



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, May 26, 2024 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 26, 2024 10:15 a.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

"I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come? My help comes from the Lord,
who made heaven and earth."

(Psalm 121:1-2)

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*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

READING OF SCRIPTURE
Matthew 25:1-30

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses,
according to the riches of his grace.”

(Ephesians 1:7)

***HYMN #164**

“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer’s praise,
The glories of my God and King, the triumphs of His grace.

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim,
To spread through all the earth abroad, The honors of thy name.

Jesus, The name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease;
'Tis music in the sinner’s ears, 'Tis life and health and peace.

He breaks the pow’r of reigning sin, He sets the prisoner free;
His blood can make the foulest clean, His blood availed for me.

He speaks and, list’ning to his voice, new life the dead receive;
The mournful, broken hearts rejoice; the humble poor believe.

Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, your loosen’d tongues employ;
Ye blind, behold your Savior come; and leap, ye lame, for joy.

***CONFESSION OF FAITH
WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM #31-32**

Pastor: What is effectual calling?

All: Effectual calling is the work of God’s Spirit, whereby, convincing us of our sin and misery, enlightening our minds in the knowledge of Christ, and renewing our wills, He doth persuade and enable us to embrace Jesus Christ, freely offered to us in the gospel.

Pastor: What benefits do they that are effectually called partake of in this life?

All: They that are effectually called do in this life partake of justification, adoption, sanctification, and the several benefits which, in this life, do either accompany or flow from them.

OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING

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

**THE READING OF SCRIPTURE
THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD**

**DEUTERONOMY 4:1-14
REV. TIM ROTT**

“Keeping Covenant”

What Is a Covenant?

Two Major or Overarching Covenants

The Mosaic Covenant

The New Covenant

Keeping Covenant

***HYMN OF RESPONSE #12**

“Exalt the Lord, His Praise Proclaim”

Exalt the Lord, his praise proclaim; all ye his servants, praise his name,
Who in the Lord’s house ever stand and humbly serve at his command.
The Lord is good, his praise proclaim; since it is pleasant, praise his name;
His people for his own he takes and his peculiar treasure makes.

I know the Lord is high in state, above all gods our Lord is great;
The Lord performs what he decrees, in heav’n and earth, in depths and seas.
He makes the vapors to ascend in clouds from earth’s remotest end;
The lightnings flash at his command; He holds the tempest in his hand.

Exalt the Lord, his praise proclaim; all ye his servants, praise his name,
Who in the Lord’s house ever stand and humbly serve at his command.
Forever praise and bless his name, and in the church his praise proclaim;
In Zion is his dwelling place; praise ye the Lord, show forth his grace.

***THE BENEDICTION**

“May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing,
so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.”

(Romans 15:13)

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.

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."

Bahamas Missions Trip

Thank you so much for your overwhelming financial support in helping to send our team to the Bahamas this summer! If you are still looking for ways to help send our team, an Amazon registry has been created for the required supplies that we'll be bringing with us. As always, please be praying for us in our preparations.

<https://www.amazon.com/registries/g1/guest-view/3W10A1MTXJMTT>



Ladies' Prayer and Praise | Saturday, June 22| 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Mark your calendars for June 22nd. More details are to come.

For Your Calendar:

TONIGHT 5:30 p.m.
Evening Service

Friday, May 31, 9:00 a.m.
Food Ministry

Thursday, May 30, 6:00 a.m.
Carpenters Apprentices