



Westminster Presbyterian Church

Worship on the Lord's Day

May 19, 2019 11:00 am

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Moment for Stewardship WPC Endowment Norman Hook

PRELUDE Jubilate Deo JOHN RASLEY

♦CALL TO WORSHIP PSALM 100 (NIRV)

Leader: Shout to the LORD with joy, everyone on earth.

People: **Worship the LORD with gladness.
Come to him with songs of joy.**

Leader: I want you to realize that the LORD is God.

People: **He made us, and we belong to him. We are his people.
We are the sheep belonging to his flock.**

Leader: Give thanks as you enter the gates of his temple.
Give praise as you enter its courtyards.

People: **Give thanks to him and praise his name.
The LORD is good. His faithful love continues forever.**

♦INVOCATION

♦HYMN NO. 385 All People That on Earth Do Dwell OLD HUNDRETH

♦PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Dear Heavenly Father, help us to be still and know that you are God. We find ourselves distracted, following our own desires. Forgive us for letting those things take first place in our lives. We pray that you would turn our hearts back to you. Have mercy on us, O Lord, according to your unfailing love and compassion. Wash us and cleanse us from all of our iniquity. Create in us pure hearts, O God, and renew our spirits within us. O Lord, open our lips and our mouths to declare Your praise. In our wonderful Savior's name we pray. Amen.

-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.

THIS WEEK AT WESTMINSTER

Sunday, May 19
 8:45 am Worship Service
 9:45 am Sunday School
 9:45 am Pause and Refresh, Covenant Hall
 11:00 am Worship Service
 12:00 pm Congregational Meeting, Sanctuary
 3:00 pm Youth Group, the Towne's house
 5:00 pm Deacons Meeting, Room 4
 6:00 pm Stated Session Meeting, Room 4
 7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Monday, May 20
 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 79, Court of Honor, Sanctuary

Wednesday, May 22
 6:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday
 Church Family Dinner - Pork Tenderloin
 7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir
 7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

Thursday, May 23
 12:30 pm SAM's Potluck Luncheon, Covenant Hall

Sunday, May 26
 8:45 am Worship Service
 9:45 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship Service
 7:00 pm AA Meeting, Covenant Hall

WESTMINSTER SESSION

<u>CLASS OF 2019</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2020</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2021</u>
Ann Froneberger	Robert Coker	Allyn Bruce
Nancy Parrish	Brenda Haile	John Dounian
Rita Livingston	George McAbee	Norman Hook
Henry Shepard	David Purcell	Dale Norman
Chuck Towne	Sally Rogers	Paul Patrick
John Wright		

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Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Smoak, Pastor
 Rev. Lissa Long, Associate 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

Westminster Prays

Jack Eades	Summer Garris	Meg Powell
Lydia Crosby	Andrew Deleston	Dan Mills
Mary Ashley Barbot	Jan Erickson	Frances McLean
Diane Fitzgibbon	David Kerr	John Lange
Mary Forbes	Dart Willer	Emily Campbell
Charles Howell	Bruce Yarnall	Carol Cummings
Jule Ann Hoffman	Edna Tarbert	Sara McCoy
Graham McKinney	Mable Switzer	Vito Scarafile
Simms Daniels	Barry VanDeventer	Bill Myers
Jack Bennett	Hal Jonsson	Anna Lee Myers
Doris Fox	Jennifer Los	Tootie Adams
John Ligon	Barbara Kinard	Linda Rotunda
Daryn Baker	Nelson Davis	LeRoy Gaillard
Karen Dangerfield	Kinston Richmond	Jonathan Hanger
Chrissie Bosworth	Janie Hammersmith	Laverne Meeks
Andria Sanchez Freeman	Ginger Siefring	Hudson Waller
Judy Tag		

Prayers of Sympathy and Support are extended to
 Love Moody and family upon the death of her husband,
 Millard "Chut" Moody.

Serving in the Armed Forces

Jay Gilbert	Baxter Smoak	Robert Georgen
Lauren Smoak	Kevin Griggs	Mark Gore
Damir Morrison	Sullivan McMahan	Whitney Hillman
Anthony Mattox, Jr.		

Friend of the Week

Dot Dangerfield
 680 Fort Sumter Drive
 Charleston, SC 29412

Mission of the Week

Water Missions International
 P.O. Box 71489
 North Charleston, SC 29415

Church Family

Marvin and Catherine Morgan
 David and Ann Morris
 Duncan and Susan Newkirk
 John and Carolyn Niblock
 Michael and Sherry Niblock
 Olivia
 Dale and Karen Norman

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.

◆SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

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

Please greet your neighbors.

TIME WITH THE 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

Rejoice! CYNTHIA DOBRINSKI
Handbell Choir

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON Acts 21:37-22:29 PEW BIBLE N.T. PAGE 143

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

SERMON

Testimony! Pastor Daniel

◆HYMN NO. 462 I Love to Tell the Story HANKEY

◆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.

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 OUR TITHES AND PERSONAL COMMITMENTS

OFFERTORY Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me K. LEE SCOTT
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. 612 We Praise You, O God KREMSER

◆BENEDICTION

◆BENEDICTORY RESPONSE The Resurrected Christ LINDA HANSEN

◆POSTLUDE Jubilate GORDON YOUNG

◆ Those who are able, please stand.

Liturgist today is Mary Platts.
Acolytes are Jordan Mae Bazzle and Olivia Towne.
Wee Church Volunteers are Dee Bee and John Wright.
Children's Church Volunteers are Janice and Walker Bruce.
Visitor's Table: Robert Coker

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, Walter Russell, by Carole Russell.

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. During the 11:00 am worship service, children five and under can be taken to the children's building for Wee Church (2-3 years old) or Children's Church (4-5 years old) following Time for Children. Children may be picked up after worship.

Hearing devices, magnify sheets, and large print hymnals are available in the narthex.

For more information about Westminster:

- Check out our website www.westminstercharleston.org
- Connections classes, to learn about LIFE at Westminster, are offered on the first Sunday of every month, 9:55 am -10:35 am in Pastor Daniel's office.

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, Pastor Lissa, 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.

FROM THE WESTMINSTER PULPIT

We are wrapping up a 3 year study on Luke-Acts!

Today	Acts 21:37 - 22:29	Testimony!
May 26	Acts 22:30 - 23:35	Plot!
June 2	Acts 24:1 - 25:12	Felix and Festus! <i>The Lord's Supper</i>
June 9	Acts 25:13 - 26:32	Agrippa!
June 16	Acts 27:1 - 28:16	Shipwreck!
June 23	Acts 28:17-31	Rome!