

# *Westminster Presbyterian Church*

*The Lord's Day, March 20, 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.*

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March 20, 2022 10:15 a.m.

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## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.”  
*(Psalm 145:18)*

### \*SONG OF PRAISE

#### *“Lift High the Name of Jesus”*

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our King.  
Make known the power of His grace, the beauty of His peace.  
Remember how His mercy reached and we cried out to Him.  
He lifted us to solid ground, to freedom from our sin.

*Oh sing my soul, and tell all He's done, till the earth and heavens are filled with His glory!*

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our Lord.  
His power in us is greater than, is greater than this world.  
To share the reason for our hope, to serve with love and grace,  
That all who see Him shine through us might bring the Father praise.

#### *Chorus*

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our Light.  
No other name on earth can save, can raise a soul to life.  
He opens up our eyes to see the harvest He has grown.  
We labor in His fields of grace as He leads sinners home.

#### *Chorus x2*

**\*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.”  
*(Romans 8:1-2)*

**READING OF SCRIPTURE**

2 Kings 18:13-25

**\*PSALM 2**

***“Why Do Gentile Nations Rage?”***

Why do Gentile nations rage, And their useless plots design?  
Kings of earth in schemes engage, Rulers are in league combined.  
They speak out against the LORD; His Messiah they defy:  
“Let us break their chains and cords, let us cast them off,” they cry.

He who sits in heaven laughs, For the Lord views them with scorn.  
He will speak to them in wrath, And in anger He will warn:  
“Yet according to My will, I have set My King to reign;  
And on Zion’s holy hill, My Anointed will remain.”

“I the LORD’s decree make known; This is what He had to say:  
He declared, ‘You are My Son; I have brought You forth this day.  
Ask of Me and You I’ll make Heir to earth and nations all.  
Them with iron rod You’ll break, Smashing them in pieces small.”

Therefore kings now heed this word: Earthly judges, come and hear.  
Rev’rent worship give the LORD; With your joy mix trembling fear.  
Honor Him, His wrath to turn, Lest you perish in your stride,  
For His anger soon may burn. Blessed are all who in Him hide.

**\*CONFESSION OF FAITH**

**The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy \*catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING**

**\*Song**

***“O Great God”***

O great God of highest heav'n, occupy my lowly heart.  
Own it all and reign supreme, conquer every rebel pow'r.  
Let no vice or sin remain that resists Your holy war.  
You have loved and purchased me, make me Yours forevermore.

I was blinded by my sin, had no ears to hear Your voice,  
did not know Your love within, had no taste for heaven's joys.  
Then Your Spirit gave me life, opened up Your Word to me  
through the gospel of Your Son, gave me endless hope and peace.

Help me now to live a life that's dependent on Your grace.  
Keep my heart and guard my soul from the evils that I face.  
You are worthy to be praised with my every thought and deed.  
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**PASTORAL PRAYER**

*“Eyewitnesses of His Majesty”*

1. A Timely Reminder

2. A Message to Remember

**\*Hymn of Preparation #461    “Not What My Hands Have Done” vv 1-3**

Not what my hands have done can save my guilty soul;  
Not what my toiling flesh has borne can make my spirit whole.  
Not what I feel or do can give me peace with God;  
Not all my prayers and sighs and tears can bear my awful load.

Thy work alone, O Christ, can ease this weight of sin;  
Thy blood alone, O Lamb of God, can give me peace within.  
Thy love to me, O God, not mine, O Lord, to thee,  
Can rid me of this dark unrest, and set my spirit free.

Thy grace alone O God, to me can pardon speak;  
Thy pow’r alone, O Son of God, can this sore bondage break.  
No other work, save thine, no other blood will do;  
No strength, save that which is divine, can bear me safely through.

**THE LORD’S SUPPER INSTRUCTION AND EXHORTATION**

**THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER\***

**\* Hymn of Thanksgiving #461    “Not What My Hands Have Done” vv 4-5**

I bless the Christ of God; I rest on love divine;  
And with unfalt’ring lip and heart, I call this Savior mine.  
His cross dispels each doubt; I bury in his tomb  
Each thought of unbelief and fear, each ling’ring shade of gloom.

I praise the God of grace; I trust his truth and might;  
He calls me his, I call him mine, my God, my joy, my light  
‘Tis he who saveth me, and freely pardon gives;  
I love because he loveth me, I live because he lives.

**\* THE BENEDICTION**

“May the Lord bless you from Zion, he who made heaven and earth!”  
*(Psalm 134:3)*

*\*the communion bread is gluten free*