Westminster Tresbyterian Church The Lord's Day Morning Worship

May 30, AD 2021

10:55 AM

The Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Let us prepare ourselves for worship. Use this time for silent prayer and meditation on the Word. "Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty! You are worthy to receive glory, and honor, and power: for You have created all things, and for Your pleasure they are and were created. Blessed be Your Divine Majesty, who has given us Your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and to worship one God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We beseech You that You would keep us steadfast in this faith, and in holiness of life; and give us grace to walk worthy of You; who lives and reigns ever one God, world without end. Amen."

Welcome and Announcements

*The Call to Worship

Psalm 115:1-3

Minister: Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but to Your Name give glory. Because of Your mercy, because of Your truth. Why should the Gentiles say, "So where is their God?"

All: But our God is in heaven; He does whatever He pleases. *Minister:* Let us worship God!

The Lord's Praise

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer Pastor Reiber

*Hymn #76: Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven Lauda Anima

Confession of Sin Psalm 51:1-10 *Minister:* Make confession to God the Lord, and let everyone

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All: Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Your lovingkindness; according to the multitude of Your tender mercies, blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. For I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. Against You, You only, have I sinned, and done what is evil in Your sight—That You may be found just when You speak, and

blameless when You judge. Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin my mother conceived me. Behold, You desire truth in the inward parts, and in the hidden part You will make me to know wisdom. Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Make me hear joy and gladness, that the bones You have broken may rejoice. Hide Your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 1:18

Minister: "Come now, and let us reason together," says the Lord, "Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, they shall be as wool." All: Amen.

Confession of Faith: *The Nicene Creed* p.846

The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer Pastor Reiber Offertory

*The Doxology p. 731 *Hymn #165: *Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim* Lyons

The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Reiber Scripture Titus 1:5-9; I Timothy 2:8-3:2 Sermon Christ's Qualified Men

Our Commitment

*Hymn #691: It Is Well with My Soul Ville Du Havre
*Benediction Pastor Reiber
Postlude

Remember to Prepare Your Hearts For Communion Next Sunday.

Morning Worship Sermon Outline

Text: Titus 1:5-9; I Timothy 2:8-3:2

Title: Christ's Qualified Men

Introduction

- I. Important distinctions concerning office in Christ's Church.
 - A. The first distinction is that an elder, an overseer, must be a man and not a woman.
 - B. The second distinction is that an elder, an overseer, can not be just any man.
- II. Important encouragements to those who would serve in the office of Christ's Church!
 - A. An encouragement to those who would desire this office.
 - B. What is to be the focus of this aspiration?
- III. Important encouragements to Christ's Church!
 - A. Encouragement for the people of God: Christ makes elders.
 - B. Encouragement for the people of God: Take Great Care.
 - C. Encouragement for the people of God: The Lord will Provide all that we need.

^{*}Congregation Standing

Today and this week

Sunday 10:55 Morning Worship Wednesday 6:00 VBS Meeting

6:30 Prayer Meeting/Bible Study

Upcoming Events

Dessert Social honoring Anna Faloon, June 6, 6:30 PM **Officer Nominations,** June 1-August 10

Westminster Shorter Catechism #50: What does the second commandment require? The second commandment requires us to receive, respectfully perform, and preserve completely and purely all the regulations for religion and worship that God has established in His word.

Announcements

Welcome to Westminster – The Westminster family extends a warm welcome to all who worship with us this morning. We pray that God's rich blessings in Christ may be yours. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day.

There is a VBS Meeting Wednesday at 6:00 PM for anyone interested in helping.

Prayer Meeting/Bible Study will meet at 6:30 pm Wednesday in the Sanctuary.

Next week is the first Sunday of the month and we will be coming to the Lord's table. Be sure to prepare. LC #171 How are they that receive the sacrament of the Lord's supper to prepare themselves before they come unto it? They that receive the sacrament of the Lord's supper are, before they come, to prepare themselves thereunto, by examining themselves of their being in Christ, of their sins and wants; of the truth and measure of their knowledge, faith, repentance; love to God and the brethren, charity to all men, forgiving those that have done them wrong; of their desires after Christ, and of their new obedience; and by renewing the exercise of these graces, by serious meditation and fervent prayer.

A dessert social honoring Anna Faloon, who is moving to North Carolina, will be next Sunday, June 6, at 6:30 PM at the church.

Vacation Bible School- Please let Frances or Amy Warren know if you can help with VBS. We also need the names and ages of kids who will be attending VBS.

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Homebound Jackie LaBarre Communion: June 6 Pray for those with birthdays: Karen Kirk, Martha Mashburn, 2 Bible Readings: II Sa 15:23-24:25; Jn 18:25-Acts 3:26; Ps 119:113-123:4; Prov 16:10-23

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