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# Westminster

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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*The vision of Westminster Presbyterian is to know God in his glory, grow in grace together, and show the Gospel of Jesus Christ to our community and beyond.*

# A Service for the Worship of God

## February 4, 2024

### Welcome and Announcements

#### Prelude

*My Jesus, Fair* • Chris Anderson and Greg Habegger  
Mary Davidson

#### \*Call to Worship

Based on Psalm 23 • Rev. Trevor Downie

The LORD is our shepherd; We shall not want.  
He makes us lie down in green pastures.  
He leads us beside still waters.  
He restores our souls.  
He leads us in paths of righteousness  
for his name's sake.

**Even though we walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
We will fear no evil,  
for you are with us;  
your rod and your staff,  
they comfort us.**

You prepare a table before us  
in the presence of our enemies;  
you anoint our heads with oil;  
our cup overflows.

**Surely goodness and mercy shall follow us  
all the days of our lives,  
and we shall dwell in the house of the LORD  
forever.**

### Announcements

Missions Conference • Saturday, February 10 • Sunday, February 11  
Diaper Drive • February 13 • Help needed • Call church office for details  
Congregational meeting • February 18

• **LARGE PRINT BULLETINS ARE  
AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX EACH WEEK** •

**See your weekend newsletter for additional details.**

January Financial Report	
Current Week's Income	\$11,534.52
Income MTD	\$32,766.76
Income YTD	\$32,766.76
Budgeted income YTD	\$44,739.58
Expenses MTD	\$40,163.23
Expenses YTD	\$40,163.23
Budgeted Expenses YTD	\$44,714.80
YTD Income over/(under) expenses	(\$7,396.47)

## Prayer Concerns

### The Church at Large

Presbytery • Fairview PC • Fountain Inn • Rev. Jonathan Williams

Denomination • Ridge Haven Conference Center • Rev. Cameron Anderson

Missionaries • Chinese at VA Tech • Stan and Jen Pawlowski

National and Regional Leadership

### Church Member Requests

Prodigal children

Monthly diaper drive-thru

Dennis Campbell • Continued strength and stamina

Eunice Edgeman, Pat Watt's mom • relief from pain

Hope Natiello • pain management

### Those Expecting

Sarah (Calvin) Mitchell • boy, due in May

Eliza (Wheeler) Smith • girl, due in July

Susan (Ben) Orr • girl, due in April

### \*Hymn of Adoration

*O Bless Our God with One Accord* (from Psalm 134) • Hymn 400

### \*Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

### Confession of Sin

#### Call to Confession • Exodus 20:8-11

“Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.”

#### Prayer of Confession

Please consider the following prayer of confession in the quiet of your mind and heart.

*Father, you have called upon us in your law to keep one whole day out of seven as holy to you, a Sabbath in which we rest from our earthly labors and give you public and private worship. We confess that we have not delighted in this rest nor in the worship of you as we should. Our hearts have gone after worldly things and we have often profaned the Lord's Day in thought, word, and deed. Renew our hearts by the grace of Christ that we might rejoice in the blessing of Sabbath keeping by resting from our labors, worshiping you, and doing works of mercy and necessity.*

### **Assurance of Pardon • Romans 5:8-11**

God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

### **\*Confession of Faith**

*"The Apostles' Creed" • Trinity Hymnal, rev. ed.*

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
and born of the virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended into hell.  
The third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.  
Amen.**

## **The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

### **The Invitation to the Table**

#### **The Words of Institution**

Mark 14:22-25

And as [Christ and his disciples] were eating, [Jesus] took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to them, and said, "Take; this is my body." And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, and they all drank of it. And he said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many. Truly, I say to you, I will not drink again of the fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God."

### **The Prayer of Consecration**

### **The Sharing of the Bread and the Cup**

### **The Prayer of Thanksgiving**

## **We Go Forth to Show the Gospel to Others**

### **\*Hymn of Praise**

*Gloria Patri • Hymn 735*

### **\*Benediction**

### **Postlude**

## \*Hymn of Response

*It Was Finished Upon That Cross* • Robinson, Thompson, Hendroff

How I love the voice of Jesus!  
On the Cross of Calvary,  
He declares his work is finished;  
He has spoken this hope to me.  
Though the sun had ceased its shining,  
Though the war appeared as lost,  
Christ had triumphed over evil.  
It was finished upon that Cross.

Now the curse, it has been broken.  
Jesus paid the price for me.  
Full the pardon He has offered,  
Great the welcome that I receive.  
Boldly I approach my Father,  
Clothed in Jesus' righteousness.  
There is no more guilt to carry,  
It was finished upon that Cross.

Death was once my great opponent,  
Fear once had a hold on me;  
But the Son who died to save us  
Rose that we would be free indeed.  
Yes, He rose that we would be free indeed;  
Free from ev'ry plan of darkness,  
Free to live and free to love.  
Death is dead and Christ is risen,  
It was finished upon that Cross.

Onward to eternal glory,  
To my Saviour and my God.  
I rejoice in Jesus' victory,  
It was finished upon that Cross!  
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## Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

*'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus* • William J. Kirkpatrick  
Marshall Davidson

## Congregational Prayer

with "The Lord's Prayer"

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;  
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.  
Amen.**

## \*Song of Preparation

*How Deep the Father's Love for Us* • Stuart Townend

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure,  
That He should give His only Son, to make a wretch His treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss; the Father turns His face away,  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory

Behold the man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders.  
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.  
It was my sin that held Him there, until it was accomplished.  
His dying breath has brought me life. I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything; no gifts, no power, no wisdom.  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer.  
But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom

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# **We Receive the Word to Grow in Grace Together**

Notes:

**Scripture Reading** • Rev. Chad Reynolds

Joel 2:1-11

**Sermon**

A Warning of Judgment

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