



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, June 30, 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

June 30, 2024 10:15 a.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!
Let your glory be over all the earth!”
(Psalm 57:5)

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*SONG OF PRAISE

“May the Peoples Praise You”

You have called us out of darkest night, into Your glorious light,
That we may sing the wonders of the risen Christ.
May our every breath retell the grace that broke into our strife
With boundless love and deepest joy, with endless life.

*May the peoples praise You, let the nations be glad!
All Your blessing comes that we may praise, may praise the name of Jesus.*

All the earth is Yours and all within, each harvest is Your own,
And from Your hand we give to You, to make Christ known.
May the seeds of mercy grow in us for those who have not heard,
May songs of praise build lives of grace to spread Your Word.

Chorus

This our holy priv'lege to declare Your praises and Your Name
To every nation, tribe and tongue Your church proclaim.

Chorus

Holy, Holy, is the Lord Almighty. Worthy, worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Holy, Holy is the Lord Almighty. All creation praise Your glorious Name.

Chorus x2

READING OF SCRIPTURE
Matthew 26:57-75

PRAYER OF 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)

***HYMN #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.

***CONFESSION OF FAITH
WSC Q. 39-41**

Pastor: What is the duty which God requireth of man?

All: The duty which God requireth of man, is obedience to his revealed will.

Pastor: What did God at first reveal to man for the rule of his obedience?

All: The rule which God at first revealed to man for his obedience, was the moral law.

Pastor: Wherein is the moral law summarily comprehended?

All: The moral law is summarily comprehended in the Ten Commandments.

OFFERTORY PRAYER, MUSIC, & OFFERING

SONG

“Reformation Song”

Your Word alone is solid ground; the mighty rock on which we build.
In ev’ry line the truth is found, and ev’ry page with glory filled.

Through faith alone we come to You. We have no merit we can claim.
Sure that Your promises are true, we place our hope in Jesus’ name.

Gloria, gloria, Glory to God alone! Gloria, Gloria, Glory to God alone!

In Christ alone we’re justified. His righteousness is all our plea,
Your law’s demands are satisfied. His perfect work has set us free.

By grace alone we have been saved. All that we are has come from You.
Hearts that were once by sin enslaved, now by Your pow’r have been made new.

Gloria, gloria, Glory to God alone! Gloria, Gloria, Glory to God alone! (repeat)

PASTORAL PRAYER

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

**JOHN 19:28-30
CHAPLAIN BRENT SADLER**

“Accomplished, Answered, and Applied”

***SONG OF RESPONSE**

“The Power of the Cross”

Oh to see the dawn of the darkest day Christ on the road to Calvary
Tried by sinful men torn and beaten then nailed to a cross of wood

*This the pow'r of the cross, Christ became sin for us
Took the blame bore the wrath, we stand forgiven at the cross*

Oh to see the pain written on Your face, bearing the awesome weight of sin
Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed, crowning Your bloodstained brow

Chorus

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath quakes as its maker bows His head
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life, “Finished!” the vict'ry cry

Chorus

Oh to see my name written in the wounds, for through Your suffering I am free
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live, won through Your selfless love

*This the pow'r of the cross, Son of God slain for us
What a life, what a cost, we stand forgiven at the cross*

***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)

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 www.wpc-pca.com and click on livestream.

STM Bahamas Update

We are only 13 days until our short-term mission's team leaves for Nassau, Bahamas! Our trip dates are July 13-20. Please be in prayer for us, the gospel seeds to land upon fertile soil, and for our whole trust and dependence to be upon God in our labors. As we abound in the work of the Lord, may our labor not be in vain (1 Cor 15:58)!

Vacation Bible School | July 29 - August 2 | 4:30pm - 7:00pm

It's that time of year again! VBS is almost here! Invite your neighbors and come join us the week of July 29th for a fun filled week of learning about our great God through the story of Joshua. VBS is for elementary aged children. VBS registration cards are in the narthex. For questions, please see Melissa.

Reinstitution of a Lord's Supper Offering

A few weeks ago the Session made the announcement that we would restart our tradition of collecting a donation for the poor following each Lord's Supper service. This has been a long-standing tradition in reformed churches and, in fact, the church for most of its history. Justin Martyr wrote the following in his First Apology, which serves as instructions for the offering for the poor collected at each Lord's Supper:

“For not as common bread and common drink do we receive these; but in like manner as Jesus Christ our Saviour... And they who are well to do, and willing, give what each thinks fit; and what is collected.. [for those] who succours the orphans and widows and those who, through sickness or any other cause, are in want, and those who are in bonds and the strangers sojourning among us, and in a word takes care of all who are in need.”

Starting Sunday July 7, and continuing for a few months, we will be collecting for Hope for the Hungry, a Christian organization whose mission is to aid the poor and hungry of Haiti and the Dominican Republic. For additional information, visit <https://hopeforthehungryec.com/#aboutus> Later this fall and periodically thereafter, we will change to a new organization or collect for our own Mercy Ministries as the need arises.

As the Lord leads each of you, we encourage you to give to help those in need. Thank you,

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Jason Belcher

For Your Calendar:

TONIGHT 5:30 p.m.
Evening Service

Thursday, July 4, 6:00 a.m.
No Carpenters Apprentices

Friday, July 5, 9:00 a.m.
Food Ministry