Westminster Presbyterian Church The Lord's Day Morning Worship

June 13, 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. "O Lord, who never fails to help and govern them whom You bring up in Your steadfast fear and love; Keep us, we beseech You, under the protection of Your good providence, and make us to have a perpetual fear and love of Your holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen." Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Missions

*The Call to Worship

Psalm 65:4

Minister: How blessed is the man You choose, and cause to approach You, that he may dwell in Your courts. *All:* **We shall be satisfied with the goodness of Your house, of Your holy temple.** *Minister:* Let us worship God!

The Lord's Praise

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer Pastor Reiber *Hymn 101: Come, Thou Almighty King Trinity Confession of Sin *Reformed Liturgy of the Palatinate* All: We, poor sinners, acknowledge before You, our God and Creator, that we have terribly and in many ways sinned against You, not only outwardly, but much more with inward blindness, unbelief, doubts, despondency, impatience, pride, covetousness, envy, hatred, malice, and other sinful affections, as You, our Lord and God, know well, and we cannot deeply enough deplore. But we repent of these things, and are sorry for them, and heartily ask You for mercy, for the sake of Your beloved Son Jesus Christ. Amen. Assurance of Pardon Colossians 1:13.14 Minister: He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom

we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins. *All:* **Amen.**

Confession of Faith: *The Apostles' Creed* Back of Hymnal

The Lord's GiftsPastor ReiberOffertory PrayerPastor ReiberOffertory*The Doxologyp. 731*Hymn:Speak O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to receive the food of Your holy word. Take your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and fashion us in your likeness, that the light of Christ might be seen today in our acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us all Your purposes, for Your glory.

Teach us Lord full obedience, holy reverence, true humility. Test our thoughts and our attitudes in the radiance of Your purity. Cause our faith to rise, cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority. Words of powr that can never fail; Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak O Lord, and renew our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us. Truths unchanged from the dawn of time, that will echo down through eternity. And by grace we'll stand on Your promises; And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us. Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built and the earth is filled with Your glory.

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The Lord's Word

Pastoral P	rayer	Pastor Reiber
Scripture	,	Titus 1:5-7; I Timothy 3:1,2,8-10
Sermon	Christ's Own Gifts:	Blameless

Our Commitment

*Hymn #338: Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart Morecambe *Benediction Pastor Reiber Postlude

*Congregation Standing

Morning Worship Sermon Outline

Text: Titus 1:5-7; I Timothy 3:1,2,8-10 Title: Christ's Own Gifts: Blameless

Introduction

I. The first qualification is general: Blameless

A. What *blameless* does not mean

B. What *blameless* does mean

II. The Specific Qualification: Husband of one wife Questions:

A. Does this mean a man has to be married to be a pastor, elder, or deacon?

B. Does this exclude a man who has been widowed and remarried?

C. Does this exclude the man divorced on biblical grounds?

Today and this week

Sunday10:55Morning WorshipWednesday6:30Prayer Meeting/Bible Study

Upcoming Events

Officer Nominations, June 1-August 10
Vacation Bible School, June 21-25, 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon
VBS Closing Program, June 25, 6:30 PM
Sunday School Resumes, July 11, 9:45 AM
Evening Worship Resumes, July 18, 6:00 PM

Westminster Shorter Catechism #52: *What are the reasons for the second commandment?* The reasons for the second commandment are that God totally rules over us, that we belong to Him, and that He is eager to be worshipped correctly.

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.

Our flowers are given to the glory of God by Donnie and Lexine Cool in memory of her brother Buddy Torrey.

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

Vacation Bible School is June 21-25 from 9:00 AM – Noon. This is a great opportunity to invite your neighbors and friends! If anyone wants to help with VBS, please see Frances Warren or Amy Warren.

Officer Nominations are open from June 1-August 10. There are 3 Deacon chairs and 3 Elder chairs open for nominations.

Easy On-line giving to WPC is now available. See the link on our website (www.wpcvicksburg.com). You may also text your gift by texting "Give" + amount (i.e. Give 100 to donate \$100) to 601-207-0484.

Missionaries of the Week Steven & Marion Spencer Homebound Jackie LaBarre Communion: July 4 Pray for those with birthdays: Ronnie Neihaus, 15; Phil Kirk, 17 Bible Readings: I Ki 11:1-21:29; Acts 9:1-13:15; Ps 131:1-137:9; Prov 17:4-16 Welcome To *Westminster Presbyterian Church* Presbyterian Church in America



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