

## Westminster Prays

Chut Moody	Kalaila Martin	Kathy Day
Lydia Crosby	Beryldean Winter	Elliott Brouner
David Keller	Walter Russell	Bob Bean
Bob Foster	Jan Erickson	Sullivan Bull
Esma Harris	Julia Moody	JoAnn West
Joe Smith	Dot Daniels	Jenna Baskin
Speck Daniels	Terry Hall	Patty Snider
Charles Beck	Mary Forbes	Martha Fox
Emily Campbell	Jack Eades	John Linville
Johnnie Harvey	Mable Switzer	Frances McLean
Vickie Kelly	Logan Gause	Andy Copenhauer
Jane Small	Sue Johnson	Gloria Purcell
Carol Mattox	Donna Purcell	Alice Denmead
Susie Pell	Kate Pennekamp	Dart Willer
Simms Daniels	Daniel Harms	James Ella Collins

### Prayers of Sympathy and Support are extended to

Eric David and family upon the death of his uncle, Thomas Love, Jr.

### 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
	Sullivan McMahan		

### Friend of the Week

Warren Bonnell  
34 Manchester Road  
Charleston, SC 29407

### Mission of the Week

Thornwell Home for Children  
P.O. Box 60  
Clinton, SC 29325

### Church Family

Jean Isbell  
Beth Janssen  
Jervy Jones  
Hal and Brenda Jonsson  
William and Leslie Jonsson  
Erik, Kyle

### 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, August 6

8:45 am Worship Service  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

### Monday, August 7

4:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—Summerville  
5:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—Second Presbyterian

### Tuesday, August 8

7:30 am Discipleship Bible Study for Men, Covenant Hall  
11:00 am Circle 5, Tomato Shed  
4:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—First Presbyterian  
5:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—Second Presbyterian

### Wednesday, August 9

4:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—First Presbyterian  
5:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—New Wappetaw  
6:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday  
Church Family Dinner - Ham and Cheese Croissants  
6:30 pm Associate Pastor Nominating Committee, Room 1  
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

### Thursday, August 10

4:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—Williamsburg  
5:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—Westminster

### Friday, August 11

5:00 pm Hands of Christ distribution—Westminster

### Saturday, August 12

10:00 am Hands of Christ distribution—Westminster

### Sunday, August 13

8:45 am Worship Service  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
12:00 pm Second Sunday Social, Covenant Hall  
12:15 pm Sunday School Leaders Meeting, Room 4  
12:45 pm Worship Committee, Parlor  
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

## WESTMINSTER SESSION

<u>CLASS OF 2018</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2019</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2020</u>
Lindy Coleman	Ann Froneberger	Robert Coker
Brad Earnst	Nancy Parrish	Eric David
Priscilla Holtzclaw	Rita Livingston	Brenda Haile
Mark Patrick	Henry Shepard	George McAbee
Charlie Powell	Chuck Towne	David Purcell
Carole Russell	John Wright	Sally Rogers

Clerk-Priscilla Holtzclaw

Assistant Clerk - Rita Livingston

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Assistant Treasurer-Patty Stokes

### Westminster Presbyterian Church

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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 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 6, 2017

11:00 am

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Festival Voluntary

FLOR PEETERS

### ◆CALL TO WORSHIP

FROM PSALM 113

Leader: Who is like the Lord our God,  
high above the heavens in glory?  
People: **Blessed be the name of the Lord.**  
Leader: Who raises the poor from the dust  
and lifts up the needy from the ashes?  
People: **Blessed be the name of the Lord.**  
Leader: Who makes light shine in darkness,  
gives joy in sorrow,  
and brings life out of death?  
People: **Blessed be the name of the Lord.**

### ◆INVOCATION

### ◆HYMN NO. 267

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

MADRID

### ◆PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, you know our sin:  
We have squandered the gifts you have given us.  
We have failed to forgive our debtors  
as you have forgiven us.  
We have been unfaithful and dishonest  
in small things and great things alike.  
We are shrewd in seeking wealth  
and foolish in following your way.  
Forgive our sins, O Lord, for your name's sake.  
Make us faithful stewards  
of the grace you have given  
and generous in forgiving others;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### ◆SILENT PRAYER OF 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.

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 Prelude in C Major, WTC I

J.S. BACH

◆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

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 16:1-13

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Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON Your Money or Your Life

Pastor Daniel

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

◆HYMN NO. 507 Come to the Table of Grace

INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

◆AFFIRMATION OF FAITH FROM THE NICENE CREED (381 AD)

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,

(continued)

begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.

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.

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. 700 I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

I’M GONNA LIVE

◆BENEDICTION

◆POSTLUDE Voluntary in E Minor

JOHN STANLEY

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Liturgist is Priscilla Holtzclaw.

Acolytes are Charlotte Griggs and Henry Earnst.

Children’s Church volunteers are Mary and Shawn Fulmer.

Visitor’s Table: Heather Hulon

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](http://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 (1<sup>st</sup> grade).

DISCIPLESHIP BIBLE STUDY FOR MEN MEETS ON AUGUST 8

Men of all ages: We meet on the second Tuesday of every month from 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. in Covenant Hall. Coffee and doughnuts provided. We’re studying the life of David, described in the Bible as "a man after God's own heart." This month: Psalm 23. Pastor Daniel will lead the group. All are welcome!

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO HELP HANDS OF CHRIST

After the 11:00 worship service, please stack the hymnals and bibles from your pew to the end of the pew. Then we need help carrying them to the blue room or the cart in the narthex. We need to clear the sanctuary to get ready for our Hands of Christ distribution on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Thank you so much for your help.

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

Today	Luke 16:1-13	Your Money or Your Life <i>The Lord’s Supper</i>
August 13	Luke 16:14-18	Law, Kingdom, and Divorce
August 20	Luke 16:19-31	Now is the Time to Tell Someone About Jesus!
August 27	Luke 17:1-6	When You Are Tempted to Sin