# Westminster Tresbuterian Church The Lord's Day Morning Worship

10:55 AM November 7, 2021

## The Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Let us prepare ourselves for worship. Use this time for silent prayer and meditation on the Word. "O God, our refuge and strength, who is the author of all godliness; Be ready, we beseech You, to hear the devout prayers of Your Church; and grant that those things which we ask faithfully we may obtain effectually; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Welcome and Announcements

## \*The Call to Worship

Galatians 1:3-5

Minister: Grace to you and peace from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ, who gave Himself for our sins, that He might deliver us from this present evil age,

All: according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Minister: Let us worship God!

## The Lord's Praise

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer Pastor Reiber \*Hymn #168: I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art Toulon \*Reading of the Law of God Front of the Hymnal Confession of Sin from Calvin's Liturgy **Minister:** My brethren, let each of you present himself before the face of the Lord, and confess his faults and sins, saying together with me: All: O Lord, God, eternal and almighty Father, we confess and acknowledge most sincerely before Your holy majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in iniquity and corruption, prone to do evil, incapable of any good, and that in our depravity we transgress Your holy commandments without end or ceasing: Wherefore we purchase for ourselves, through Your righteous judgment, our ruin and perdition. Nevertheless, O Lord, we are grieved that we have offended You: and we condemn ourselves and our sins with true repentance, beseeching Your grace to relieve our distress. O God and Father most gracious and full of compassion, have mercy upon us in the Name of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. And as you blot out our sins and stains, magnify and increase in us day by day the grace of Your Holy Spirit: that as we acknowledge our unrighteousness with all our heart, we may be moved by that sorrow which will bring forth true repentance in us, mortifying all our sins, and producing in us the fruits of righteousness and innocence which are pleasing unto You; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Minister: For when we were still without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die. But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.

All: Amen.

## The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer Pastor Reiber Offertory \*The Doxology p. 731

\*Hvmn #17: Praise the Lord: Ye Heavens Adore Him Faben

## The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Reiber Scripture Titus 2:11-15

Sermon The Gospel of Grace the Fountain of Christian Life and Duty IV

## The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

\*Hymn #257: Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted (v.1-3) O Mein Jesu The Lord's Supper

\*Hymn #257: Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted (v.4) O Mein Jesu \*Benediction Pastor Reiber

Postlude

\*Congregation Standing

# **Morning Worship Sermon Outline**

Text: Titus 2:11-15

Title: The Gospel of Grace the Fountain of Christian Life and Duty IV

#### Introduction

- I. The grand sweep of the power and effect of an experience of saving grace in Jesus Christ.
  - A. Grace teaches by direction in the way of holiness of life.
  - B. Grace teaches both to depart from evil and to do good.
  - C. Grace teaches us to renounce evil to renounce all sin.
- II. The Apostle addresses ungodliness and worldly lusts to be denied.
  - A. What does the Apostle say is the first thing to be denied?
  - B. What is it to "deny ungodliness"?
- III. Helps in denying all ungodliness
  - A. Make no exceptions of ungodliness.
  - B. Examine your heart for hidden ungodliness.
  - C. Earnestly pray that the desire of your heart for the Lord to show you anything which grieves His Spirit be made known to you.
  - D. When any sins break out then be about putting them to death.

## Evening Worship 6:00 PM

Prelude

Romans 5:6-9

\*Call to Worship Pastor Reiber

\*Invocation

\*Hymn #119: I Sing the Almighty Power of God Forest Green

**Evening Prayer** 

\*Hymn #361: O Praise Ye the Lord Laudate Dominum Scripture Reading: I Kings 11:1-8 Pastor Reiber

Sermon: Covenant Breaking

\*Hymn #149: Teach Me, O Lord, Your Way of Truth Bishop

Closing Prayer

# **Evening Worship Sermon Outline**

Text: I Kings 11:1-8 Title: Covenant Breaking

Introduction

- I. What was the occasion of King Solomon's fall?
  - A. He loved many foreign women.
  - B. He was drawn by these foreign women to worship false gods.
  - C. His heart was not wholly devoted to the Lord, but was turned away to other gods.
- II. How did King Solomon's fall occur?
  - A. Solomon's heart was turned away.
  - B. Solomon became a follower of other gods.
- III. Lessons of grief over this fall.
  - A. Grief over matters of the heart.
  - B. Grief over sins of older age.
  - C. Grief over inconsistency.
  - D. Grief over so great a fall.

# Today and this week

Sunday	9:45	<b>Education Hour</b>
	10:55	Morning Worship
	6:00	<b>Evening Worship</b>
Wednesday	6:00	Sanctuary Choir
	7:15	Prayer/Bible Study

# **Upcoming Events**

Session Meeting, November 18, 7:00 PM Thanksgiving Worship Service, November 21, 6:00 PM Congregational Meeting, December 12, 12:00 PM

Westminster Shorter Catechism #73: What is the eighth commandment? The eighth commandment is: You shall not steal.

The Lord's Supper at Westminster is for all those who have received Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, who do now repent, endeavor to live a holy life, and have publicly professed their faith through membership in an evangelical church. Children who have not publicly confessed Christ by being received by the Session into communicant Church membership should refrain from the Sacrament and learn by reverent observation; this, even though they may already have received Christ privately. Those without personal saving faith in Jesus Christ are to refrain from the Sacrament and are urged to repent and receive Him by faith. \*The bread is gluten free.

## **Announcements**

Welcome to Westminster – The Westminster family extends a warm welcome to all who worship with us this morning and this evening. We pray that God's rich blessings in Christ may be yours. Please complete the Registry which is found at the end of each pew. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day.

Adult and Youth Education Opportunities – Make Sunday School a priority. Adult – *Redemption Accomplished and Applied* by John Murray (Reiber). The Adult class is meeting in the Sanctuary. The Elementary, Jr. High, and High School classes are meeting in their normal classrooms.

**Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes** are due back at the church today. The cost to ship each box is \$9. Make checks payable to Samaritan's Purse with a note on the memo line that the donation is for Operation Christmas Child.

**Sanctuary Choir Practice** is at 6:00 pm on Wednesdays in the Sanctuary. The choir will sit in the pews to practice so everyone can distance. Anyone 9<sup>th</sup> grade and up is welcome to join.

**Prayer Meeting/Bible Study** meets at 7:15 pm on Wednesday evenings in the Sanctuary.

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

**To view WPC's** past and current livestreams of services, go to youtube.com and search for "wpcvick".



Homebound Jackie LaBarre Communion: Today

Pray for those with birthdays: Evelyn Harrison, 7; Frances Warren, 10

Bible Readings: Ezek 16:43-28:26; Heb 8:1-11:31; Ps 106:13-111:10; Prov 27:7-16

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