



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, June 4, 2023 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

June 4, 2023 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Blessed be the Lord, who daily bears us up; God is our salvation.”

(Psalm 68:19)

*HYMN OF PRAISE #6

“O Come, My Soul, Bless Thou the Lord”

Psalm 103

O come, my soul, bless thou the Lord thy Maker,
and all within me bless his holy name;
bless thou the Lord, forget not all his mercies,
his pard'ning grace and saving love proclaim.

Refrain:

*Bless him forever, wondrous in might,
bless him, his servants that in his will delight.*

Good is the Lord and full of kind compassion,
most slow to anger, plenteous in love;
rich is his grace to all that humbly seek him,
boundless and endless as the heav'ns above. *[Refrain]*

His love is like a father's to his children,
tender and kind to all who fear his name;
for well he knows our weakness and our frailty,
he knows that we are dust, he knows our frame. *[Refrain]*

We fade and die like flow'rs that grow in beauty,
like tender grass that soon will disappear;
but evermore the love of God is changeless,
still shown to those who look to him in fear. *[Refrain]*

High in the heav'ns his throne is fixed forever,
his kingdom rules o'er all from pole to pole;
bless ye the Lord through all his wide dominion,
bless his most holy name, O thou my soul. *[Refrain]*

***PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.”

(Romans 10:9-10)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

Proverbs 15:1-33

***SONG**

“In The Valley (Bless The Lord)”

When the path that I feared is the way He has set
and I long to give in and retreat. Still to Jesus I hold
as I face every step for the Lord He will give me His peace.

*Bless the Lord He will give me His peace. Bless the Lord He will give me His peace.
And if I should remain in the valley today, bless the Lord He will give me His peace.*

When the road that I tread fills my heart with despair
and it seems that my grief has no end. Still to Jesus I hold
who will walk with me there and the Lord He will give me His strength.

*Bless the Lord He will give me His strength. Bless the Lord He will give me His strength.
And if I should remain in the valley today, bless the Lord He will give me His strength.*

On the road that You walked with the weight of the cross
all my pain and my sorrow You held. So to You I shall hold
you redeem every loss for my Lord You have given Yourself.

*Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself. Bless the Lord for he gives me Himself.
And if I should remain in the valley today, bless the Lord for He gives me Himself.*

*Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself. Bless the Lord for he gives me Himself.
And if I should remain in the valley today, bless the Lord for He gives me Himself.
Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself.*

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

1 THESSALONIANS 5:12-15

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

REV. CHAD WATKINS

“A Noble Task”

The Elder’s Work

The Elder's Honor

The Elder's Legacy

***HYMN OF RESPONSE #465** *“Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord”*

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord, grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt!
Yonder on Calvary’s mount outpoured there where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

*Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that will pardon and cleanse within,
Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that is greater than all our sin!*

Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold, threaten the soul with infinite loss;
Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold points to the Refuge, the mighty cross.

*Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that will pardon and cleanse within,
Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that is greater than all our sin!*

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide, what can avail to wash it away?
Look! there is flowing a crimson tide; whiter than snow you may be today.

*Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that will pardon and cleanse within,
Grace, grace, God’s grace, grace that is greater than all our sin!*

***THE BENEDICTION**

“The LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.”
(Numbers 6:24-26)

WPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Officer Nominations Close on June 25, 2023

VBS July 31st - August 4th 4:30pm - 7pm

It's that time of year again! Mark your calendars for Vacation Bible School at WPC! This year we will be going through the first part of the book of Exodus and how God delivers His people.

Volunteers are needed! Please see Melissa for more information about how to help with VBS.

Registration for VBS for 4yr through 5th grade (completed) will begin on June 4th.

Carpenter's Apprentice | Thursdays at 6:00 a.m.

Mini Summer Break: June 15 - July 6. Will Resume July 13.

Carpenter's Apprentice is a weekly men's discipleship group that meets every Thursday morning at 6:00AM at the Breakfast Place on Beal Parkway. A new study has recently been started using the book, "Bringing the Gospel Home: Witnessing to Family Members, Close Friends, and Others Who Know You Well," by Randy Newman. Our study is being led by Chaplain Daniel Call. See Lyndon Poff for a book or pick one up at the meeting.

Bahamas Mission Trip Registry

The short-term mission's trip to the Bahamas will take place July 1-6. In partnership with MTW and Covenant Life Presbyterian Church, we will host a children's summer camp at a grade-school in a poor neighborhood of Nassau called Yellow Elder. The camp involves teaching children literacy, teaching from the New City Catechism, fun science projects, Christian music and recreation. Plans and preparations are well underway both with our team going from WPC and with MTW in the Bahamas. We are expecting around 100 children to attend this week-long camp.

In this final stretch of preparations, you have an opportunity to reach out in a meaningful way to these children by participating with the gathering of supplies needed for the camp. An on-line registry with Amazon has been created so church members can donate items that will be used for the benefit of the children to whom we will be ministering. Please check out our registry using the QR code provided and prayerfully consider donating an item. Any items still on the registry by June 25th will be purchased using short-term missions funding.

For Your Calendar:

TONIGHT 5:30 p.m.
Evening Service

Thursday, June 8, 9:00 a.m.
Food Ministry

Thursday, June 8, 6:00 a.m.
Carpenter's Apprentice