

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	Mary Forbes
Vickie Kelly	Logan Gause	Everett Wright
Jane Small	Sue Johnson	Martha Fox
Carol Mattox	Fred Walters	Roy Hoffman
Susie Pell	Keith Gordon	John Linville
Simms Daniels	Kate Pennekamp	Donna Purcell
Doris Jeter	Gloria Purcell	

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

Myrtle Myrick
201 W 9th North St., Unit 171
Summerville, SC 29483

Mission of the Week

Food Pantry
1157 Sam Rittenberg Blvd.
Charleston, SC 29407

Church Family

Shantell Frazier
Lance, Damir, Jahmes, Jahrell
Mark and Tracy Friedrichs
Drew, Alexis
Jim and Joan Frye
Shawn and Mary Fulmer
Grace

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, June 25

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 4, Covenant Hall, Room 1
7:00 pm	AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Tuesday, June 27

7:30 am	Men's Bible Study, Covenant Hall
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Wednesday, June 28

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

Sunday, July 2

8:45 am	Worship Service
9:45 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship Service
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

Clerk-Priscilla Holtzclaw

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Assistant Treasurer-Patty Stokes

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Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Smoak, Pastor

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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 TWELFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

June 25, 2017

8:45 am

GATHERING

Please greet each other warmly as the congregation gathers for worship.

Take a moment and sign your name in the friendship pad.

PRELUDE

Spring, from Four Seasons

VIVALDI

Lauren Smoak, violin

◆ OPENING PRAYER (Unison)

**Holy and gracious God,
your steadfast love abides with your people in every age.
You teach us to trust in you
and call us to live in peace with one another.
Show us the way to live grateful lives, without fear,
knowing the true worth of your creation,
including ourselves;
in Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.**

◆ SONG OF PRAISE NO. 611

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

HYMN TO JOY

CONFESSION

◆ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of mercy, you sent Jesus to seek and to save the lost. We confess that we have often strayed from you. We have turned to our own way. Misled by pride, we have put ourselves at the center of life. We see ourselves as good when we are sinners, and great when we are small. Wrapped up in our own concerns, we have failed to love you and others. We have neglected to do justice, ignored your truth, and kept quiet when we could have witnessed about your love. Have mercy on us. Forgive our sins and send your Spirit to lead us in paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Amen.

(Silent Confession)

◆ DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

◆RESPONSE OF PRAISE

NO. 443

There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son;
precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.

Thank you, O my Father, for giving us your Son,
and leaving your Spirit till the work on earth is done.

◆PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Please share the peace of Christ with your neighbor.

THE WORD

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

Philippians 1:1-11

PEW BIBLE N.T. PAGE 196

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Partners in the Gospel

Pastor Daniel

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

◆DECLARATION OF FAITH

PCUSA BOOK OF ORDER F-1.01

The mission of God in Christ gives shape and substance to the life and work of the Church. In Christ, the Church participates in God's mission for the transformation of creation and humanity by proclaiming to all people the good news of God's love, offering to all people the grace of God at font and table, and calling all people to discipleship in Christ. Human beings have no higher goal in life than to glorify and enjoy God now and forever, living in covenant fellowship with God and participating in God's mission.

◆SONG OF RESPONSE NO. 69

Here I Am, Lord

HERE I AM

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

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE AND THE MORNING OFFERING

Please come forward and place your offering in the offering plate.

SONG OF THANKSGIVING

God, We Honor You

No. 709

God, we honor you. God, we trust in you.

God, we worship and adore you.

Take what we bring, offered to you.

Teach us to show your abundant blessings.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, amen.

◆PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING OUT

◆SENDING OUT SONG NO. 744

Arise, Your Light Is Come!

FESTAL SONG

◆BLESSING

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Neal Axon is the worship leader.

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.

YOUTH MISSION TRIP FUNDRAISER

Visit the "Wall of Money" in the Narthex to support our Youth Mission Team traveling to Presbyterian Youth Mission (Asheville, NC) in July. Every dollar makes a difference! Help our youth reach their goal of fundraising for their summer mission trip! All you have to do is take the envelope from the wall with the dollar amount you want to contribute. Place your cash or check (Youth Mission in memo line) inside the envelope and return it in the offering plate or to the church office. Want to know who is going on this year's mission trip and why? Look inside each envelope to learn a little bit about each of this year's participants.

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 spaghetti with sauce, vegetable, salad, fresh fruit, garlic bread, dessert.

ARE YOU A GUEST who has been attending Westminster and would like to take a step forward in faith? We would love the chance to speak with you about what it means to be Christian, what it means to be Presbyterian, and what it means to be a member at Westminster Presbyterian Church. Please check the "Desire a Call" box on the black Friendship Pad or speak with someone at the Visitor Table in the narthex after the service.

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

July 2	Romans 6:15-23	Rev. Lissa Long Preaching <i>The Lord's Supper</i>
July 9		Colin Kerr Preaching <i>College Ministry Emphasis</i> <i>Lillian McGlynn Baptism (8:45)</i>
July 16	Exodus 3:14	We Turned Aside to Look <i>Guatemala Team Testimonies</i>
July 23	Luke 15:1-10	Joy in Heaven <i>Officer Ordination and Installation (11:00)</i>
July 30	Luke 15:11-32	The Lost Son <i>Officer Ordination and Installation (8:45)</i>