

# *Westminster Presbyterian Church*

*The Lord's Day, June 13, 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.*

# The Lord's Day

*June 13, 2021 10:15 a.m.*

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## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

“Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength. Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness. The voice of the LORD is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over many waters. The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.”

*(Psalm 29:1-4)*

### **\*HYMN OF PRAISE #598**

#### ***“Guide Me O Great Jehovah”***

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land;  
I am weak, but Thou art mighty; hold me with Thy pow’rful hand; Bread of heaven,  
Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more,  
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;  
Let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through;  
Strong Deliv’rer, strong Deliv’rer, be Thou still my strength and shield.  
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;  
Death of death, and hell’s destruction, land me safe on Canaan’s side;  
Songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to Thee,  
I will ever give to Thee

### **\*PRAYER OF ADORATION & CONFESSION**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed.”

*(1 Peter 2:24)*

**READING OF SCRIPTURE**

Matthew 17:1-13

**\*HYMN #140**

***“O Word of God Incarnate”***

O Word of God Incarnate, O Wisdom from on high,  
O Truth unchanged, unchanging, O light of our dark sky;  
we praise thee for the radiance that from the hallowed page,  
a lantern to our footsteps shines on from age to age.

The church from her dear Master received the gift divine,  
and still that light she lifteth o'er all the earth to shine.  
It is the golden casket, where gems of truth are stored;  
it is the heav'n-drawn picture of Christ, the living Word.

It floateth like a banner before God's host unfurled;  
it shineth like a beacon above the darkling world.  
It is the chart and compass that o'er life's surging sea,  
'mid mists and rocks and quicksands, still guides, O Christ, to thee.

O make thy church, dear Savior, a lamp of purest gold,  
to bear before the nations thy true light, as of old.  
O teach thy wand'ring pilgrims by this their path to trace,  
till, clouds and darkness ended, they see thee face to face.

**\*CONFESSION OF FAITH**

**HEIDELBERG CATECHISM #1**

**Pastor:** What is your only comfort in life and in death?

**All:** That I am not my own, but belong— body and soul, in life and in death— to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING

\*HYMN #75

*“O Father You are Sovereign”*

O Father, you are sovereign in all the worlds you made;  
Your mighty word was spoken and light and life obeyed.  
Your voice commands the seasons and bounds the ocean’s shore,  
Sets stars within their courses and stills the tempests’ roar.

O Father, you are sovereign in all affairs of man;  
No pow’rs of death or darkness can thwart Your perfect plan.  
All chance and change transcending, supreme in time and space,  
You hold your trusting children secure in your embrace.

O Father, you are sovereign the Lord of human pain,  
Transmuting earthly sorrows to gold of heav’nly gain.  
All evil over-ruling, as none but Conqu’ror could,  
Your love pursues its purpose — our souls’ eternal good.

O Father, you are sovereign! We see you dimly now,  
But soon before your triumph earth’s every knee shall bow.  
With this glad hope before us our faith springs up anew:  
Our sovereign Lord and Savior, we trust and worship you!

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

1 KINGS 19:1-18

REV. KNOX WHITE

*Elijah and the God who Answers: “Confidence in Times of Disappointment”*

What can comfort God’s people in times of disappointment?

-the Lord guides His people through times of disappointment

-the Lord draws near to His people in times of disappointment

-the Lord is still sovereign in times of disappointment

**\*SONG OF PREPARATION**

***“He Hideth My Soul” vv 1-2***

A wonderful Savior is Jesus my Lord, a wonderful Savior to me;  
He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock, where rivers of pleasure I see.

*He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock that shadows a dry thirsty land;  
He hideth my life in the depths of His love and covers me there with His hand,  
And covers me there with His hand.*

A wonderful Savior is Jesus my Lord He taketh my burden away.  
He holdeth me up and I shall not be moved; He giveth me strength as my day.

*Chorus*

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

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

**\*SONG OF THANKSGIVING**

***“He Hideth My Soul” vv 3-4***

With numberless blessings each moment He crowns; And filled with His fullness divine,  
I sing in my rapture, “Oh glory to God For such a Redeemer as mine!”

*He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock that shadows a dry thirsty land;  
He hideth my life in the depths of His love and covers me there with His hand,  
And covers me there with His hand.*

When clothed in His brightness transported I rise to meet Him in clouds of the sky;  
His perfect salvation His wonderful love I'll shout with the millions on high

*Chorus*

**\* THE BENEDICTION**

“The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.”

*(2 Corinthians 13:14)*

*\*the communion bread is gluten free*

# 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 Open:** The church nursery is now open for Sunday School at 9:00a.m. and the morning worship service at 10:15 a.m.

## For Your Calendar:

**Sunday, June 13, 5:30 p.m.**  
Evening Service

**Thursday, June 17, 6:00 a.m.**  
No Carpenter's Apprentices