

Westminster Presbyterian Church
The Lord's Day Morning Worship

August 14, 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 God, the strength of all them that put their trust in You, mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without You, grant us the help of Your grace, that we, steadfastly believing in Your Son Jesus Christ, and loving one another as He has given us commandment, may please You, both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Missions

*The Call to Worship

Psalm 100:1,2

Leader: Make a joyful shout to the Lord, all you lands!

All: Serve the Lord with gladness; Come before His presence with singing.

Leader: Let us worship God!

The Lord's Praise

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Elder Warren

*Hymn #465: *Marvelous Grace of Our Loving God* Moody
Confession of Sin from the *Book of Common Prayer*

All: Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against Thy Divine Majesty, provoking most justly Thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us; the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, for Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please Thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 53:5,6

Leader: But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way; And the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

All: Amen.

Confession of Faith: *The Apostles' Creed*

Back of Hymnal

The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer

Elder Warren

Musical Offering

Mrs. Mary Margaret Culpepper

*The Doxology

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*Hymn #347:

The Church's One Foundation

Aurelia

The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer

Elder Warren

Scripture

Matthew 7:24-28

Sermon: *Batten Down the Hatches-Storms Are Coming*

Our Commitment

*Hymn of the Month:

O Church Arise

Words in Bulletin

*Benediction

Pastor Herring

Postlude

**Congregation Standing*

Morning Worship Sermon Outline

Text: Matthew 7:24-28

Title: Batten Down the Hatches-Storms Are Coming

Introduction: Borden of Yale

1. The Differences In Foundation: Verses 24-26

2. The Coming Of Storms: Verse 27

3. The Final Outcome: Verse 28; How Did Borden Survive? What about the people who heard The Sermon On The Mount?

Evening Worship

6:00 PM

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Mr. Jim Harrison

*Invocation

*Hymn #308:

Jesus Paid It All

All to Christ

Evening Prayer

*Hymn #682:

In Thee, O Lord, I Put My Trust

In Thee

Scripture Reading: II Corinthians 4:1-7

Dr. Mike Ahlberg

Sermon: *The Lord Is Our Help*

*Hymn #700:

Come, We That Love the Lord

St. Thomas

Closing Prayer

Evening Worship Sermon Outline

Text: II Corinthians 4:1-7

Title: The Lord Is Our Help

A. vs. 1 - Our hope rests in the mercy of the Lord.

B. vs. 2 - Integrity is our shield.

C. vs. 2 - The Word of God is our sword.

D. vv. 3-4 - The god of this age is our enemy.

E. vv. 5-6 - The Lord Jesus Christ is our champion.

F. vs. 7 - Almighty God is our power.

Today and this week

Sunday	9:45	Education Hour
	10:55	Morning Worship
	12:00	Soups, Salads, Sandwiches, & Sweets
	6:00	Evening Worship
Monday	6:30	Ping Pong
Tuesday	6:30	20s/30s Bible Study
Thursday	7:00	Session

Upcoming Events

Officer Nominations, June 26-August 31

Westminster Shorter Catechism #106: *For what do we pray in the sixth request? In the sixth request (And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one) we pray that God would either keep us from being tempted to sin or support and deliver us when we are tempted.*

O Church Arise

O Church, arise, and put your armor on; Hear the call of Christ our Captain; For now the weak can say that they are strong in the strength that God has given. With shield of faith and belt of Truth, we'll stand against the devil's lies; An army bold, whose battle cry is love, reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor; And with the sword that makes the wounded whole, we will fight with faith and valor. When faced with trials on e'ry side, we know the outcome is secure; And Christ will have the prize for which He died; an inheritance of nations.

Come, see the cross where love and mercy meet, As the Son of God is stricken; Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, for the Conqueror has risen! And as the stone is rolled away and Christ emerges from the grave, this victory march continues till the day every eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit, come, put strength in ev'ry stride. Give grace for ev'ry hurdle, That we may run with faith to win the prize, of a servant good and faithful. As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace, We hear their calls and hunger for the day when with Christ we stand in glory.

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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 *The Book of Job* by Derek Thomas.

Please join us for Soup, Salad, Sandwiches, and Sweets Lunch after morning worship in the Fellowship Hall.

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 Dr. Mike Ahlberg to the Westminster Pulpit this evening. Dr. Mike Ahlberg and his wife Robin are from Colorado. Mike graduated from RTS, Jackson, in 1982, where he later received a Dr. of Divinity Degree. He has served as a PCA pastor for the last 40 years, mostly in MS, and now preaches regularly in various PCA churches. Mike is looking for a call. Mike and Robin both lost their first spouses a number of years ago and married each other in 2005. Both have two children from their first marriages, and are now raising a 13-year-old grandson, Flint.

Officer Nominations close August 31. There are 3 Deacon chairs and 7 Elder chairs open for nominations.

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.

Missionaries of the Week Jim and Mary Alice Patterson
Homebound Jackie LaBarre
Communion: September 4
Pray for those with birthdays: Laura Wells, David Sheffield, 14;
Gil Smith, 16
Bible Readings: Neh 7:61-9:21; I Cor 9:1-12:31; Ps 33:12-37:11;
Prov 21:11-24

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