

THE LORD’S DAY WORSHIP

The Fifteenth Day of May, Two Thousand Eleven
MORNING WORSHIP
Ten O’Clock

Interim Minister — Dr. Guy L. Richardson
Minister to Youth and Families — The Reverend Mr. Richard E. Owens, III

The Bible is the means by which God, by the power of the Holy Spirit, reveals Himself to His people. We respond to His grace by praising Him through praying, singing, reading, and preaching the Bible.

The Greetings and Announcements

The Preparation for Worship and Instrumental Prelude

Introit — “Now Thank We All Our God”

The Call to Worship

‡The Hymn No. 457 — “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

‡The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

The Old Testament Reading

Psalm 5.....John Downs

The New Testament Reading and Pastoral Prayer

John 2:1-11.....Paul Kosko

‡The Hymn No. 295 — “Crown Him with Many Crowns”

The Presentation of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

*Anthem — “’Tis Finished”

’Tis finished! The Messiah dies, cut off for sins, but not His own: Accomplished is the sacrifice, the great redeeming work is done.

The veil is rent in Christ alone; the living way to heaven is seen; The middle wall is broken down, and all mankind may enter in.

’Tis finished! The Messiah dies.

’Tis finished! All my guilt and pain, I want no sacrifice beside; For me, for me the Lamb is slain; ’Tis finished! I am justified.

The reign of sin and death is o’er, and all may live from sin set free; Satan has lost his mortal pow’r; ’Tis swallowed up in victory.

’Tis finished! The Messiah dies.

The Prayer of Illumination

The Reading of Holy Scripture — 1 Peter 4:12-5:11 (Pew Bible 1016)

The Sermon — “Affliction”.....Dr. Guy L. Richardson

‡The Hymn No. 699 — “Like a River Glorious”

‡Benediction

*Children depart for Little Worship at the conclusion of the Anthem.

‡Congregation standing.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SCHEDULE

VERITAS CLASS

Who: Couples with young children
Where: The Choir Room
Teacher: Stephen Pillow
Study: “Grace Changes Everything”

AGAPE/KOINONIA CLASS

Who: Couples with older children, and seniors
Where: The Fellowship Hall
Teacher: Paul Kosko

YOUNG ADULTS CLASS

Who: Young married couples and singles
Where: The Library
Teacher: Lee Coleman
Study: “The Peasant Princess: A Love Story from the Song of Songs”

SENIOR HIGH AND JUNIOR HIGH CLASSES COMBINED

Who: 6th grade through 12th grade
Where: Fireside Room
Teacher: Richard Owens

CHILDREN’S SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Who: 3rd, 4th and 5th grade
Where: Classroom by the Library
Teacher: Michael and Cathy Adams

Who: 1st and 2nd grade
Where: Classroom by Harris Coleman’s Office
Teachers: Lorie Guenther and Eleanor Braswell

Who: 4 and 5 year olds
Where: Classroom by the nursery on the right
Teachers: Jeff Warren

Who: 2 and 3 year olds
Where: Classroom by the nursery on the left
Teacher: Larry Joe and Margie Makamson

THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

SUNDAY, MAY 15

8:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
9:15 a.m. Prayer in the Fireside Room
10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: Dr. Guy L. Richardson
Little Worship: Stephen and Kim Pillow
11:20 a.m. Sunday school for all ages

TUESDAY, MAY 17

8:00 p.m. Young Adult Sunday School Men’s Discipleship Group

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

6:00 p.m. Men’s Discipleship Group will meet in the Library
Women’s Discipleship Group will meet in the Choir Room
Youth Ministry – Jr. High & Sr. High
Children’s Ministry
Nursery Available

THURSDAY, MAY 19

6:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study (at the church)

FRIDAY, MAY 20

12:00 noon Missions Committee Lunch

SUNDAY, MAY 22

8:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
9:15 a.m. Prayer in the Fireside Room
10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: Dr. Guy L. Richardson
Little Worship: Trey and Elizabeth O’Brien
11:20 a.m. Sunday school for all ages

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSIONS COMMITTEE LUNCH: Craig and Stacy Pohl, MTW Missionaries from Ecuador, will be visiting Westminster on Friday, May 20 at noon. Anyone who is interested in joining us for lunch in the Fireside room at the church is welcome. Please bring a brown bag lunch; drinks will be provided.

LITTLE WORSHIP. This morning children ages 4-5 may remain in the sanctuary or be dismissed to attend Little Worship at the conclusion of the Anthem. Those who are scheduled to teach Little Worship for May are: May 15 – Stephen & Kim Pillow; May 22 – Trey and Elizabeth O’Brien; May 29 – Neil & Allison Pillow. The Lesson Book is in the church office on the top shelf of the book case. Please return it to the office each Sunday.

SERMONS AVAILABLE. All sermons preached at Westminster Presbyterian Church are posted on the Web Site at www.wpcgreenwood.org for your convenience. If you would like a CD of any sermon, please contact Debbie McCuan in the office at 453-7608 or by email at dmccuan@wpcgreenwood.org.

JOINING WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. We would love to have you join our church family. If you would like to become a member of Westminster, please check the “Wish to Join This Church” box on the registration pad or call or email us at the church. To find out more about us go to www.wpcgreenwood.org. Click the new member form link at the bottom left hand corner of the website.

**CALL TO WORSHIP
(FROM PSALM 104)**

Pastor — Bless the Lord, O my Soul!

People — O LORD my God, you are very great!

Pastor — You are clothed with splendor and majesty.

People — May the glory of the LORD endure forever.

Pastor — May the Lord rejoice in His works.

People — I will sing to the LORD as long as I live.

**Pastor and People — I will sing praise to my God as long as I have being.
May my meditation be pleasing to Him, for I rejoice in the LORD.**

The Old Testament Reading: Psalm 5

¹Give ear to my words, O LORD; consider my groaning. ²Give attention to the sound of my cry, my King and my God, for to you do I pray. ³O LORD, in the morning you hear my voice; in the morning I prepare a sacrifice for you and watch. ⁴For you are not a God who delights in wickedness; evil may not dwell with you. ⁵The boastful shall not stand before your eyes; you hate all evildoers. ⁶You destroy those who speak lies; the LORD abhors the bloodthirsty and deceitful man. ⁷But I, through the abundance of your steadfast love, will enter your house. I will bow down toward your holy temple in the fear of you. ⁸Lead me, O LORD, in your righteousness because of my enemies; make your way straight before me. ⁹For there is no truth in their mouth; their inmost self is destruction; their throat is an open grave; they flatter with their tongue. ¹⁰Make them bear their guilt, O God; let them fall by their own counsels; because of the abundance of their transgressions cast them out, for they have rebelled against you. ¹¹But let all who take refuge in you rejoice; let them ever sing for joy, and spread your protection over them, that those who love your name may exult in you. ¹²For you bless the righteous, O LORD; you cover him with favor as with a shield.

The New Testament Reading: John 2:1-11

¹On the third day there was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus also was invited to the wedding with his disciples. ³When the wine ran out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what does this have to do with me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." ⁶Now there were six stone water jars there for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to the servants, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸And he said to them, "Now draw some out and take it to the master of the feast." So they took it. ⁹When the master of the feast tasted the water now become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the master of the feast called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and when people have drunk freely, then the poor wine. But you have kept the good wine until now." ¹¹This, the first of his signs, Jesus did at Cana in Galilee, and manifested his glory. And his disciples believed in him.

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