



WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WORSHIP ON THE LORD'S DAY

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

March 12, 2017

11:00 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Moment for Mission

Water Mission

PRELUDE

Fugue on the Kyrie

FRANCOIS COUPERIN

◆ CALL TO WORSHIP

FROM MICAH 6:6-8

Leader: With what shall we come before the Lord?
What shall we bring into the presence of our God,
as an expression of our worship and praise?

People: Shall we bring him all that we own—
our finest possessions, our life-savings,
our investments and property?
Would God be satisfied if we brought everything
we possess?

Leader: No, that's not what God is looking for.
God has told you what is good,
and what he expects of you:

People: To do justice.
To love mercy.
To walk humbly before him.

◆ INVOCATION

◆ HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 463 How Firm a Foundation FOUNDATION

◆ PRAYER OF CONFESSION O Lord, Have Mercy (see insert)

◆ 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.

THIS WEEK AT WESTMINSTER

Sunday, March 12

- 8:45 am Worship Service
- 9:45 am WPC 101, Pastor's Office
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Worship Service
- 12:00 pm Second Sunday Social, Covenant Hall
- 12:45 pm Worship Committee, Parlor
- 5:00 pm Mid High Youth
- 6:00 pm Senior High Youth
- 7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Monday, March 13

- 10:00 am Hooks and Needles, Room 4
- 11:40 am Morning Prayer, Sanctuary

Tuesday, March 14

- 7:30 am Men's Prayer Breakfast, Town and Country Inn
- 10:00 am Staff meeting, Pastor's office
- 10:00 am PW Circle 5, Parlor
- 10:30 am PW Circle 4, Village at Summerville
- 7:00 pm Handbell Choir

Wednesday, March 15

- 6:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday
Church Family Dinner—Pepper Steak
- 6:00 pm Preschool Committee, Room 4
- 6:30 pm Finance Committee, Parlor
- 7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir
- 7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Sunday, March 12

- 8:45 am Worship Service
- 9:45 am WPC 101, Pastor's Office
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Worship Service
- 12:15 pm CE Committee, Blue Room
- 4:00 pm Baptism Meeting, Sanctuary
- 5:00 pm Mid High Youth
- 6:00 pm Senior High Youth
- 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 Prays

Chut Moody	Kalaila Martin	Kathy Day
Lydia Crosby	Beryldean Winter	Dennis Kaeane
David Keller	Walter Russell	Gene Lundgrin
Bob Foster	Jan Erickson	Elliott Brouner
Esma Harris	Julia Moody	Bob Bean
Joe Smith	Dot Daniels	Stacey Edge
Mildred Dewitt	Speck Daniels	Liz Bull
Thomas Weir	John Oliver	Anne Powell
Patty Snider	JoAnn West	Charles Beck
Jane Small	Jack Eades	Marja Sanderling
Emily Campbell	Doris Jeter	Wimberly Family
Pat Coggins	Mable Switzer	Alex Pennekamp
Carol Cummings	Rosalee Smith	Johnnie Harvey
Jenna Baskin		

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

Harriet DaSilva
201 W. 9th North St., Unit 149
Summerville, SC 29483

Church Family

Charles, Janie, and Spencer Bruce
Walker Bruce
Al Buddin

Mission of the Week

Tricounty Family Ministries
2105 Cosgrove Avenue
North Charleston, SC 29405

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) Yes ___ No ___

Name of person making request _____

Requests ordinarily remain on the prayer list for about a month.

Please keep us updated.

TIME FOR CHILDREN

Janie Bruce

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

ANTHEM

Now Thank We All Our God

LLOYD LARSON

Handbell Choir

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 10:25-37

PEW BIBLE N.T. PAGE 71

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Who Is My Neighbor?

Pastor Daniel

◆HYMN NO. 203

Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

CHEREPONI

◆AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

FROM A BRIEF STATEMENT OF FAITH (1983)

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.

We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.

In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, Come, Lord Jesus!

With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

PASTORAL 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

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND PERSONAL COMMITMENTS

OFFERTORY

Prelude on an Irish Church Melody

C.V. STANFORD

◆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

◆HYMN NO. 693

Though I May Speak

GIFT OF LOVE

◆BENEDICTION

◆BENEDICTORY RESPONSE

Jesu, Jesu

CHEREPONI

◆POSTLUDE

Passacaglia

ANDRE RAISON

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Acolytes are Robert Dounain and Daniel Dounian. Children's Church volunteers are Molly and Kevin Griggs. Visitor's Table: Cam Patterson

The flowers in the Narthex are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of her husband Jack, her grandson Brent, and her brother Jim, all who had birthdays in March, by Carol Mattox.

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.

PAUSE AND REFRESH ON MONDAYS FOR A DEEPER PRAYER LIFE

Monday Morning Prayer at 11:40. Every Monday at 11:40 during Lent, we'll gather together in the Sanctuary for 20 minutes of community prayer and fellowship. You'll be guided in a meditative style of prayer using Phyllis Tickle's The Divine Hours: Prayers for Lent.

WEDNESDAYS ARE WONDERFUL AT WPC!

Join us for Wonderful Wednesdays every week at Westminster. A delicious supper for adults and kids at 6:00 pm in Covenant Hall. Nursery is available. It is only \$6 for ages 12 and up; \$3 for ages 7-11; \$1 for ages 1-6; \$17 family maximum. This week's menu is pepper steak, fried rice, vegetable, salad, bread, and dessert.

SECOND SUNDAY SOCIAL

Please join us today in Covenant Hall immediately following the worship service for our Second Sunday Social luncheon.

CALLING ALL MEN

Join us for breakfast and devotional this Tuesday morning at 7:30 am at Town and Country Inn on Highway 17. We meet the second Tuesday of every month, and all men are invited.

GUATEMALA 2017 MISSION TEAM

Remember your mission team in prayer as they prepare for the June 28-July 5 trip to the Antioch Church in Coban, Guatemala. Team members are: Chaut Bruce, Janie Bruce, Doug Earnst, Frankie Earnst, Priscilla Holtzclaw, Barbara Lundy, George McAbee, Carol Patrick, Charlie Powell, Meg Powell, Daniel Smoak, Sue Smoak, and Chuck Towne.

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

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