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Pastor • Chad Reynolds
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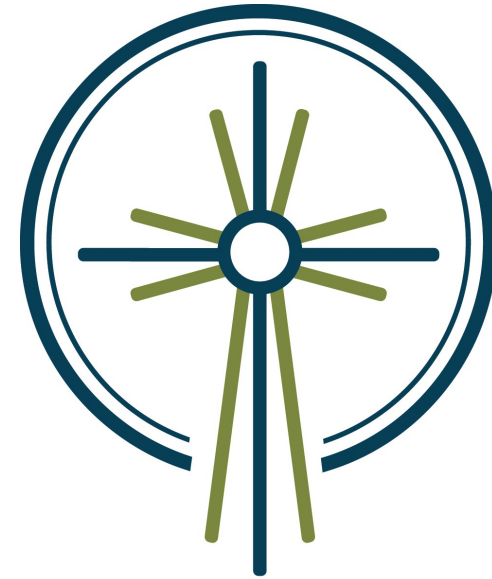
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Know • Grow • Show



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

May 26, 2024

We Gather to Know God in His Glory

Announcements • Rev. Chad Reynolds

Prelude

Nothing but the Blood • James Koerts
Nancy Bruyere Sperling

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
Oh precious is the flow that makes me white as snow.
No other fount I know; nothing but the blood of Jesus.

This is all my hope and peace; nothing but the blood of Jesus.
This is all my righteousness; nothing but the blood of Jesus.
Oh precious is the flow that makes me white as snow.
No other fount I know; nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Announcements

Save the dates for Summer children's events

June 26 • July 3 • July 17 • August 10

See your weekend newsletter for additional details.



RSVP to williammarydavidson@gmail.com

May Financial Report

Current Week's Income	\$6,677.00
Income MTD	\$26,250.96
Income YTD	\$183,832.11
Budgeted income YTD	\$209,908.92
Expenses MTD	\$21,794.40
Expenses YTD	\$179,012.25
Budgeted Expenses YTD	\$209,827.02
YTD Income over/(under) expenses	\$4,819.86

Prayer Concerns

The Church at Large

Presbytery • Reidville PC
Denomination • Mission to the World • Dr. Lloyd Kim
Missionaries • Scotland • Keith and Rachel Knowlton
Campus Outreach • Leadership Project
National and Regional Leadership

Church Member Requests

Beth Miller, former member • effective response to rehab regimen
Calvin and Sarah (Downie) Mitchell • adjustment to parenthood
Eunice Edgeman, Pat Watt's mom • relief from pain
Tom Lyon • effective treatment regimen
Dennis Campbell • complete recovery
Iva Cadmus • effective outcome from new cardiac meds
Hope Natiello • complete recovery from latest surgery
Prodigal children

Those Expecting

Eliza (Wheeler) Smith • girl, due in July
Jordan (Thomas) Orr • due in September
Lily (Davis) Riggs • due in September
Liz (Seth) Ledford • due in October

*Call to Worship

Based on Psalm 36:5-9 • Rev. Trevor Downie

Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the clouds.

**Your righteousness is like the mountains of God;
your judgments are like the great deep;
man and beast you save, O LORD.**

How precious is your steadfast love, O God!
The children of mankind take refuge in the shadow of your wings.
They feast on the abundance of your house,
and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

**For with you is the fountain of life;
in your light do we see light.**

*Hymn of Adoration

Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah (Psalm 148:1-13) • Hymn 110

*Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Confession of Sin

Fruit of the Spirit • Faithfulness

Call to Confession • Luke 16:10-13

“One who is faithful in a very little is also faithful in much, and one who is dishonest in a very little is also dishonest in much. If then you have not been faithful in the unrighteous wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? And if you have not been faithful in that which is another's, who will give you that which is your own? No servant can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.”

Prayer of Confession

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

Heavenly Father, you have proven to your people time and again that you are trustworthy and faithful. All of your promises are fulfilled according to your will in your Son Jesus. We confess that we, though you have entrusted us with much, are too often unfaithful. We have proven that we are not, in and of ourselves, trustworthy with the time, material resources, abilities, and relationships that you have given to us to steward to your glory. Forgive us for all of the ways in which we have fallen short. Give us a longing for your Son and his way, so that we might delight in being faithful as he is faithful. Assure us that when we fail again and again, your faithfulness in Christ toward us prevails again and again. In Jesus name, amen.

Assurance of Pardon • 2 Timothy 2:11-13

The saying is trustworthy, for:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him;
if we endure, we will also reign with him;
if we deny him, he also will deny us;
if we are faithless, he remains faithful —
for he cannot deny himself.

NOTES:

We Go Forth to Show the Gospel to Others

*Hymn of Response

The Church's One Foundation (vs. 1-2, 5-6) • Hymn 347

*Benediction

Postlude

We Receive the Word to Grow in Grace Together

Scripture Reading

Matthew 16:13-23

Sermon

Knowing and Believing the Truth about Jesus

NOTES:

***Confession of Faith**

The Person of Jesus Christ the Son of God • *Westminster Confession of Faith, 8.1-2*

In his eternal purpose it pleased God to choose and ordain the Lord Jesus, his only begotten Son, to be the mediator between God and man. Jesus is the prophet, priest, and king, the head and savior of his church, the heir of all things, and judge of the world. From all eternity God gave him a people to be his seed and to be in time redeemed, called, justified, sanctified, and glorified by him.

The Son of God, the second person of the Trinity, is truly the eternal God, of one substance and equal with the Father. In the fullness of time he took on himself the nature of man, with all the essential qualities and ordinary frailties of man – except that he was sinless. Jesus was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Virgin Mary out of her substance. These two complete, perfect, and distinct natures, the Godhead and the manhood, were inseparably joined together in the one person of Jesus without being altered, disunited or jumbled. The person Jesus is truly God and truly man, yet one Christ, the only mediator between God and man.

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

The Majesty and Glory of Your Name • Tom Fettke
Choir

Congregational Prayer

*Songs of Preparation

Lift High the Name of Jesus • Cash, De Barra, Getty, and Getty

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our King.
Make known the power of His grace, the beauty of His peace.
Remember how His mercy reached and we cried out to Him.
He lifted us to solid ground, to freedom from our sin.

Oh sing my soul,
And tell all He's done,
Till the earth and heavens are filled with His glory!

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our Lord.
His power in us is greater than, is greater than this world.
To share the reason for our hope, to serve with love and grace,
That all who see Him shine through us might bring the Father praise.

Oh sing my soul,
And tell all He's done
Till the earth and heavens are filled with His glory!

Lift high the name of Jesus, of Jesus our Light.
No other name on earth can save, can raise a soul to life.
He opens up our eyes to see the harvest He has grown.
We labor in His fields of grace as He leads sinners home.

Oh sing my soul,
And tell all He's done
Till the earth and heavens are filled with His glory!

O Church Arise • Stuart Townend and Keith Getty