days are done.

**\*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh,  
God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses,  
by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands.  
This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.”  
*(Colossians 2:13-14)*

**READING OF SCRIPTURE**

John 15:18-27

**\*SONG**

***“O Love That Will Not Let Me Go”***

O Love that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in thee;  
I give thee back the life I owe, that in thine ocean depths its flow  
May richer, fuller be.

O Light that foll’west all my way, I yield my flick’ring torch to thee;  
My heart restores its borrowed ray, that in thy sunshine’s blaze its day  
May brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me thru pain, I cannot close my heart to thee;  
I trace the rainbow thru the rain, and feel the promise is not vain  
That morn shall tearless be.

O Cross that liftest up my head, I dare not ask to fly from thee;  
I lay in dust life’s glory dead, and from the ground there blossoms red  
Life that shall endless be, life that shall endless be.

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE READING OF SCRIPTURE**

**THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD**

**1 SAMUEL 8:1-22**  
**REV. CHAD WATKINS**

**“Give Us a King!”**

The Presenting Problem

The Elder’s Solution

Yahweh's Warning

Israel's Folly

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE #310**

***“Rejoice the Lord is King”***

Rejoice, the Lord is King: your Lord and King adore!  
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing, and triumph evermore.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus the Savior reigns, the God of truth and love;  
when he had purged our stains, he took his seat above.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail, he rules o’er earth and heav’n;  
the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus giv’n.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

He sits at God’s right hand till all his foes submit,  
and bow to his command, and fall beneath his feet.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Rejoice in glorious hope! Our Lord, the Judge, shall come,  
and take his servants up to their eternal home.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

**\*THE BENEDICTION**

“Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely,  
and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless  
at the coming of the Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.”  
*(1 Thessalonians 5:23-24)*

# WPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

## February Newsletter

Hard copies of the newsletter are available in the Narthex. **Please take 1 per family.** The digital copy is available on the WPC website.

## Midweek at WPC | February 18 | 5:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

WPC has begun a midweek service every Wednesday from 5:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

There will be a fellowship meal provided by the church and something for all ages.

**Please scan the QR code to help the food prep volunteers get a head count for the meal.** If you have any questions, pick up an informational brochure located in the Narthex and/or talk with one of the elders!



## Men's Breakfast | February 28 | 8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Whether old or young, married or single, we invite all men to join us for a time of fellowship and learning for our Men's Breakfast on Saturday, February 28 from 8:00-10:30am. We'll be briefly covering a short book by Joel Beeke titled *How to Lead Your Family: A Guide for Men Wanting to be More*. Please consider to join us for this time of fellowship and RSVP with Landon. Breakfast and a copy of the book will be provided!

## Congregational Meeting | Sunday, March 1, 2026

In accordance with the PCA's Book of Church Order, 24-1, the Session is calling a congregational meeting for Sunday, March 1, 2026 immediately following the morning worship service. The meeting is for the purpose of electing elders and deacons from a slate of nominees that have been trained, examined, and approved by the Session for election. Nominees for elder are: Jason Belcher and Mike Neill. Nominees for deacon are: Larry Hulsey, John Linn, and Darrin Lyon. The meeting will take place in the sanctuary.

### For Your Calendar:

**Tues., Feb. 17, 9:30 a.m.**

Ladies' Bible Study

**Wed., Feb. 18, 9:30 a.m.**

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**Thurs., Feb. 19, 6:00 a.m.**

Carpenter's Apprentices

**Tues., Feb. 17, 9:30 a.m.**

Ladies' Evening Bible Study

**Wed., Feb. 18, 5:15 p.m.**

Midweek at WPC

**Fri., Feb. 20, 9:00 a.m.**

Food Ministry