



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, July 23, 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

July 23, 2023 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth.”
(John 4:23-24)

*HYMN OF PRAISE #57

“Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul” *Psalm 146*

Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, O my soul, Jehovah praise;
I will sing the glorious praises of my God through all my days.
Put no confidence in princes, nor for help on man depend;
He shall die, to dust returning, and his purposes shall end.

Happy is the man that chooses Israel's God to be his aid;
He is blessed whose hope of blessing on the Lord his God is stayed.
Heav'n and earth the Lord created, seas and all that they contain;
He delivers from oppression, righteousness he will maintain.

Food he daily gives the hungry, sets the mourning pris'ner free,
Raises those bowed down with anguish, makes the sightless eye to see.
Well Jehovah loves the righteous, and the stranger he befriends,
Helps the fatherless and widow, judgment on the wicked sends.

Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, O my soul, Jehovah praise;
I will sing the glorious praises of my God through all my days.
Over all God reigns forever, through all ages he is King;
Unto him, your God, O Zion, joyful hallelujahs sing.

***PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.
For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.”
(Romans 8:1-2)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

Proverbs 22:1-29

***SONG**

“Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor”

Christ the sure and steady anchor in the fury of the storm
When the winds of doubt blow through me and my sails have all been torn
In the suffering in the sorrow when my sinking hopes are few
I will hold fast to the anchor, it shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor while the tempest rages on
When temptation claims the battle and it seems the night has won
Deeper still then goes the anchor though I justly stand accused
I will hold fast to the anchor, it shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor through the floods of unbelief
Hopeless somehow, O my soul now, lift your eyes to Calvary
This my ballast of assurance: see His love forever proved
All my hope is in the anchor, it shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor as we face the wave of death
When these trials give way to glory, as we draw our final breath
We will cross that great horizon, clouds behind and life secured
And the calm will be the better for the storms that we endure

Christ the shore of our salvation, ever faithful ever true
We will hold fast to the anchor, it shall never be removed.

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

JOSHUA 3:1-17

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

REV. CLIF DANIELL

“Crossing Jordan’s Banks”

Yahweh’s Message (1-6)

Yahweh's Method (7-13)

Yahweh's Manner (14-17)

***SONG OF PREPARATION**

“On Jordan’s Stormy Banks I Stand”

On Jordan’s stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye
To Canaan’s fair and happy land, where my possessions lie.
All o’er those wide extended plains shines one eternal day;
There God the Son forever reigns and scatters night away.

*I am bound (I am bound), I am bound (I am bound), I am bound for the promised land
I am bound (I am bound), I am bound (I am bound), I am bound for the promised land*

No chilling winds nor poisonous breath can reach that healthful shore;
Sickness and sorrow, pain and death are felt and feared no more.

Chorus

When shall I reach that happy place, and be forever blest?
When shall I see my Father’s face, and in His bosom rest?

Chorus

THE LORD’S SUPPER INSTRUCTION AND EXHORTATION

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER*

***HYMN OF THANKSGIVING #731**

“Doxology”

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

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)

**the communion bread is gluten free*

WPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Calendar Date Change:

Covered Dish Luncheon & Bahamas Short Term Mission Trip Report

On August 20th, immediately after Sunday morning service, the Bahamas Short Term Mission's team invites you to a covered dish luncheon where we will give a report to the congregation about our recent trip to the Bahamas. We are asking each family that attends to bring one large family-sized side dish. The entree meat and dessert will be provided by the Missions Committee. Please mark your calendars.

VBS Registration is open! July 31st - August 4th, 4:30pm - 7:00pm

Please register by Wednesday, July 26th to reserve a spot.

To register, please contact the church office, or Melissa!

For Your Calendar:

Thursday, July 27, 6:00 a.m.
Carpenters Apprentice

Friday, July 28, 9:00 a.m.
Food Ministry

Thursday, July 27, 6:30 p.m.
Missions Meeting