



Westminster PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JULY 6, 2025 AT 10AM | 4TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

An open and welcoming Christian community in service to God and neighbor

We Come Into God's Presence with Joy

Life of the Church

Introduction of New Members

Prelude

* Call to Worship

Suzanne Lange, liturgist

(congregation please read bold type)

The Holy One sends us out,

Not with pride or power, but with trust and tenderness.

We come, just as we are,

Ready to receive the gifts of others.

We come as neighbors and guests,

Seeking peace, sharing grace, bearing one another's burdens.

Let us worship the One who calls us together,

Who meets us with welcome, and teaches us to welcome others.

* Hymn #401

Here in This Place

GATHER US IN

* *You are invited to stand as you are able.*

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

Source of all that gives us life, we have turned away from your authority to our own small concerns. Forgive us for our failure to bear one another's burdens, for boasting of anything but your cross, for believing in our own power to justify our lives, and for denying your call to take comfort in you alone. Lead us to the river of life, that in all we do, we may honor your name. Amen.

adapted from Feasting on the Word: Liturgies for Year C

Silent prayers of confession.

Assurance of Grace

* Passing the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

* Song of Response #582 *Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me*

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

World without end, without end. Amen.

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World without end, without end. Amen.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

We Hear God's Word

First Reading of The Word **Galatians 6:1-10**

Anthem

A Moment to Wonder

Children are invited to come forward for a short lesson on the chancel steps.

Second Reading of the Word **Luke 10:1-11**

Sermon

Learning to Receive

Rev. Hannah Lundberg

We Respond to God's Word

* Song of Response #507 *Come to the Table of Grace*

Come to the table of grace.

Come to the table of grace.

This is God's table; it's not yours or mine.

Come to the table of grace.

Sacrament of Communion

Invitation to the Table

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

...Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with choirs of angels and archangels and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Song of Response #552 *Holy, Holy, Holy*

Holy, holy, holy, Lord. God of power and might

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest!

...Great is the mystery of faith:

Song of Response #553 *Christ Has Died; Christ Is Risen*

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Unison Prayer after Communion

Loving God, you have met us in this meal with simple gifts offered in love. As we go from this table, may we carry your peace, learn to rely on one another, and live as both guests and hosts in your beloved community. Strengthen us for the journey, that we may bear one another's burdens and receive your mercy anew each day. Amen.

Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

* Song of Response #714

God of the Fertile Fields, v2

**We would be stewards true,
holding in trust from you
all that you give;
help us in love to share,
teach us like you to care for people everywhere,
that all may live.**

* Prayer of Dedication

* Hymn #772

Live into Hope

TRURO

We Go Forth to Serve

* Dismissal

And let all God's people say:
Alleluia! Amen!

Postlude

This Week's News

Summer Schedule: From June 22 through August 31, worship will begin at 10:00am. The Fellowship Hall Class meets before worship, from 9:00 to 9:45am, and Reading Through the Bible gathers afterward, from 11:15 to 12:15pm.

Welcome to our new members! Today we joyfully welcome Susan Stanton, Stacy and Emile Muallem, and Rachel Croxton as the newest members of Westminster Presbyterian Church! All four have been worshipping with us regularly, and have now chosen to officially join the church. Please offer them a warm welcome, and look forward to reading more about their stories in the August edition of *The Link*. If you are interested in becoming a member, speak with Pastor Hannah for more information.

Landscaping help: We are looking for volunteers to help with some landscaping tasks: weeding, periodic watering of the flowers, deadheading the roses, and various small jobs. If interested, contact Margaret Klammer (mklammer@comcast.net) or Bob Hufnagel (hufncaro@comcast.net).

We pray for our Westminster family

Ongoing needs: Fran Bolhouse, Cara Doane, Anne Gensheimer

Condolences to Dot MacArthur and family on the June 28 death of Dot's brother-in-law, Douglas MacArthur.

For deacon care, contact your deacon directly or send an email to the deacon moderator, Janet Eaton (jmfeaton@umich.edu). To list prayer requests here, in the *Friday Good Things Are Happening* email, or Prayer Chain, contact Jill Fairchild (jill@thefairchilds.net or 734-417-0816). You can join our email prayer chain by contacting Jill. To keep us current, please share updates on those for whom we are praying.

Grow in Faith and Friendship

Reading Through the Bible Group meets Sundays after worship at 11:15am for the summer. Please contact Marcia Anderson (hilden.anderson@gmail.com; 734-757-4305) for more info.

Sunday Morning Adult Ed meets in the fellowship hall at 9am for the summer.

Monday Conversations are weekly at 1pm online: an opportunity to discuss Sunday's sermon in a small group. The Zoom invitation is in the Friday *Good Things* and Sunday podcast emails.

Mary Martha Group meets the first and third Mondays at 7pm via Zoom. Please contact Margaret Klammer (mklammer@comcast.net) for more information.

Matthew 25 Study Group meets at 7pm on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. For meeting information please contact Elizabeth Tidd (lizabeth0405@yahoo.com) or Carol Hufnagel (carol.hufnagel@tetrattech.com).

Thursday Book Club is wrapped up for the Summer, and will resume in the Fall. Please contact Linda Harnisch with questions (rlharnisch@gmail.com).

Welcome to Westminster

Our Values: Love, Compassion, Connection, Inclusion, Earth-Care, Service

Our Mission: Show the love of Jesus Christ by welcoming everyone, without exception, into the full life of the church; participating in the joyful worship of God; engaging in regular study, reflection, prayer and sharing of our faith; committing ourselves and our resources to the spiritual and physical needs of our church family and neighbors near and far; seeking to be a good neighbor in our neighborhood.

Sunday worship podcasts are at bit.ly/westpres_online.

For deacon care, please contact Janet Eaton (jmfeaton@umich.edu).

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