

Westminster Prays

Chut Moody	Kalaila Martin	Kathy Day
Hannah Warren	Lydia Crosby	Beryldean Winter
David Keller	Walter Russell	Dennis Kaeane
Bob Foster	Jan Erickson	Gene Lundgrin
Esmā Harris	Julia Moody	Elliott Brouner
Joe Smith	Dot Daniels	Bob Bean
Mildred Dewitt	Speck Daniels	Stacey Edge
Thomas Weir	John Oliver	Barbara Kinard
Patty Snider	JoAnn West	Jackie Dadin
Jane Small	Jack Eades	Liz Bull
Emily Campbell	Bob Georgen	Doris Jeter
Pat Coggins	Hunter Platt	Mary McAbee
Eleanor Grayson		

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	Mike Cotham
Cameron Motley	Justin Forte	Joe Campbell	Mike Mann
Jeremy Rundall	Patrick Lucas	Kevin Griggs	Kyle Dillon

Friend of the Week

Ethel Brabham
859 Trent Street
Charleston, SC 29414

Church Family

Barry and Debbie Baskin
Brett and Jenna Baskin
Scott and Jane Baskin

Mission of the Week

Mary Ford Elementary
3180 Thomasina Mcpherson Blvd.
North Charleston, SC 29405

College Student of the Week

Emily Gibson
13 South Campus Dr.
Bluffton, SC 29909

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) Yes ___ No ___

Name of person making request _____

Requests ordinarily remain on the prayer list for about a month.
Please keep us updated.

THIS WEEK AT WESTMINSTER

Sunday, February 5

8:45 am Worship Service
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service
12:00 pm Souper Bowl Sunday, Covenant Hall
2:00 pm Club 56
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Monday, February 6

6:00 pm Congregational Nominating Committee, Parlor
7:00 pm PW Circle 6, Audra Walter's home

Tuesday, February 7

10:00 am Staff meeting, Pastor's office
7:00 pm Handbell Choir

Wednesday, February 8

6:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday
Church Family Dinner— Spaghetti
7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Friday, February 10

10:00 am High School Youth Bethelwoods Retreat

Sunday, February 12

8:45 am Worship Service
9:45 am Sunday School
10:55 am Congregational Meeting
11:00 am Worship Service
12:00 pm Second Sunday Social Luncheon, Covenant Hall
3:00 pm Deacon's Day of Caring
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

WESTMINSTER SESSION

CLASS OF 2017

Chris Camburn
Robert Dadin
Jim Frye
Donna Purcell
Jerry Smoak
Patty Stokes

CLASS OF 2018

Lindy Coleman
Brad Earnst
Priscilla Holtzclaw
Mark Patrick
Charlie Powell
Carole Russell

CLASS OF 2019

Ann Froneberger
Johnnie Harvey
Nancy Parrish
Rita Livingston
Henry Shepard
Chuck Towne

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Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Smoak, Pastor

Mr. Robin Zemp, Director of Music

Mrs. Janie Bruce, Director of Children and Youth Ministries

Ms. Anne Camburn, Business Administrator

Mrs. Nita Rushton, Office Administrator

Mrs. Alicia Crosby, Preschool Director

Mrs. Pam Smith, Preschool Assistant Director



WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WORSHIP ON THE LORD'S DAY

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 5, 2017

11:00 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

A Festal Fanfare

VANDENMAN THOMPSON

◆CALL TO WORSHIP

FROM PSALM 8

Choir: (Singing) O Lord, our God, how excellent,
how glorious is your name.
Your majesty surrounds the earth,
and children sing your fame.

Leader: O Lord, our Lord, your majestic name fills the earth!
Your glory is higher than the heavens.

People: You have taught children and infants to tell of your strength, silencing your enemies and all who oppose you.

Leader: When I look at the night sky and see the work of your fingers— the moon and the stars you set in place— what are mere mortals that you should think about them, human beings that you should care for them?

People: Yet you made them only a little lower than God and crowned them with glory and honor.

Leader: You gave them charge of everything you made, putting all things under their authority— the flocks and the herds and all the wild animals, the birds in the sky, the fish in the sea, and everything that swims the ocean currents.

People: O Lord, our Lord, your majestic name fills the earth!

Choir: (Singing) O Lord, our God, how excellent,
how glorious is your name,
majestic in your holiness.
We sing and praise your fame.

◆INVOCATION

◆HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 12

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise ST. DENIO

◆PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, we need you to forgive our stubborn hearts. Instead of seeking your will, we want to do it our way. Even when you promise blessing for the ones who follow the path of discipleship, we walk down the path that leads to despair. Forgive us, and give us the grace to change. Soften our hearts so we can live for you in all that we say and do. - Silent Personal Confession -

◆ASSURANCE OF GOD’S PARDON

◆GLORIA PATRI

GREATOREX

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

◆SHARING CHRIST’S PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Please greet your neighbors with the peace of Christ.

TIME FOR CHILDREN

Janie Bruce

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

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND PERSONAL COMMITMENTS

OFFERTORY All Things Bright and Beautiful SONDRRA TUCKER
Handbell Choir

◆DOXOLOGY OLD HUNDREDTH

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

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 9:28-36 PEW BIBLE N.T. PAGE 69

Leader: The grass withers, and the flower fades,
But the word of our God will stand forever. (Isaiah 40.8)

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON What’s a Transfiguration? Pastor Daniel

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

◆AFFIRMATION OF FAITH FROM THE NICENE CREED (381)

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

(continued)

For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

◆HYMN NO. 507 Come to the Table of Grace TABLE OF GRACE

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

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

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

◆HYMN NO. 662 Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies RATISBON

◆BENEDICTION

◆BENEDICTORY RESPONSE
God Be with You Till We Meet Again RALPH VAUGHAN WILLIAMS

◆POSTLUDE Postlude in C CHRISTIAN CAPPELEN

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Liturgist is Allyn Bruce.

Acolytes are Shelby Miller and Emily Shelor.

Children’s Church volunteers are LeAnn and Matt Teitsort.

Visitor’s Table: Mona Gilbert

Welcome to Westminster

We are delighted that you have joined us today and hope you will find a home here. Visitors are encouraged to stop by the welcome table in the narthex for more information about Westminster.

We have wonderful caregivers in our nursery who will lovingly care for your child and will provide you with a pager should they need to contact you. Our ushers can assist you in finding the nursery.

Parents who need to step out of the sanctuary for a while to tend to the needs of infants or small children can find privacy down the hall in the church parlor or in the church nursery.

Worship bags are available for preschool and elementary age children in the narthex.

Hearing devices and large print hymnals are available in the narthex.

For more information about Westminster:

- Check out our website www.westminstercharleston.org
- Plan to attend WPC 101 a three-week information class held quarterly during the Sunday school hour.

TODAY WE CELEBRATE THE LORD’S SUPPER

All who profess faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are invited to share in the bread and the cup. Elders will serve the congregation seated in the pews; you may partake as soon as you are served. WPC is a safe place for those in recovery- we serve grape juice only. Gluten free bread is available in the center of the juice tray. Children are invited to the table provided they’ve had instruction at home or in Westminster’s worship prep class (1st grade).

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING has been called for Sunday, February 12, at 10:55 (right before the 11:00 worship service). The purpose of the meeting is to review the financial reports from 2016, review the budget for 2017, and in accordance with G-2.0804/G-1.0501 review the pastor’s terms of call.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Today, at the 11:00 worship service we are glad to welcome new members to Westminster:

- Tyler and Abbie Mobley and their son Jack
- Janet Saunders, Adrian Nida, and their daughters, Alyssa, Molly, Emma and Natalie
- Megan Baker

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

February 12 Luke 9:37-62 Whose Team Are You On?

February 19 Luke 10:1-24 The Joy of Mission
Travis and Reid Baker Baptisms

February 26 Philip Beisswenger (Guatemala) Preaching