

THE LORD’S DAY WORSHIP

The Twentieth 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

The Call to Worship

‡The Hymn No. 53— “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

‡The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

The Old Testament Reading

Psalm 65:4-13.....Johnny Smith

The New Testament Reading and Pastoral Prayer

Luke 12:22-31.....Richard Owens

‡The Hymn No. 32 — “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

The Presentation of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

*Anthem — “Wonderful Grace of Jesus”

Wonderful grace of Jesus, greater than all my sin;
How shall my tongue describe it, where shall its praise begin?
Taking away my burden, setting my spirit free;
For the wonderful grace of Jesus reaches me.

*Wonderful the matchless grace of Jesus, deeper than the mighty rolling sea;
Wonderful grace, all sufficient for me, for even me.
Broader than the scope of my transgressions, greater far than all my sin and shame,
O magnify the precious Name of Jesus.
Praise His Name!*

Wonderful grace of Jesus, reaching the most defiled,
By its transforming power, making him God’s dear child,
Purchasing peace and heaven, for all eternity;
And the wonderful grace of Jesus reaches me.

Wonderful grace of Jesus, greater than all my sin;
How shall my tongue describe it, where shall its praise begin?
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The Prayer of Illumination

The Reading of Holy Scripture — Numbers 11 (Pew Bible 119)

The Sermon — “Graves of Craving”.....Dr. Guy L. Richardson

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

‡Benediction

‡Song of Thanksgiving — “Give Thanks”

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

‡Congregation standing.

GIVE THANKS

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One,

Give thanks because He’s given Jesus Christ, His Son.

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And now let the weak say, “I am strong,”

Let the poor say, “I am rich – because of what the Lord has done for us.”

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Let the poor say, “I am rich – because of what the Lord has done for us.”

Give thanks!

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: 6th grade through 12th grade

Where: Fireside Room

Teacher: Richard Owens

CHILDREN’S SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Who: 4th and 5th grade

Where: Classroom by the Library

Teacher: Meagan Reans

Who: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd 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

THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

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: Trey and Elizabeth O’Brien

11:20 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

1:30 p.m. Christmas Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Ladies Bible Study group will not meet this week

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23

No Wednesday Night activities this week – will resume Nov. 30th

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27

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. Christmas Choir Rehearsal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN’S CHOIR REHEARSAL. Andrew would like to meet with the children, grades Kindergarten – 5th Grades, in the Sanctuary during the Sunday school hour for the next couple of weeks.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING. All Youth and Children will meet at the church on Wednesday, December 14 from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. for Christmas Caroling and supper.

FLOWERS. The flowers today are given to the glory of God by John Downs in celebration of marriage.

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.

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 November are: November 20 – Stephen and Kim Pillow; November 27 – Trey and Elizabeth O’Brien and for December are: December 4 – Neil and Allison Pillow; December 11 – Johnny and Georgeanne Smith; and December 18 – Walter and Stevie 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.

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

**THE CALL TO WORSHIP
(FROM PSALM 135)**

Pastor: Praise the Lord! Praise the name of the Lord, give praise, O servants of the Lord,

People: *For I know that the Lord is great, and that our Lord is above all gods.*

Pastor: Whatever the Lord pleases, he does, in heaven and on earth, in the seas and all deeps.

People: *He it is who makes the clouds rise at the end of the earth, who makes lightning for the rain and brings forth the wind from his storehouses.*

Pastor and People: **Your name, O Lord, endures forever. Praise the Lord!**

The Old Testament Reading: Psalm 65:4-13

⁴ *Blessed is the one you choose and bring near, to dwell in your courts! We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, the holiness of your temple!* ⁵ *By awesome deeds you answer us with righteousness, O God of our salvation, the hope of all the ends of the earth and of the farthest seas;* ⁶ *the one who by his strength established the mountains, being girded with might;* ⁷ *who stills the roaring of the seas, the roaring of their waves, the tumult of the peoples,* ⁸ *so that those who dwell at the ends of the earth are in awe at your signs. You make the going out of the morning and the evening to shout for joy.* ⁹ *You visit the earth and water it; you greatly enrich it; the river of God is full of water; you provide their grain, for so you have prepared it.* ¹⁰ *You water its furrows abundantly, settling its ridges, softening it with showers, and blessing its growth.* ¹¹ *You crown the year with your bounty; your wagon tracks overflow with abundance.* ¹² *The pastures of the wilderness overflow, the hills gird themselves with joy,* ¹³ *the meadows clothe themselves with flocks, the valleys deck themselves with grain, they shout and sing together for joy.*

The New Testament Reading: Luke 12:22-31

²² *And he said to his disciples, "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat, nor about your body, what you will put on."* ²³ *For life is more than food, and the body more than clothing.* ²⁴ *Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them. Of how much more value are you than the birds!* ²⁵ *And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life?* ²⁶ *If then you are not able to do as small a thing as that, why are you anxious about the rest?* ²⁷ *Consider the lilies, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.* ²⁸ *But if God so clothes the grass, which is alive in the field today, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, how much more will he clothe you, O you of little faith!* ²⁹ *And do not seek what you are to eat and what you are to drink, nor be worried.* ³⁰ *For all the nations of the world seek after these things, and your Father knows that you need them.* ³¹ *Instead, seek his kingdom, and these things will be added to you.*

*The Music of Christmas:
A Service of Lessons and Carols
December 4, 6:00 p.m.*

*"For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given
(Isaiah 9:6)."*

*Mark your calendar and join us for an
evening of praise to God for the gift of His
Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.*

*The service will feature Scripture readings
and our Adult and Children's Choirs.*

*Make plans to stay for the reception in the
Fellowship Hall featuring an assortment of
holiday goodies!*

*Invite your friends and family as we
celebrate the coming of the One who changes
everything.*

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