

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

February 20, AD 2022

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 God, who sees that we put not our trust in any thing we do; Mercifully grant that by Your power we may be defended against all adversities; or so mightily aided by Your grace, that we may not faint under them; but having heard Your holy Word with honest and good hearts, we may keep it, and bring forth fruit with patience; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."**

Welcome and Announcements

\*The Call to Worship

Isaiah 12:4-6

*Leader:* Praise the Lord, call upon His Name; Declare His deeds among the peoples, make mention that His Name is exalted.

*All:* **Sing to the Lord for He has done excellent things...Cry out and shout, O inhabitants of Zion, for great is the holy One of Israel in our midst.**

*Leader:* Let us worship God!

The Lord's Praise

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Elder Warren

\*Hymn #2: *O Worship the King*

Lyons

Confession of Sin from *Form of Prayers, John Knox 1556*

*Leader:* Let us confess our sins to Almighty God:

*All:* **O Eternal God and most merciful Father, we confess and acknowledge here before Your Divine Majesty, that we are miserable sinners, conceived and born in sin and iniquity, so that in us there is no goodness. For the flesh evermore rebels against the spirit, whereby we continually transgress Your holy precepts and commandments, and so purchase to ourselves, through Your just judgment, death and damnation. Notwithstanding, O heavenly Father, forasmuch as we are displeased with ourselves for the sins that we have committed against You, and we do wholeheartedly and honestly repent for these: We most humbly beg You, for Jesus Christ's sake, to show Your mercy upon us, to forgive us all our sins, and to increase Your Holy Spirit in us: That we, acknowledging from the bottom of our hearts our own unrighteousness, may from henceforth not only put to death our sinful lusts and affections, but also bring forth such fruits as may be agreeable to Your most blessed will, not for the worthiness of these, but for the merits of Your dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ, our only Savior, who You have already given in the sacrifice and**

offering for sins; and for whose sake we are certainly persuaded that You will deny us nothing, that we shall ask in His Name, according to Your will. For Your Spirit does assure our consciences, that You are our merciful Father, and so love us Your children through Him, that nothing is able to remove Your heavenly grace and favor from us. To you, therefore, O Father, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Galatians 1:4

*Leader:* Christ gave Himself for our sins, that He might deliver us from this present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father.

*All:* **Amen.**

Confession of Faith: *The Nicene Creed*

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The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer

Elder Warren

\*The Doxology

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\*Hymn #334: *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

Trentham

The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer

Elder Warren

Scripture

Sermon

Our Commitment

\*Hymn #460: *Amazing Grace!*

Amazing Grace CM

\*Benediction

Mr. Bebo Elkin

Postlude

\*Congregation Standing

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**Morning Worship Sermon Notes**

*Evening Worship*

6:00 PM

Prelude

\*Call to Worship

Mr. Charlie Lutz

\*Invocation

\*Hymn #646: *Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts*

Quebec

Evening Prayer

\*Hymn #529: *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

Beecher

Scripture Reading: Luke 16:19-31

Rev. Paul Nasekos

Sermon: *Our Lord's Warning About Hell*

\*Hymn #601: *Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me*

Pilot

Closing Prayer

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**Evening Worship Sermon Outline**

Text: Luke 16:19-31

Title: Our Lord's Warning About Hell

I. How does God measure a man or a woman?

II. Death will be the end of this life for every living person.

III. The spirits of believers are treated well at death.

IV. Hell is real and eternal.

## Today and this week

Sunday	9:45	Education Hour
	10:55	Morning Worship
	6:00	Evening Worship
Tuesday	6:30	20s/30s Bible Study
Wednesday	6:30	Prayer Meeting

## Upcoming Events

**Retirement Reception for Pastor Reiber, March 4, 6-8 PM**

**Westminster Shorter Catechism #86:** *What is faith in Jesus Christ?* Faith in Jesus Christ is a saving grace, by which we receive and rest on Him alone for salvation, as He is offered to us in the gospel.

### Concerning In-Person Worship

The Session has authorized the following policies beginning **January 9, AD 2022**, pending any further developments.

#### Regarding Individuals Attending:

1. If you have a respiratory infection, cough, fever, have been exposed to or are under investigation for COVID-19 please make use of the live-stream and do not attend in person.
2. Wearing a mask is strongly encouraged while finding one's seat on arrival, as possible during the service, and when departing.

#### Regarding Entering and Exiting:

1. You are encouraged to maintain social distancing of 6 feet while entering and exiting the sanctuary.
2. Please use hand sanitizer upon entering and exiting the sanctuary.

#### Regarding Seating in the Sanctuary:

1. Every other pew will be marked off to maintain social distancing.

#### Regarding Young People Sunday School:

1. Six foot spacing will be requested and/or masks if this is not possible and other factors call for this precaution.

## 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. The Adult class will be using the video and discussion series *Assurance of Faith* by Joel Beeke. The Adult class is meeting in the Parlor. The Elementary, Jr. High, and High School classes are meeting in their normal classrooms.

**This morning we welcome** Mr. Bebo Elkin to the Westminster Pulpit. Mr. Elkin was born in Kosciuko and grew up in Yazoo City. He is married to Jan, and they have 3 children and 5 grandchildren. He has degrees from Belhaven College (BA), RTS (M.Div.), Union Theological Seminary (Th.M.), University of Rhode Island (M.A.), and other graduate study at Florida State University. He worked with RUF for several decades and is now the Executive Director of Consulting Services Foundation.

**We welcome Rev. Paul L. Nasekos** to the Westminster Pulpit this evening. Rev. Nasekos has been married to Jeannette Marie Nasekos for 53 years. They live in Clinton, MS, and have 3 children and 13 grandchildren. Paul attended Wheaton College, Columbia International University, and RTS. He is ordained in the PCA, served churches in SC, VA, FL, and MS, and is now honorably retired. He served for 14 years as the director for the Greater Jackson Area Chapter of Child Evangelism Fellowship® (CEF®) in central Mississippi. For the past two years, he has served as Assistant to the President of TAG Kids' Club® (TKC®), a smaller but similar ministry in the southeast and Malawi.

**Tithes and Offerings** may be given at the collection points on either side of the front and rear of the sanctuary as offering plates will not be passed.

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Homebound

Jackie LaBarre

Communion:

March 6

Pray for those with birthdays: Kinsey Karel, 21; Mandy

Walker, 22; Bill Gatewood, 25

Bible Readings: Lev 9:7-20:21; Mk 4:26-8:38; Ps 37:30-

42:11; Prov 10:6-17

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