

# *Westminster Presbyterian Church*

*The Lord's Day, March 7, 2021*



*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 7, 2021 10:15 a.m.

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## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD, O my soul! I will praise the LORD as long as I live;  
I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.”

*(Psalm 146:1-2)*

### \*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

### \*HYMN OF PRAISE #92

### *“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”*

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;  
Our helper He amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing.  
For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe;  
His craft and pow'r are great, and armed with cruel hate, on earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing;  
Were not the right Man on our side, the Man of God's own choosing.  
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He,  
Lord Sabaoth His name, from age to age the same, and He must win the battle.

And tho this world, with devils filled, should threaten to undo us,  
We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph thru us.  
The prince of darkness grim, we tremble not for him;  
His rage we can endure, for lo! his doom is sure; one little word shall fell him.

That word above all earthly pow'rs, no thanks to them, abideth;  
The Spirit and the gifts are ours, through Him who with us sideth.  
Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also; The body they may kill:  
God's truth abideth still; His kingdom is forever.

**READING OF SCRIPTURE**

1 Kings 12:1-15

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned everyone to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.”  
*(Isaiah 53:4-6)*

**\*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.

**\*CONFESSION OF FAITH  
WLC Q. 46**

**Pastor:** What was the estate of Christ's humiliation?

**All:** The estate of Christ's humiliation was that low condition, wherein he for our sakes, emptying himself of his glory, took upon him the form of a servant, in his conception and birth, life, death, and after his death, until his resurrection.

**\*SONG**

***“Glorious Day”***

One day when heaven was filled with His praises, one day when sin was as black as could be,  
Jesus came forth to be born of a virgin, dwelt among men my example is He  
The Word became flesh and the light shined among us, His glory revealed

*Living He loved me, dying He saved me, buried He carried my sins far away  
Rising He justified freely forever, one day He's coming, O glorious day, O glorious day*

One day they led Him up Calv'ry's mountain, one day they nailed Him to die on a tree,  
Suffering anguish despised and rejected, bearing our sins my Redeemer is He  
The hand that healed nations stretched out on a tree and took the nails for me

*Chorus*

One day the grave could conceal Him no longer, one day the stone rolled away from the door.  
Then He arose over death He had conquered, now is ascended my Lord evermore  
Death could not hold Him, the grave could not keep Him from rising again

*Chorus*

One day the trumpet will sound for His coming, one day the skies with His glories will shine  
Wonderful day my beloved one bringing, my Savior Jesus is mine

*Chorus x2*

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

*“Spoiler Alert!”*

1. Scary Sight

2. Second Coming

3. Stay Awake

*“The Mighty God, the Lord”*

The mighty God, the Lord, hath spoken unto all;  
From rising to the setting sun, he unto earth doth call.  
From Zion, his own hill, where perfect beauty dwells,  
Jehovah hath his glory shown, in brightness that excels.

Our God shall surely come, and silence shall not keep;  
Before him fire shall waste, and storms tempestuous round him sweep.  
He to the heav'ns above shall then send forth his call,  
And likewise to the earth, that he may judge his people all.

"Together let my saints unto me gathered be,  
Those that by sacrifice have made a covenant with me."  
Then shall the heav'ns declare his righteousness abroad;  
Because the Lord himself is judge, yea, none is judge, but God.

**\* 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

**Evening Service Tonight:** We encourage you to join us for evening worship at 5:30pm. If you cannot attend in person please join us via our livestream. To access the livestream go to our website [www.wpc-pca.com](http://www.wpc-pca.com) and click on livestream.

**Nursery Reopening:** The church nursery is now open for Sunday morning services at 10:15am.

**Seating Request:** Although seating request are not required for services at this time it is still offered to those who would like to sit in an area where masks and strict social distancing will still be required . Each week you will get a new email from the church office with a link to request seating for Sunday worship services. The email will go out each Monday morning and you will have until Wednesday at 4pm to request seating. If for some reason you cannot access the seating request system, please contact the office at 882-8825 between 9am-3pm on Mon-Wed to request seating.

## For Your Calendar:

**Sunday, March 7, 3:00 p.m.**  
Children's Bible Class

**Sunday, March 7, 5:30 p.m.**  
Evening Service

**Wednesday, March 10, 9:30 a.m.**  
Ladies' Weekly Bible Study

**Thursday, March 11, 6:00 a.m.**  
Carpenter's Apprentices