



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, May 15, 2022 A.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

May 15, 2022 10:15 a.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you.”

(James 4:8a)

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE #297

“All Hail the Pow'r of Jesus' Name!”

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall,
let angels prostrate fall; bring forth the royal diadem,

Refrain:

*and crown him, crown him, crown him,
crown him, and crown him Lord of all!*

Crown him, ye martyrs of your God who from his altar call,
who from his altar call; extol the Stem of Jesse's rod, (Refrain)

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race, ye ransomed of the fall,
ye ransomed of the fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, (Refrain)

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall,
the wormwood and the gall, go, spread your trophies at his feet, (Refrain)

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe, on this terrestrial ball,
on this terrestrial ball, to him all majesty ascribe, (Refrain)

O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall,
we at his feet may fall! We'll join the everlasting song, (Refrain)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

2 Kings 23:1-20

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.”

(Isaiah 55:6-7)

***PSALM 42**

“As Pants the Deer”

As pants the deer for water brooks, so pants my soul for You, O God.
I thirst for God, the living God; When will I see the face of God?
Tears are my food both day and night. All day men say, “Where is your God?”

My soul’s poured out as I recall how to God’s house I led the crowds
with joyful songs to keep the feast. My soul, why so cast down, disturbed?
Hope now in God; I’ll praise Him still. He is my help. He is my God.

***CONFESSION OF FAITH
WLC Q. 115-116**

Pastor: What is the fourth commandment?

All: The fourth commandment is, Remember the sabbath-day, to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work; but the seventh day is the sabbath of the Lord thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy man-servant, nor thy maid-servant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates. For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the Lord blessed the sabbath-day and hallowed it.

Pastor: What is required in the fourth commandment?

All: The fourth commandment requireth of all men the sanctifying or keeping holy to God such set times as he hath appointed in his word, expressly one whole day in seven; which was the seventh from the beginning of the world to the resurrection of Christ, and the first day of the week ever since, and so to continue to the end of the world; which is the Christian sabbath, and in the New Testament called The Lord's Day.

OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING

SONG

“Our Great God”

Eternal God, unchanging, mysterious and unknown.
Your boundless love unfailing, in grace and mercy shown.
Bright seraphim in ceaseless flight around your glorious throne.
They raise their voices day and night in praise to you alone.

Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God! Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!

Lord, we are weak and frail, helpless in the storm.
Surround us with your angels, hold us in your arms.
Our cold and ruthless enemy, his pleasure is our harm.
Rise up, O Lord, and he will flee before our Sovereign God.

Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God! Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!

Let every creature in the sea and every flying bird;
Let every mountain, every field and valley of the earth;
Let all the moons and all the stars in all the universe
Sing praises to the Living God, who rules them by His word.

Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God! Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God! (repeat)

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

Acts 2:42-47

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

Rev. Chad Watkins

“The Nuts & Bolts of Worship”

The Ordinary Means of Growth

The Principles That Shape Worship

***HYMN OF RESPONSE #141**

“God in the Gospel of His Son”

God, in the gospel of his Son, makes his eternal counsels known;
where love in all its glory shines, and truth is drawn in fairest lines.

Here sinners of a humble frame may taste his grace, and learn his name;
may read, in characters of blood, the wisdom, pow'r, and grace of God.

The pris'ner here may break his chains; the weary rest from all his pains;
the captive feel his bondage cease; the mourner find the way of peace.

Here faith reveals to mortal eyes a brighter world beyond the skies;
here shines the light which guides our way from earth to realms of endless day.

O grant us grace, almighty Lord, to read and mark your holy Word;
its truths with meekness to receive, and by its holy precepts live.

THE BENEDICTION

“The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit.”

(Philippians 4:23)

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 and click on livestream.

Church Family Picnics: May 15 & 29

Come join us out on the lawn after morning worship for a picnic, fellowship, and lawn games. Bring your own lunch and chair. We will have water and chips to share!

Missions:

Good News Jail and Prison Ministry *Annual Banquet*

Friday, June 3rd, 2022, 6-8 pm (doors open at 5:30 pm)
hosted by First Baptist Church At The Christian Life Center
21 First St. SE Fort Walton Beach, FL

Hear jail ministry news and happenings from Chaplain Josiah Alldredge.

Honor retiring Chaplain John Lennon for 30 years of service.

Be inspired by stories of God's mercy and grace from ministry volunteers and former jail inmates.

Join in worshiping with great uplifting worship music.

Enjoy a full buffet dinner and much more.

Westminster has sponsored free attendance for 24 persons. Please claim your ticket(s) from Arlene Blackstone or Charlotte Goebel.

For Your Calendar:

Sunday, May 15, 5:30 p.m.

Evening Service

Tuesday, May 17, 5:00 p.m.

Catechism Club

Tuesday, May 17, 5:30 p.m.

Session Meeting

Wednesday, May 18, 9:30 a.m.

Ladies' Weekly Bible Study

Wednesday, May 18, 5:00 p.m.

Youth and Missionary Book Club

Thursday, May 19, 6:00 a.m.

Carpenter's Apprentices

Thursday, May 19, 11:00 a.m.

Food Ministry