

# THE LORD’S DAY WORSHIP

The Thirteenth Day of November, 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 — “Praise Thy Name!”**

**The Call to Worship**

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

‡**The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**

**The Old Testament Reading**

**Isaiah 25:1-9.....Bob Morgan**

**The New Testament Reading and Pastoral Prayer**

**Hebrews 10:19-25.....Walter Pillow**

‡**The Hymn No. 92 — “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”**

**The Presentation of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings**

\***Anthem — “Because of Love”**

Why would God come to earth? Why would He choose a manger birth?

Why would He want to give me worth? Why would God come to earth?

Because of love, because of love, He left the peace of heav’n above.

He left His majesty, and came to earth.

He came to earth to ransom me because of love, because of love, because of love.

Why would God choose Calvary? Why would He suffer on a tree?

Why would God choose Calvary?

For God so loved the world, He gave His only begotten Son

That whosoever believeth, believeth in Him,

Should not perish, but have everlasting life.

He came to live in flesh and do His Father’s will,

The sinless Son of God was slain on Calvary’s hill.

But He arose from death to life triumphantly!

All this and more Christ did for me because of love.

Because of love, he left the peace of heav’n above.

He left His throne, His majesty, and came to earth.

He came to ransom me, because of love, because of love,

Because God so loved!

**The Prayer of Illumination**

**The Reading of Holy Scripture — Psalm 145 (Pew Bible 524) (Hymnal 838)**

**The Sermon — “The Never-ending Song”.....Dr. Guy L. Richardson**

‡**The Hymn No. 701 — “Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!”**

‡**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 Fellowship Hall

Teacher: Gary Dyksterhouse and Zeb O’Bryant

Study: “Generous Justice” by Tim Keller

### AGAPE/KOINONIA CLASS

Who: Couples with older children, and seniors

Where: The Choir Room

Teacher: Lee Coleman

Study: “The Spiritual Disciplines: Growing in Godliness”

### YOUNG ADULTS CLASS

Who: Young married couples and singles

Where: The Library

Teacher: John Patridge and T Mac Howard

Study: A study of the Book of Acts

### SENIOR HIGH AND JUNIOR HIGH CLASSES COMBINED

Who: 6<sup>th</sup> grade through 12<sup>th</sup> grade

Where: Fireside Room

Teacher: Richard Owens

### CHILDREN’S SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Who: 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade

Where: Classroom by the Library

Teacher: Meagan Reans

Who: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

Where: Classroom by Kim Pillow’s Office

Teachers: Kathryn Dyksterhouse

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

**NOVEMBER USHER TEAM:** Lee and Amy Coleman (head usher), Lorie Guenther, Joey and Lori Smith, and Mark and Beth Barger.

## THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13

8:45 a.m. Sunday Choir Rehearsal

9:15 a.m. Prayer in the Fireside Room

10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: Dr. Guy L. Richardson  
Little Worship: Rob and Amber Joiner

11:20 a.m. Luncheon

1:30 p.m. Christmas Choir Rehearsal

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study at the church

6:00 p.m. Grief*Share*: Surviving the Holidays

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study

Youth Ministry – Jr. High & Sr. High

Children’s Ministry

Nursery available

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

8:45 a.m. Christmas 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

1:30 p.m. Sunday Choir Rehearsal

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**COVERED DISH LUNCHEON.** We invite everyone to stay for the covered dish luncheon *immediately following the worship service*. If you are a guest with us this morning, we welcome you and encourage you to join us for this time of food and fellowship. All Sunday school classes will resume next Sunday, November 20.

**GRIEFSHARE:** We will have a one night GriefShare seminar on “*Helping those dealing with Grief: SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS.*” No matter how long it has been since your loved one died, grief can make the holidays a painful time. But there is Hope. Join us for a one night session, **Tuesday, November 15 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** in the fellowship hall. This will be an encouraging seminar that will help you or a friend survive the holidays and discover new reasons to enjoy them again. A nursery will be provided. To register, call Kim Pillow at 299-8750; email - khpillow@yahoo.com or the church office at 453-7608.

**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.

**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.

**THE CALL TO WORSHIP  
(From Psalm 145)**

Pastor: I will extol you, my God and King,

**People: Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever.**

Pastor: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable.

**People: The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.**

**Pastor and People: The Lord is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made!**

**The Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 25:1-9**

<sup>1</sup>O LORD, you are my God; I will exalt you; I will praise your name, for you have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure.

<sup>2</sup>For you have made the city a heap, the fortified city a ruin; the foreigners' palace is a city no more; it will never be rebuilt. <sup>3</sup>Therefore strong peoples will glorify you; cities of ruthless nations will fear you. <sup>4</sup>For you have been a stronghold to the poor, a stronghold to the needy in his distress, a shelter from the storm and a shade from the heat; for the breath of the ruthless is like a storm against a wall, <sup>5</sup>like heat in a dry place. You subdue the noise of the foreigners; as heat by the shade of a cloud, so the song of the ruthless is put down. <sup>6</sup>On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine, of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined. <sup>7</sup>And he will swallow up on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations. <sup>8</sup>He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. <sup>9</sup>It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

**The New Testament Reading: Hebrews 10:19-25**

<sup>19</sup>Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, <sup>20</sup>by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, <sup>21</sup>and since we have a great priest over the house of God, <sup>22</sup>let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. <sup>23</sup>Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.

<sup>24</sup>And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works,

<sup>25</sup>not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

**STAFF**

Dr. Guy L. Richardson, Interim Minister  
Rev. Richard Owens, Minister to Youth and Families  
Andrew Craig, Choir Director  
Cyndi Savage, Pianist  
Ellen Hey, Children's Ministry Coordinator  
Debbie McCuan, Secretary/Office Manager  
Kim Pillow, Financial Secretary  
Elizabeth O'Brien, Nursery Coordinator

**OFFICERS**

**SESSION**

Lee Coleman  
John W. Downs, *Clerk of Session*  
Clinton M. Guenther  
Trey O'Brien  
Stephen Pillow  
Kent Savage, *Moderator*  
William Montgomery, *Elder Emeritus*

**DIACONATE**

Justin Braswell  
Gary Dyksterhouse, *Chairman*  
Rob Joiner  
Kim Makamson  
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John Patridge  
Neil Pillow  
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