

*Westminster Presbyterian Church*  
*The Lord's Day Morning Worship*

November 14, 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, we beseech You, absolve Your people from their offenses; that through Your bountiful goodness we may all be delivered from the bands of those sins, which by our frailty we have committed; Grant this, O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord and Savior. Amen."**

Welcome and Announcements  
*Minute for Missions*

\*The Call to Worship Psalm 65:4

*Minister:* 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. Amen.**

*Minister:* Let us worship God!

The Lord's Praise

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer Pastor Reiber

\*Hymn #372: *Praise Waits for Thee in Zion* Nyland

Confession of Sin from *John Knox Liturgy*

***All:* Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into Your presence, because of our many sins. We do not deserve any grace or mercy from You, if You dealt with us as we deserve. We have sinned against You, O Lord, and we have offended You. And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses, so also do we acknowledge You to be a merciful God, a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to You. And so we humbly ask You, for the sake of Christ Your Son, to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses. Forgive the sins of our youth, and the sins of our old age. By Your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts, so that, not only the actions of our life, but also the words of our mouths, and the smallest thought of our minds, may be guided and governed by You. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with You and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon Psalm 103:8,10-12

*Minister:* The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in mercy...He has not dealt with us according to our sins, nor punished us according to our iniquities. For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is His mercy toward those who

fear Him; As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us.

*All:* **Amen.**

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

The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer Pastor Reiber

Offertory

\*The Doxology p. 731

\*Hymn #458: *What Tho' I Cannot Break My Chain* Arlington

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 V*

Our Commitment

\*Hymn #587: *Who Is on the Lord's Side?* Armageddon

\*Benediction Pastor Reiber

Postlude

\*Congregation Standing

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**Morning Worship Sermon Outline**

Text: Titus 2:11-15

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

Introduction

I. What are "worldly lusts"?

A. Sometimes *worldly lusts* are unlawful and others corrupt lawful things.

B. "For all that is in the world - the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life - is not of the Father but is of the world." I Jn. 2:16

II. What is it to *deny* worldly lusts?

A. Three Degrees of Denial & Three Duties

1. Keep them from arising and *putting them to death* to prevent the workings of lust or pride.

2. The next degree is to quickly suppress lusts, to conquer them when we cannot completely keep them under which requires the duty of *watchfulness*.

3. Finally, do not let worldly lusts be put into action and the duty is Christian *resolve* against them.

III. This shows us how little part in Christ those have who are still under the power of worldly lusts.

**Evening Worship**

6:00 PM

Prelude

\*Call to Worship Pastor Reiber

\*Invocation

\*Hymn #117: *The Spacious Firmament on High* Creation

Evening Prayer

\*Hymn #599: *Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us* Shepherd

Scripture Reading: I Kings 11:9-13 Pastor Reiber

Sermon: *Covenant Judgements*

\*Hymn #551: *How Blest Is He Whose Trespass* Rutherford

Closing Prayer

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**Evening Worship Sermon Outline**

Text: I Kings 11:9-13

Title: Covenant Judgements

Introduction

I. The Anger of the Lord

A. What a change?!

B. What brought this about?

1. Sin aggravated by ingratitude for special mercies.

2. Sin aggravated by willful disobedience.

II. The Message of Judgment

A. A just judgment and chastisement.

B. Yet God remains faithful to His covenant engagements.

C. The Lessons of Precious chastisement

## 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.

**Joint Session/Diaconate Meeting** is today at 5:00 PM.

**Thanksgiving Worship Service** is next Sunday evening, November 21, at 6:00.

**The Westminster Session has called a congregational meeting for December 12, 2021**, immediately after the morning worship service for the purposes of receiving the report of the 2022 Westminster Budgets and for the election of Elders and Deacons from the slate of nominee candidates approved by the Session.

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

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Missionary of the Week  
Homebound  
Communion:

Lee and Emma  
Jackie LaBarre  
December 5

Pray for those with birthdays: Jim Harrison, Matthew Warren, 15

Bible Readings: Ezek 29:1-41:26; Heb 11:32-Jas 4:17; Ps 112:1-118:29; Prov 27:17-28:5

Welcome  
To  
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### Today and this week

Sunday	9:45	Education Hour
	10:55	Morning Worship
	5:00	Joint Session/Diaconate
	6:00	Evening Worship
Tuesday	6:30	20s/30s Bible Study
Wednesday	6:00	Sanctuary Choir
	7:15	Prayer/Bible Study
Thursday	7:00	Session

### Upcoming Events

**Session Meeting**, November 18, 7:00 PM

**Thanksgiving Worship Service**, November 21, 6:00 PM

**Lessons and Carols**, December 5, 6:00 PM

**Congregational Meeting**, December 12, 12:00 PM

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**Westminster Shorter Catechism #74:** *What does the eighth commandment require?* The eighth commandment requires that we lawfully acquire and increase our own and others’ money and possessions.