



Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, August 27, 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

August 27, 2023 5:30 p.m.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Shout for joy to God, all the earth;
sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!
Say to God, ‘How awesome are your deeds!
So great is your power that your enemies come cringing to you.
All the earth worships you and sings praises to you;
they sing praises to your name.’”
(Psalm 66:1-4)

*HYMN OF PRAISE #32

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;
there is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;
as Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
to Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Chorus

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

Chorus

***PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

“If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins
and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”
(1 John 1:8-9)

READING OF SCRIPTURE

Proverbs 27:1-27

***HYMN #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!*

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

2 THESSALONIANS 1:1-5

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

REV. CHAD WATKINS

“Signs of Life”

***HYMN OF PREPARATION #427 “Amidst Us Our Beloved Stands” vv. 1-3**

Amidst us our Beloved stands, and bids us view his pierced hands;
Points to the wounded feet and side, blest emblems of the crucified

What food luxurious loads the board, when at his table sits the Lord!
The wine how rich, the bread how sweet, when Jesus deigns the guests to meet!

If now, with eyes defiled and dim, we see the signs, but see not him;
O may his love the scales displace, and bid us see him face to face!

THE LORD’S SUPPER INSTRUCTION AND EXHORTATION

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER*

***HYMN OF THANKSGIVING #427 “Amidst Us Our Beloved Stands” v. 4**

O glorious Bridegroom of our hearts, your present smile a heav’n imparts!
O lift the veil, if veil there be, let every saint your glory see!

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)

**the communion bread is gluten free*

WPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Inmate Bible Study Graders Needed

Okaloosa County Jail has informed WPC about the growing need for inmate's Bible Study Graders. Each study will take about 1.5 hours to pray over, correct, and offer comments. Answer keys and training will be provided.

Kindly contact Arleen Blackstone text 850-586-1537 or ablacks657@aol.com.

All adults are welcome to volunteer.

For Your Calendar:

Thursday, August 31, 6:00 a.m.

Carpenter's Apprentice

Friday, September 1, 9:00 a.m.

Food Ministry

Thursday, August 31, 6:30 p.m.

Missions Meeting