

Westminster Prays

Chut Moody	Kalaila Martin	Kathy Day
Lydia Crosby	Beryldean Winter	Dennis Keane
David Keller	Walter Russell	Elliott Brouner
Bob Foster	Jan Erickson	Bob Bean
Esma Harris	Julia Moody	Sullivan Bull
Joe Smith	Dot Daniels	JoAnn West
Mildred Dewitt	Speck Daniels	Terry Hall
Patty Snider	Charles Beck	Jenna Baskin
Emily Campbell	Jack Eades	Joyce Reeves
Johnnie Harvey	Mable Switzer	Joy Daffin Hiott
Vickie Kelly	Logan Gause	Mary Forbes
Jane Small	Sue Johnson	Everett Wright
Carol Mattox	Fred Walters	Martha Fox
Susie Pell	Tony Rushton	

Remember in Prayer

- Associate Pastor Nominating Committee
- Guatemala Mission Team

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

Ruth McSweeney
1145 Southgate Drive
Charleston, SC 29407

Church Family

Alice Denmead
Nancy and David Dixon
Diane Doby
John and Kristin Dounian
Robert, David, Daniel
Jim and Susanne Drennan
Katie, Sam

Mission of the Week

Thornwell Home for Children
PO Box 60
Clinton, SC 29325

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, May 28

8:45 am Worship Service
9:45 am Sunday School
Guatemala Mission Team, Pastor's office
11:00 am Worship Service
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Monday, May 29

Church Office Closed

Wednesday, May 31

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

Sunday, June 4

8:45 am Worship Service
9:45 am Sunday School
Guatemala Mission Team, Pastor's office
11:00 am Worship Service
6:00 pm Officer Training Session 2, Covenant Hall, Room 1
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
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

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 28, 2017

11:00 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Habitat for Humanity

David Morris

PRELUDE Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing MICHAEL BURKHARDT

♦ CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 103:1-5

Leader: Bless the LORD, O my soul,
and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

People: **Bless the LORD, O my soul,
and forget not all his benefits,
who forgives all your iniquity,
who heals all your diseases,
who redeems your life from the pit,
who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,
who satisfies you with good
so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.**

♦ INVOCATION

♦ HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 620

Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven LAUDA ANIMA

♦ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

PSALM 103:6-13

Leader: The LORD works righteousness
and justice for all who are oppressed.
He made known his ways to Moses,
his acts to the people of Israel.

People: **The LORD is merciful and gracious,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
He will not always chide,
nor will he keep his anger forever.
He does not deal with us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our iniquities.**

Leader: For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;

People: **As far as the east is from the west,
so far does he remove our transgressions from us.
As a father shows compassion to his children,
so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him.**

-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

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.

Please greet your neighbors with the peace of Christ.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Administered to Emma Elizabeth and Natalie Isabella Nida, daughters of Adrian Nida and Janet Saunders. Lindy Coleman is the assisting Elder.

◆AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

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

TIME FOR CHILDREN

Janie Bruce

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

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 13:10-17

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

SERMON

Jesus, the Rule Breaker

Pastor Daniel

◆HYMN NO. 435

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

IN BABILONE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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 Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing R.D. SPURLOCK
Sanctuary Choir

◆DOXOLOGY

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

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

◆PRAYER OF DEDICATION

◆HYMN NO. 649 Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound AMAZING GRACE

◆BENEDICTION

◆BENEDICTORY RESPONSE

Song of Hope

ARGENTINA

◆POSTLUDE

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing

HEALEY WILLAN

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Liturgist is Howard Fulwiler.

Acolytes are David Dounian and Olivia Towne.

Children's Church volunteers are Gina and KC Miller.

Visitor's Table: Eric and Donna David

The rosebud in the Sanctuary is given to the glory of God and in celebration of the birth of Wyatt Matthew Teitsort, to parents Matthew and LeAnn Teitsort.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Emma and Natalie Nida's baptism.

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.

DISCIPLESHIP BIBLE STUDY FOR MEN

Men of all ages: Join us for a 4-week study in June. Starting Tuesday, June 6, we meet from 7:30 - 8:30 AM in Room 1 of Covenant Hall. We'll learn from David, described in the Bible as "a man after God's own heart." Pastor Daniel will lead the group; Come for any or all of the sessions; Coffee and doughnuts provided. Planning to come on June 6?

Please RSVP office@westminstercharleston.org

June 6	How Do I Face my Giants?	1 Samuel 17
June 13	Is My Worship Genuine?	2 Samuel 6
June 20	Do I Face My Sin?	2 Samuel 11-12
June 27	How Would God Describe My Life?	2 Samuel 22-23

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

Today	Luke 13:10-17	Jesus the Rule Breaker Emma and Natalie Nida Baptisms (11:00)
June 4	Luke 13:18-35	From All Directions Pentecost; The Lord's Supper
June 11	Luke 14:1-24	Teaching Over Dinner
June 18	Luke 14:25-34	The Cost of Discipleship Elizabeth Wade Baptism (8:45) Hattie Parrish Baptism (11:00)