

Westminster Prays

Mack Shieder	Chut Moody	Mary Ashley Barbot
Charlotte McPherson	Terry Garrett	Kristi Atkinson
David Keller	Esma Harris	Susan Odom
Martha Garrett	Jeff Reeves	Hannah Warren
Jerry Brown	Walter Russell	Matthew Lamb
Irene Grafton	Kalaila Martin	Robert Seiber
Lydia Crosby	Ruth Hewett	Jan Erickson
Tami Russell	Harold Fountain	Brittany Michael
Billy McCue	Dot Daniels	Nancy Smoak Penley
Josh Higgins	James Shumate	Rachel Mallard
Carol Walsh	Allene Baranes	Rebekah Broome
Gary Woods	Speck Daniels	Clif Green
Lisa Wilcox	Vern Norman	Jean Marie Pages
Vickie Kelly	David Morris IV	Terry Hall
Sally Minnick	Derek Fountain	Ladd Breatley
John Ligon	Carolyn Brunnick	Joyce Ulm
Jeny McCullough	Torrie Dingler	Bob MacInnes
Jordan Cassady	Bill Hamilton	Julia Moody
Beryldean Winter	Bob Foster	Marilyn Bardsley
Elliott Brouner	David Adams	Lilly Kate Cook
Gloria Purcell	Denise Park	Carolyn Drose
Arlene Peterson		

Serving in the Armed Forces

Jay Gilbert	Baxter Smoak	James Burnley	Robert Georgen
Lauren Smoak	David Ferguson	Andrew Krisel	Edward Stikeleather
Joshua Fincher	Ryan Depew	Tillman Reeves	Roy Selvidge
Cameron Motley	Justin Forte	Joe Campbell	Mike Mann
Jeremy Rundall	Patrick Lucas	Dylan Lewis	Kevin Griggs
Mike Cotham			

Friend of the Week

Shirley Kruger
920 Clairmont Ave
Decatur, GA 30030

Church Family

Rebecca Housley
Christopher, Mattie, Corbett
Harry and Joan Hutchins

Mission of the Week

Boy/Cub Scouts Troop 79
1157 Sam Rittenberg
Charleston, SC 29407

College Student of the Week

Collin Camburn
1802 Somerset Circle
Charleston, SC 29407

Prayer Request

Please complete and place in the offering plate.

Date _____

Please pray for _____

About _____

Should this request be listed in the bulletin? (permission of individuals required) Our prayer groups pray for publicized and non-publicized

names. Yes ___ No ___

Name of person making request _____

This Week at Westminster

Sunday, April 24

9:15 am Prayer Group, Pastor's office
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service, *Youth Sunday*
12:15 pm PW Luncheon and Fashion Show

Tuesday, April 26

9:55 am Staff Meeting, Pastor's Study
6:00 pm Youth Handbell Rehearsal
7:00 pm Handbell Rehearsal

Wednesday, April 27

6:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday
Church Family Dinner, Ham
6:30 pm Backpack Buddies, Covenant Hall
7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, May 1

9:15 am Prayer Group, Pastor's office
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service
12:00 pm Teacher Appreciation Reception
2:00 pm Club 56
5:00 pm Mid High Youth
6:00 pm Senior High Youth

WESTMINSTER SESSION

CLASS OF 2016 CLASS OF 2017 CLASS OF 2018

Allyn Bruce	Chris Camburn	Lindy Coleman
Mary Fulmer	Robert Dadin	Brad Earnst
Sara McCoy	Jim Frye	Priscilla Holtzclaw
David Morris	Donna Purcell	Mark Patrick
Debbie Redmon	Jerry Smoak	Charlie Powell
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Mrs. Alicia Crosby, Preschool Director

Mrs. Pam Smith, Preschool Assistant Director



WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WORSHIP ON THE LORD'S DAY

YOUTH SUNDAY

April 24, 2016

11:00 am



WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christopher Housley

PRELUDE

How Great Thou Art

ARTHUR FRACKENPOHI

Molly Kerr

SLIDE SHOW

♦ CALL TO WORSHIP

Isabel DelMastro

Leader: Today we recognize and celebrate the gift of love through family and friends.

People: As we gather together, Lord make us one.

Leader: One in you, Christ, as you have called us together in unity.

People: God bless and strengthen our friends, families, and loved ones, that we may exhibit the love you have taught us through your son, Jesus Christ.

Leader: Lord, your life and love is an ideal model for us all.

All: Teach us today to live in humility and love.

♦ INVOCATION

Isabel DelMastro

♦ HYMN NO. 465

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

CONVERSE

◆ PRAYER OF CONFESSION Emma Kerr

Heavenly Father,
We have gone our own way, not loving you as we ought, nor loving our friends as ourselves. We think we are doing well because we do love those friends close to us almost as much as we love ourselves... But what about those we don't know? What about those who are not fun and interesting but are different? We have failed to make opportunities to meet new friends and to broaden our circle of friends, knowing that this will give us opportunities to serve you. Help us to reach out to those we don't know so well... Plan a gathering, invite someone to coffee, have a party, join a class or bible study, or go on a mission trip. Help us remember that acts of kindness and service witness to your love. Help us to know our neighbors, not just their names, their children or their parents and their jobs, but to know their interests and their needs. The more we know and love our neighbors, the better we can serve you.

◆ SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

◆ ASSURANCE OF GOD'S PARDON Emma Kerr

◆ RESPONSE OF PRAISE Jesus Love Me

Jesus loves me still today
Walking with me on my way.
Wanting as a friend to give
Light and love to all who live
Yes, Jesus loves me.
Yes, Jesus loves me.
Yes, Jesus loves me,
For the bible tells me so.

◆ SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE Rachael Stokes

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.
Please greet your neighbor with the peace of Christ

TIME WITH CHILDREN Rachel Mallard and Grace Deavor

Children five years and younger are invited to go to Children's Church in the Sunday School building.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Phoebe Keene

SCRIPTURE LESSON Proverbs 17:17a Phoebe Keene

ANTHEM Here I Am, Lord DAN SCHUTTE
Youth Handbells

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 5:17-20 Kirkland Smith

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON Kirkland Smith, Phoebe Keene, Rachel Mallard, Mark Gore

◆ HYMN I've Found a Friend, O Such a Friend CONSTANCE

I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! He loved me ere I knew Him;
He drew me with the cords of love, And thus He bound me to Him.
And round my heart still closely twine Those ties which naught can sever,
For I am His, and He is mine, Forever and forever.

I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! He bled, He died to save me;
And not alone the gift of life, But His own self He gave me.
Naught that I have my own I call, I hold it for the Giver;
My heart, my strength, my life, my all, Are His, and His forever.

I've found a Friend, oh, such a Friend! So kind, and true, and tender,
So wise a Counsellor and Guide, So mighty a Defender!
From Him who loves me now so well, What power my soul can sever?
Shall life or death, or earth or hell? No? I am His forever.

◆ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Grace Deavor and Molly Kerr

Piano side: The communion of saints, called from the entire human family, is united by God.

Pulpit side: As the people of God, we love one another.

Piano side: We experience, practice, and pursue community with one another.

Pulpit side: We give ourselves willingly and joyfully to one another.

Piano side: We are a benefit and a blessing to one another.

Pulpit side: We share one faith and have one calling.

Piano side: We are one body, and are of one soul and mind.

Pulpit side: We have one God and father.

Piano side: We are filled with one spirit.

Pulpit side: We are baptized with one baptism.

Piano side: We eat of one bread and drink of one cup.

Pulpit side: We confess one name and are obedient to one Lord.

Piano side: We work for one cause and share one hope.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AJ Bednarczyk

THE LORD'S PRAYER AJ Bednarczyk

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy 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 thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen**

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS Abby Grace McLaughlin

OFFERTORY See, The Conquering Hero Comes GEORGE FRIDERIC HANDEL
Emma Kerr

◆ DOXOLOGY OLD HUNDRETH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

◆ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

◆ HYMN Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

**Refrain:
Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love;
show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.**

Kneels at the feet of his friends, silently washes their feet,
Master who acts as a slave to them. **(Refrain)**

Neighbors are wealthy and poor, varied in color and race;
neighbors are near us and far away. **(Refrain)**

These are the ones we should serve; these are the ones we should love;
all these are neighbors to us and you. **(Refrain)**

Loving puts us on our knees, willing to wash others' feet;
this is the way we should live like you. **(Refrain)**

Kneel at the feet of our friends, Silently washing their feet,
This is the way we should live with you. **(Refrain)**

"Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love" by Tom Colvin; arr. Jane Marshall
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◆ BENEDICTION Mark Gore

◆ BENEDICTORY RESPONSE Lean on Me
Isabel DelMastro and Youth Group

POSTLUDE All Hail, the Power of Jesus Name HOLDEN
Andrew Smoak

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Ushers today are Andrew Grayson, Matthew Butts,
David Butts, Christopher Housley.

Acolytes are Daniel Dounian and Jahmes Jones.

Children's Church volunteers are Audra Walters and Chaut Bruce.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in honor of Janie Bruce, by Cole and Abby Grace McLaughlin.