

Westminster Prays

Chut Moody	Kalaila Martin	Bob Bean
Lydia Crosby	Elliott Brouwer	Sullivan Bull
David Keller	Walter Russell	Julia Moody
Joe Smith	Jan Erickson	John Linville
Speck Daniels	Dot Daniels	Frances McLean
Patty Snider	Jack Eades	Logan Gause
Mary Forbes	Nekedra Lumar	Ryan Roberson
Emily Campbell	Jennie Simmerman	Buck Morris
Johnnie Harvey	Mable Switzer	Dan Mills
Roy Hoffman	James Ella Collins	Andrew Deleston
Sue Johnson	Harms Family	Debra Frasier
Simms Daniels	Edna Tarbert	Barry VanDeventer
Diane Fitzgibbon	Larry Salley	Nancy Floyd
Jack Bennett	David Kerr	Summer Garris
Steve Varn	William Kerr	Crystal Dowd
Nelson Davis	Wofford Family	Donna David
Tricia Yandle	Barbara Kinard	Mary Ashley Barbot
Mike Hill	Robbie Yarnall	Carol Mattox
John Gilbert	Dale Norman	

Our Prayers of Sympathy and Support are extended to

Nancy Parrish and family, upon the death of her mother, Jewell Steele.

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	Mike Mann	Sullivan McMahan
Jeremy Rundall	Kevin Griggs	Kyle Dillon	Joe Campbell

Friend of the Week

Dot Dangerfield
201 W. 9th North St. Unit 233
Summerville, SC 29483

Mission of the Week

Boy Scout Troop 79
1157 Sam Rittenberg Blvd.
Charleston, SC 29407

Church Family

Janet Saunders and Adrian Nida
Emma, Natalie, Alyssa, Molly
Jerry Seay

College Student of the Week

Mark Gore
2022 Prince Alan Court
Charleston, SC 29414

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, April 1

8:45 am	Easter Worship Service
10:00 am	Guatemala Mission Pancake Breakfast, Covenant Hall
11:00 am	Easter Worship Service
7:00 pm	AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Monday, April 2

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, April 3

7:00 pm	Handbell Choir
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Wednesday, April 4

6:00 pm	Wonderful Wednesday Church Family Dinner - Rotisserie chicken
6:30 pm	Membership Committee, Room 4
7:00 pm	AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Sunday, April 8

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	Mission Committee, Parlor
5:00 pm	Mid High Youth
6:00 pm	Senior High Youth
7:00 pm	AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

WESTMINSTER SESSION

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
John Wright

CLASS OF 2020

Robert Coker
Eric David
Brenda Haile
George McAbee
David Purcell
Sally Rogers

Clerk-Priscilla Holtzclaw

Assistant Clerk - Rita Livingston

Treasurer-Betsy Williams

Assistant Treasurer-Patty Stokes

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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
Resurrection of the Lord*

April 1, 2018

11:00 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE AND INTROIT

Good Christians All, Rejoice!

GELOBT SEI GOTT

♦CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Beloved church, behold the victory of our God:
Jesus Christ, our Lord, has conquered the grave.

People: Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Leader: Sin and death shall reign no more.

People: Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Leader: You have turned our mourning into dancing.

People: Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Leader: This is the good news by which we are saved.

People: Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

People: Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Thanks be to God!

♦INVOCATION

♦HYMN NO. 232 Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

EASTER HYMN

♦PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. Yet we confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We are more interested in ourselves than you or others. But you are the God of mercy, and we turn to you for forgiveness and new life. Help us to trust your power over death that we may know the joy of abundant life given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord.

♦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: Christ is risen!
 People: **He is risen indeed!**

TIME FOR CHILDREN Janie Bruce
Children five years and younger are invited to go to Wee Church and Children’s Church in the Children’s building.

ANTHEM DAVID ASHLEY WHITE
 Tell the News!
Sanctuary Choir

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON PEW BIBLE N.T. PAGE 90
 Luke 24:1-12
 Leader: The word of the Lord.
 People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON Pastor Daniel
 He Is Alive!

◆AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Leader: O Death, where is your victory?
 O Death, where is your sting?
 People: **Christ has risen! Death is swallowed up in victory!**
 Leader: Jesus said, “I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die.”
 People: **Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord, Jesus Christ!**
 Leader: The Lord has risen.
 People: **He has risen indeed! Alleluia!**

◆HYMN (see insert)
 In Christ Alone

◆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 J. MARTY COPE
 Thine Be the Glory
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. 248 HYMN TO JOY
 Christ Is Risen, Shout Hosanna!

◆BENEDICTION

◆BENEDICTIONARY RESPONSE G.F. HANDEL
 Hallelujah (*from Messiah*)
Sanctuary Choir

◆POSTLUDE THEODORE SALOME
 Grand Choeur

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Liturgist is Tom Livingston
 Acolytes are Cole McLaughlin and Henry Earnst.
 Children’s Church volunteers are Meghan and Nathan Ward.
 Wee Church volunteers are Heather Hulon and LeAnn Teitsort.
 Visitor’s Table: Mona Gilbert

Guest musicians:

Angela Loizides, violin
 Jenny Weiss, violin
 Ben Weiss, viola
 Elizabeth Murphy, cello
 Warren Berry, trumpet
 Brigit Harris, trumpet
 Matthew Calvert, horn
 Cody Clary, trombone

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 and worship worksheets 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 two-week information class held quarterly during the Sunday school hour.

DO YOU FEEL GOD CALLING YOU TO JOIN THE WESTMINSTER FAMILY?

Here’s how you can do it.

1. Fill out a New Member Form (Found on the Visitor’s Table in the narthex) and return it to the church office.
2. Pastor Daniel or someone from the Membership Committee will quickly be in touch, providing an opportunity individually or with a group to learn more about the church.
3. On a Sunday morning, you’ll attend a meeting with the Session for reception into membership. We’ll handle paperwork if you’re transferring from another church or arrange baptism if you’ve never been baptized.
4. That same Sunday morning, you’ll be introduced to the congregation during worship.

Questions? Please check the “Desire a Call” box on the black Friendship Pad or speak with someone at the Visitor’s Table in the narthex after the service.

WPC 101

Would you like to know more about Westminster Presbyterian? WPC 101 is for you! WPC 101 is a two-week class that meets during the Sunday School hour. It’s led by Pastor Daniel and the Membership Committee, focusing on what it means to be a Christian, what it means to be Presbyterian, and what it means to be part of Westminster Presbyterian Church. This class is perfect for members or visitors who want to know more about being active in the community of faith at Westminster. WPC 101 is offered several times a year; the next class meets on April 15 and 22. To sign up, please contact the church office.

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

We continue to study Luke’s Gospel- leading up to the Resurrection on Easter Sunday.

Today	Luke 24:1-12	He Is Alive! <i>Easter Sunday</i>
April 8	Luke 24:13-49	Their Eyes were Opened <i>The Lord’s Supper</i>
April 15	Luke 24:50-53	Ascension
April 22		Youth Sunday “Love Lifted Me”