

# Westminster

Presbyterian Church, PCA

The Lord's Day, August 7, 2022 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 7, 2022 5:30 p.m.

#### GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### \*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

"Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness."

(Psalm 29:1-2)

#### \*Hymn of Praise #65

# "Before Jehovah's Awesome Throne"

Before Jehovah's awesome throne, all nations, bow with sacred joy; know that the Lord is God alone, he can create, and he destroy he can create, and he destroy.

His sovereign pow'r without our aid, made us of dust and formed us men; and when like wand'ring sheep we strayed, he brought us to his fold again he brought us to his fold again.

We are his people, we his care, our souls and all our mortal frame: what lasting honors shall we rear, almighty Maker, to your name? almighty Maker, to your name?

We'll crowd your gates with thankful songs, high as the heav'ns our voices raise; and earth, with her ten thousand tongues, shall fill your courts with sounding praise shall fill your courts with sounding praise.

Wide as the world is your command, vast as eternity your love; firm as a rock your truth must stand, when rolling years shall cease to move when rolling years shall cease to move.

#### \*Prayer of Adoration and Confession

#### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

"For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God."

(2 Corinthians 5:21)

#### READING OF SCRIPTURE

Ezra 6:13-22

#### \*Song

# "Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity, love, and pow'r.

I will arise and go to Jesus, He will embrace me in His arms; In the arms of my dear Savior, O, there are ten thousand charms.

Come, ye thirsty, come, and welcome; God's free bounty glorify; True belief and true repentance, every grace that brings you nigh.

Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream; All the fitness He requireth is to feel your need of Him.

#### Chorus

Come, ye weary, heavy laden, lost and ruined by the fall; If you tarry till you're better, you will never come at all.

#### Chorus

View Him prostrate in the garden; on the ground your Maker lies; On the bloody tree behold Him; sinner, will this not suffice?

Lo! Th' incarnate God ascended, pleads the merit of his blood: Venture on him, venture wholly, let no other trust intrude.

Chorus

## PASTORAL PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE
THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

PSALM 33
REV. CHAD WATKINS

"The Omnipotence of God"

The Almighty God

The Power of Christ

God's Power at Work in You

### \*Hymn of Response #295 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne; Hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own: Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee, And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of love: behold His hands and side Rich wounds, yet visible above in beauty glorified:

No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
But downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.

Crown Him the Lord of peace; whose pow'r a scepter sways
From pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and praise:
His reign shall know no end; and round his pierced feet
Fair flow'rs of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown Him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time; Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime: All hail, Redeemer, hail! For thou hast died for me: Thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.

#### 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)

# **WPC** Announcements

**Inquirer's Class:** Are you considering joining Westminster? New to Reformed theology or Presbyterianism? Looking to get to know the leadership of our church? Come join us for an Inquirer's Class on Sunday mornings, during the Sunday school hour (9-10am) August 7 - September 11. This class will be co-taught by all of our elders and will cover the basics of our church's theology and philosophy of ministry.

Class is also open those considering membership, current members who may have missed portions of earlier Inquirer's classes or who simply want to brush up on these basics, or long-time members who want to heckle the elders during class (just kidding).

Communicants Class: Starting in September, our church will be offering a Communicants Class. This class is designed to help prepare the children of our church to make a public profession of faith and to be examined for communicant membership. The class will be held every other Sunday afternoon for a 12 week period. Children will complete a workbook which covers the basics of the Christian faith, as well as the basics of church membership.

If you believe that your child is ready to make a profession, please talk to Pastor Knox about getting a book.

#### For Your Calendar:

Monday, August 8, 6:30 p.m.

Diaconate Meeting

Thursday, August 11, 6:00 a.m.

Carpenter's Apprentice

Tuesday, August 9, 5:30 p.m.

Session Meeting

Thursday, August 11, 11:00 a.m.

Food Ministry