

Westminster Presbyterian Church
The Lord's Day Morning Worship

November 6, 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 and merciful God, of whose gift alone it comes that Your faithful people do unto You true and laudable service; Grant, we beseech You, that we may so faithfully serve You in this life, that we do not fail finally to attain Your heavenly promises; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Welcome and Announcements

*The Call to Worship

Galatians 1:3-5

Leader: 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.**

Leader: Let us worship God!

The Lord's Praise

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Elder Harrison

*Hymn of the Month:

Psalms 92:1-9

Words in Bulletin

*Reading of the Law of God

Front of the Hymnal

Confession of Sin

from *Calvin's Liturgy*

Leader: 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

Romans 5:8-9

Leader: 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

Elder Harrison

*The Doxology

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*Hymn #251:

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

St. Christopher

The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer

Elder Harrison

Scripture

Isaiah 36:13-20; 37:14-20

Sermon: *Hezekiah: Exalted Vision of God*

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Hymn #254: *Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed (v.1-3)*

Martyrdom

The Lord's Supper

*Hymn #254: *Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed (v.4-5)*

Martyrdom

*Benediction

Dr. Robert Penny

Postlude

**Congregation Standing*

Morning Worship Sermon Outline

Text: Isaiah 36:13-20; 37:14-20

Title: Hezekiah: Exalted Vision of God

I. The Lord Has a Zeal for His Name and Glory.

II. The Lord's Servants Have Had a Zeal for His Name and Glory.

III. The Lord Desires Us to Have a Zeal for His Name and Glory.

Conclusion: The Humble Will See the Glory of God.

Evening Worship

6:00 PM

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Dr. Gordon Sluis

*Invocation

*Hymn #175: *A Wonderful Savior Is Jesus My Lord* Kirkpatrick

Evening Prayer

*Hymn #164: *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing* Azmon

Scripture Reading: II Corinthians 5:18-21

Dr. Mike Ahlberg

Sermon: *The Gift of Reconciliation*

Closing Prayer

Evening Worship Sermon Outline

Text: II Corinthians 5:18-21

Title: The Gift of Reconciliation

A. v.18 - All things come from God

1. Even reconciliation with God comes from God alone.

2. God Reconciles us to Himself through Christ.

B. v.19-21 - Reconciliation is the gift of God.

1. The gift of reconciliation cost God dearly.

2. Reconciliation is the gift of God's free grace.

C. v.19-21 - Our task is to spread the message of reconciliation.

1. The message of reconciliation is marching forward.

2. We must do our part.

Today and this week

Sunday	9:45	Education Hour
	10:55	Morning Worship
	6:00	Evening Worship
Monday	6:30	Ping Pong

Upcoming Events

Soups, Salads, Sandwiches, and Sweets Lunch, November 13

Thanksgiving Worship Service, November 20, 6:00 PM

Congregational Meeting, December 11, 12:00 PM

Westminster Shorter Catechism #11: *What is God's providence?*

God's providence is His completely holy, wise and powerful preserving and governing every creature and every action.

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.

Psalm 92:1-9

It's good to thank the Lord, To praise Your name, Most High!

To show Your love at dawn, Your faithfulness all night!

The ten-stringed lyre With sweet-voiced lute and rippling harp

Your praise inspire.

Your deeds, Lord, made me glad. I'll joy in what You've done.

How great Your doings, Lord! How deep Your thoughts each one!

Fools won't be shown; The foolish can't accept this truth,

To him unknown!

Though sinners grow like weeds, Ill-do-ers blossom may,

They're doomed to be destroyed. You Lord, exalted stay.

Lord, Your foes fall. See! How Your foes, vain evil men,

Are scattered all!

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 is using the video and discussion series *Luther and the Reformation* by R.C. Sproul.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes are due back at the church today. The cost to ship each box is \$10. Make checks payable to Samaritan's Purse with a note on the memo line that the donation is for Operation Christmas Child.

This morning we welcome Dr. Bob Penny to the Westminster Pulpit. Dr. Penny was born in Baton Rouge. He received degrees from Belhaven College, RTS, and Harding University, School of Religion. He has been a minister in the Presbyterian Church for 51 years and has served as pastor of several PCA churches in MS. He has also been a Christian school administrator and university instructor. Dr. Penny retired from RTS in 2013 and is currently an Adjunct Professor at African Bible College. His wife Adrienne is a watercolor artist, and they have 2 daughters, 1 son, and 6 grandchildren.

We welcome Dr. Mike Ahlberg this evening. Mike 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.

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Homebound

Communion:

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

Bible Readings: Ezek 14:12-26:21; Heb 7:18-11:16; Ps 106:1-110:7; Prov 27:4-14

Jackie LaBarre

Today

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