

Westminster Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day Morning Worship

May 1, 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. “Almighty God, who has given Your only Son to be to us both a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life; Give us grace that we may always most thankfully receive His inestimable benefit, and also daily endeavor ourselves to follow the blessed steps of His most holy life: that dying to sin, and living to righteousness, we may at last obtain eternal life: Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.”

Welcome and Announcements

*The Call to Worship Psalm 57:9-11

Leader: I will praise You, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing to You among the nations.

All: For Your mercy reaches unto the heavens, and Your truth unto the clouds. Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; Let Your glory be above all the earth.

Leader: Let us worship God!

The Lord's Praise

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer Elder Monroe

*Hymn #263: Lift High the Cross Crucifer

*Reading of the Law of God Front of the Hymnal

Confession of Sin

Leader: Let us pray together, confessing our sins before the Lord:

All: O Lord, we openly acknowledge that You have searched us and known us. You know our sitting down and our rising up; You understand our thoughts afar off and are acquainted with all our ways. There is nowhere that we can flee from Your presence. Therefore, we ask that You discover to us our sins so that we may humble ourselves again in Your presence and seek Your forgiveness and grace. We openly acknowledge that we have tolerated sinful thoughts, committed sins of omission leaving off what we ought to have done and sins of commission transgressing Your holy law. But we seek Your mercy and cleansing from our sins by the blood of Christ Jesus our Lord. We thank You for Your Spirit who enables us to walk in holiness and obedience. Give us by Your grace and Spirit that we may love, obey, and please You this day and forever. In the Name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Psalm 103:8,10-12

Leader: 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.

The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer Elder Monroe

*The Doxology p. 731

*Hymn #486: God, Be Merciful to Me Redhead

The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer Elder Monroe

Scripture James 4:13-15

Sermon Making a List and Checking It Twice

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Hymn #425: Bread of the World in Mercy Broken (v. 1) Eucharistic

The Lord's Supper

*Hymn #425: Bread of the World in Mercy Broken (v. 2) Eucharistic

*Benediction Pastor Herring

Postlude

*Congregation Standing

Morning Worship Sermon Outline

Text: James 4:13-15

Title: Making a List and Checking It Twice

Introduction: Time Marches On...

I. Priorities In Your Personal Life, Proverbs 4:23

II. Priorities In Your Family Life, Ephesians 5:18

III. Priorities In Your Church Life, Hebrews 10:25

IV. Priorities In The World, Philippians 2:14-15

Conclusion: I want to be like Katherine Clark, faithful to the end...!

Evening Worship

6:00 PM

Prelude

*Call to Worship Mr. Mark Monroe

*Invocation

*Hymn #565: All for Jesus! Wycliff

Evening Prayer

*Hymn #561: Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak Canonbury

Scripture Reading: I Corinthians 15:12-28 Mr. Nick Gerken

Sermon The Resurrection and the Resurrected

*Hymn #332: Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove St. Agnes

Closing Prayer

Evening Worship Sermon Outline

Text: I Corinthians 15:12-28

Title: The Resurrection and the Resurrected

Consequence #1: Without the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, we would have no hope of resurrection.

Consequence #2: Without the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, our Gospel message and faith is empty and fruitless.

Consequence #3: Without the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, we are still dead in our sins.

Consequence #4: Without the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, all who have died beforehand are gone forever.

Consequence #5: Without the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, we are the most pitiful of all people.

Consequence #6: Because of the resurrection, we have a new and last Adam.

Consequence #7: Because of the resurrection, God's promised kingdom is inaugurated and growing until all his enemies are under his feet.

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 *Romans 8* by Derek Thomas. The Adult class is meeting in the Parlor. The Elementary, Jr. High, and High School classes are meeting in their normal classrooms.

Please welcome Mr. George Stubblefield to Westminster Presbyterian Church! The Session met with Mr. Stubblefield on April 27 to receive him into membership by transfer from Trinity Presbyterian Church in Tuscaloosa, AL.

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.

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

Easy On-line giving to WPC is available. See the link at www.wpcvicksburg.com or 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
Bible Readings: Judg 13:1-I Sa 2:21; Jn 1:29-5:23; Ps 102:1-105:45; Prov 14:15-29

Welcome
To
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Presbyterian Church in America



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Proclaiming the Savior ♦ Equipping the Saints ♦ Reaching Out in Love

Today and this week

Sunday	9:45	Education Hour
	10:55	Morning Worship
	6:00	Evening Worship
Monday	6:30	Ping Pong
Tuesday	9:00	PMV
Wednesday	6:30	Prayer Meeting

Upcoming Events

Family Night Supper, May 11

Westminster Shorter Catechism #91: *How do the sacraments become effective means of salvation?* The sacraments become effective means of salvation, not because of any special power in them or in the people who administer them, but rather by the blessing of Christ and the working of His Spirit in those who received them by faith.

This morning we welcome Pastor Wayne Herring to the Westminster Pulpit. Wayne Herring is a native of Brandon, MS. and a graduate of Mississippi State University and Reformed Theological Seminary. He has been a Presbyterian Minister for almost 50 years and is currently the Chief Development Officer for the Administrative Committee of the PCA. He is married to Dr. Dena Gibson and they live on a farm outside of Raymond, MS. Between them, they have 22 grandchildren.

We welcome Mr. Nicholas Gerken to the Westminster Pulpit this evening. Mr. Gerken is an RTS student in Jackson, Mississippi studying for his Masters of Divinity. He has been striving through school and internships for the past 7 years in the hopes of becoming a minister of God's Word and faithfully pastor a church. He is originally from the Chicagoland area in Illinois where the rest of his family lives.