

# Westminster

### Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, April 28, 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 *April 28, 2024 5:30 p.m.*

#### **GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### \*The Call to Worship

"Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." (Matthew 11:28-30)

#### \*HYMN OF PRAISE #369 "Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns"

Shout, for the blessed Jesus reigns; through distant lands his triumphs spread; And sinners, freed from endless pains, own him their Savior and their Head.

He calls his chosen from afar, they all at Zion's gates arrive; Those who were dead in sin before by sovereign grace are made alive.

Gentiles and Jews his laws obey; nations remote their off'rings bring, And unconstrained their homage pay to their exalted God and King.

O may his holy church increase, his Word and Spirit still prevail, While angels celebrate his praise, and saints his growing glories hail.

Loud hallelujahs to the Lamb, from all below, and all above! In lofty songs exalt his name, in songs as lasting as his love.

#### **\*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

\*Assurance of Pardon

"I have blotted out your transgressions like a cloud and your sins like mist; return to me, for I have redeemed you." (Isaiah 44:22)

#### READING OF SCRIPTURE Joel 3:1-21

#### \*Song

#### "The Goodness of Jesus"

Come you weary heart now to Jesus Come you anxious soul now and see There is perfect love and comfort in your tears Rest here in His wondrous peace

Oh the goodness the goodness of Jesus Satisfied he is all that I need May it be come what may that I rest all my days In the goodness of Jesus

Come find what this world cannot offer Come and find your joy here complete Taste the living water never thirst again Rest here in His wondrous peace

Chorus

Come and find your hope now in Jesus He is all he said he would be Grace is overflowing from the Saviour's heart Rest here in His wondrous peace

Chorus x2

May it be come what may that I rest all my days In the goodness of Jesus

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD "Trumpet Blasts" **REVELATION 8-9 REV. CHAD WATKINS** 

#### "To You I Lift My Soul" Psalm 25

To You I lift my soul; LORD God, in You I trust. O do not let me suffer shame; and let my foes not boast. Yes, those who wait on You no shame will ever see; let shame be theirs who without cause behave with treachery.

Instruct me in Your paths; LORD, make me know Your way. Teach me and make me follow You, that in Your truth I'll stay; since You have been my God, the One who rescues me, for You I'm waiting all the day; I wait expectantly.

Your tender mercies, LORD, Your steadfast love recall, for these are things that have endured through the out ages all. My youthful sins, my faults, do not bring these to mind; O LORD, remember me in love, for You are good and kind.

#### THE LORD'S SUPPER INSTRUCTION AND EXHORTATION

#### THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER\*

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving #735

"Gloria Patri"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

#### **\*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 our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it." (1 Thessalonians 5:23-24)

\*the communion bread is gluten free

#### WPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Adult Sunday School | Sundays 9:00am | Fellowship Hall

Adult Sunday School is going through PCA Pastor Mark Jones' book, "Knowing Sin". Jones, a Puritan scholar and also author of "Knowing Christ", examines and applies for our sanctification many aspects of the nature of sin in order to help believers better know themselves and to overcome their greatest enemy despite all its subtlety and deceptiveness. Grace is most grasped and appreciated when sin is best understood.

Joel Beeke writes, "What doctor would receive our respect if he offered a cure without a careful diagnosis? Yet we shy away from a thorough diagnosis of the deadly illness of our souls - the inward evil of sin. Mark Jones takes God's holy Word, which penetrates and reveals with far more accuracy than any medical scan, and shows us the heinousness of sin so that we may find healing from the Great Physician."

#### For Your Calendar:

Wednesday, May 1, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday, May 1, 4:45 p.m. Catechism Club

Thursday, May 2, 6:00 a.m. Carpenters Apprentices Thursday, May 2, 6:00 p.m. Missions Meeting

Friday, May 3, 9:00 a.m. Food Ministry