



# Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

*The Lord's Day, July 6, 2025 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 6, 2025 5:30 p.m.

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## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!  
For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.”  
*(Psalm 95:6-7)*

### \*HYMN OF PRAISE #108

### *“Whate’er My God Ordains is Right”*

Whate’er my God ordains is right: his holy will abideth;  
I will be still whate’er he doth, and follow where he guideth.  
He is my God: though dark my road, he holds me that I shall not fall:  
wherefore to him I leave it all.

Whate’er my God ordains is right: he never will deceive me;  
he leads me by the proper path; I know he will not leave me.  
I take, content, what he hath sent; his hand can turn my griefs away,  
and patiently I wait his day.

Whate’er my God ordains is right: though now this cup, in drinking,  
may bitter seem to my faint heart, I take it, all unshrinking.  
My God is true; each morn anew sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart,  
and pain and sorrow shall depart.

Whate’er my God ordains is right: here shall my stand be taken;  
though sorrow, need, or death be mine, yet am I not forsaken.  
My Father’s care is round me there; he holds me that I shall not fall:  
and so to him I leave it all.

**\*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“Knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.”

*(1 Peter 1:18-19)*

**READING OF SCRIPTURE**

John 3:22-36

**\*SONG**

***“Before the Throne of God Above”***

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea;  
A great High Priest whose name is love, who ever lives and pleads for me.  
My name is graven on His hands; My name is written on His heart.  
I know that while in heav’n He stands, no tongue can bid me thence depart,  
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of my guilt within  
Upward I look and see Him there, who made an end of all my sin.  
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free.  
For God, the Just, is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me,  
To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there the risen Lamb, my perfect spotless, Righteousness.  
The great unchangeable I Am, the King of Glory and of grace.  
One with Himself, I cannot die. My soul is purchased by His blood.  
My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my Savior and my God,  
With Christ my Savior and my God.

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

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

**PSALM 63:1-8  
REV. CILAS MENEZES**

**“From Thirst to Fulness”**

A fervent longing for God fuels our pursuit of God

A fervent longing for God springs from beholding His glory

A fervent longing for God culminates in satisfaction in God

**\*PSALM OF RESPONSE**

***“Psalm 63”***

God, thee, my God, I'll early seek; my soul's athirst for thee.  
On dry land, weary, waterless, my flesh has longed for Thee.

Thus have I looked for thee before within thy holy place  
that there I might behold thy strength and glory of thy face.

Because thy grace is more than life my lips thee praise shall give;  
I in Thy name will lift my hands and bless thee while I live.

My soul with rich, abundant food shall be well satisfied;  
with shouts of joy upon my lips my mouth shall praise provide.

And when I turn my thought to thee upon my bed at night,  
as watches pass I meditate on thee with great delight.

Thou art my help; I sing for joy in shadow of Thy wings.  
For Thy right hand has held me fast; to thee my spirit clings.

But they go down to depths of earth who would my soul destroy;  
they are delivered to the sword for jackals to enjoy.

The king shall then rejoice in God and all that by Him swear;  
for stopped shall be the mouths of those who do a lie declare.

**\*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

## **Carpenter's Apprentices**

Carpenter's Apprentices (CA) is a men's study group that meets at The Breakfast Place back room from 6:00 a.m.-7:00 a.m. on Thursdays. The new study will start this coming Thursday, July 10. You are invited to join us. The group will be starting a new book titled "Ecclesiastes: Life In A Fallen World" by Benjamin Shaw. The author summarizes the message of the book as follows, "As one who believes in the God of the Bible, what may I expect from life in a fallen world and how am I to live as a redeemed person in a fallen world?" If you have any questions, please see Earl Smith or Al Cannin.

## **VBS | July 21-25 | 4:30p.m. -7:00 p.m.**

VBS is quickly approaching! Sign up today by contacting Melissa or calling the church office. VBS is for all 1st - 5th graders and for 4y.o.- 5y.o.members and their friends and families.

## **VBS Local Outreach | July 16, 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.**

We will be passing out VBS flyers to families in the surrounding neighborhood. Flyers will be passed out on July 16 from 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Meet at church on the dates listed above to help pass out VBS flyers. Please RSVP with Landon or Melissa by Tuesday, July 15.

## **GA Update Lunch and Chili Competition | July 13**

Want to know the highlights of the PCA's General Assembly? Join us for lunch following the morning worship service on Sunday, July 13. Please bring your best chili to share! The one voted best chili will win a prize!

### **For Your Calendar:**

**Thursday, July 10, 6:00 a.m.**  
Carpenter's Apprentices

**Friday, July 11, 9:00 a.m.**  
Food Ministry

**July 21-25, 4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**  
VBS