



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, August 17, 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

August 17, 2025 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD, O my soul!
I will praise the LORD as long as I live;
I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.”
(Psalm 146:1-2)

*HYMN OF PRAISE #546

“The Sands Of Time Are Sinking”

The sands of time are sinking, the dawn of heaven breaks,
the summer morn I've sighed for, the fair sweet morn awakes;
dark, dark hath been the midnight, but dayspring is at hand,
and glory, glory dwelleth in Emmanuel's land.

The King there in his beauty without a veil is seen;
it were a well-spent journey, though sev'n deaths lay between:
the Lamb with his fair army doth on Mount Zion stand,
and glory, glory dwelleth in Emmanuel's land.

O Christ, he is the fountain, the deep sweet well of love!
The streams on earth I've tasted, more deep I'll drink above:
there to an ocean fullness his mercy doth expand,
and glory, glory dwelleth in Emmanuel's land.

The bride eyes not her garment, but her dear bridegroom's face;
I will not gaze at glory, but on my King of grace;
not at the crown he gifteth, but on his pierced hand:
the Lamb is all the glory of Emmanuel's land.

***PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“But the law is not of faith, rather ‘The one who does them shall live by them.’
Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written,
‘Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree’—so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might
come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.”
(Galatians 3:12-14)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

John 5:30-47

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

JUDGES 11:29-12:7

REV. CHAD WATKINS

“A Salvation Stained by Sin”

Foolish Vow

Foolish Pride

Arise, my soul, arise, shake off your guilty fears:
the bleeding Sacrifice in my behalf appears:
before the throne my Surety stands,
before the throne my Surety stands, my name is written on his hands.

He ever lives above, for me to intercede,
his all-redeeming love, his precious blood to plead;
his blood atoned for ev'ry race, his blood atoned for ev'ry race,
and sprinkles now the throne of grace.

Five bleeding wounds he bears, received on Calvary;
they pour effectual prayers, they strongly plead for me.
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry, "forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"nor let that ransomed sinner die!"

My God is reconciled; his pard'ning voice I hear;
he owns me for his child, I can no longer fear;
with confidence I now draw nigh, with confidence I now draw nigh,
and "Father, Abba, Father!" cry.

OFFICER INSTALLATION

Elder:

Darrin Lyon Sr.

Deacon:

Bryan Beard

***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

The session will open up nominations for the offices of ruling elder and deacon beginning Sunday, August 24th. Nominations will remain open until Sunday, September 28th. Please be in prayer about nominating men to serve in these important roles in our church. More information about how to think about and prepare to nominate a man for office will be coming out in the week ahead.

NextGen | Beginning Wednesday, August 20

6th-12th graders are welcome to join our church's youth group on Wednesdays from 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. If you have questions or are interested in volunteering, please contact Landon or Melissa.

For Your Calendar:

Wednesday, August 20, 5:30 p.m.
NextGen

Friday, August 22, 9:00 a.m.
Food Ministry

Thursday, August 21, 6:00 a.m.
Carpenter's Apprentice