



The Order of Worship

June 12, 2022  
10:00 A.M.

TRINITY SUNDAY

Welcome to Westminster Church! We are a family of Christians gathered from many traditions and neighborhoods, worshipping here with the goal of connecting faith and life. If you are a visitor, we pray you will feel welcome and blessed by our worship. We invite you to consider making Westminster your church home. Please let us have your contact information so we may be in touch.

PRELUDE O Trinity of Blessed Light Camil Van Hulse  
 OPPORTUNITIES AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION  
 CALL TO WORSHIP Barbara Adamcik

One: Come, weary one,  
**Many: for God is in this place.**  
 One: Come, restless one,  
**Many: for God is in this place.**  
 One: Come, hopeful one,  
**Many: for God is in this place.**  
 One: Come, curious one,  
**Many: for God is in this place.**  
 One: God is in me, and God is in you.  
**Many: So, in every place; in this place,**  
 One: God is here.

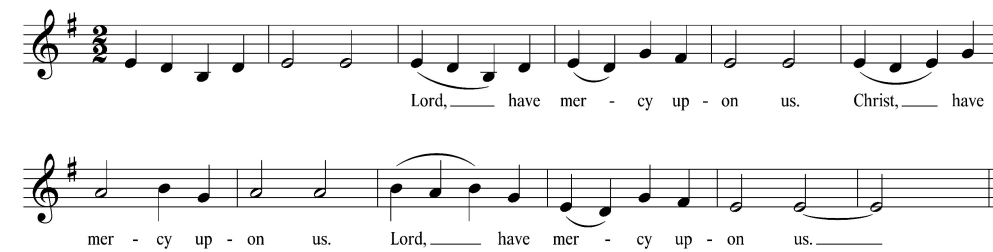
TO PRAISE AND CONFESS ...

\*HYMN NO. 1 (Glory to God hymnal) Holy, Holy, Holy  
 \*CALL TO CONFESSION

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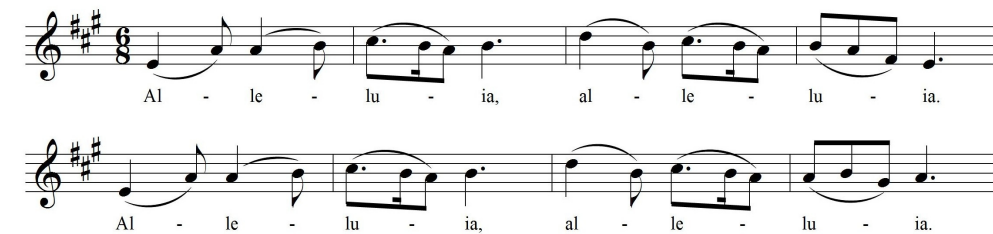
\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)  
 God of infinite mercy, when we neglect the humbleness of knowing our place in this world, forgive us;  
 when we trade your peace and calls for unity for conflict and violence, forgive us;  
 when we forsake our good character, to join those who scoff at your ways, forgive us;  
 when we ignore your truth, and turn away from your wisdom, forgive us.  
 Forgive us and heal us, Lord, that we may abide in your grace and your love forever. Amen.

\*KYRIE ELEISON arr. David N. Johnson



\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON  
 Leader: Friends, believe the Good News!  
 People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

\*RESPONSE Celtic Alleluia (sing twice) Fintan O'Carroll



TO EXPERIENCE GOD'S WORD AND RESPOND ...

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN Melanie Lewis  
 Children age 4 through 4<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to go downstairs and participate in Children's Worship.

INFANT BAPTISM OF IRA AUTHOR FREEMAN  
 son of Chris and Abby Freeman

SCRIPTURE Proverbs 8:1-4; 22-31  
 SCRIPTURE Romans 5:1-5  
 SERMON "The Connection that Carries" Rev. Dr. Anne McKee

\*HYMN NO. 10 (Glory to God hymnal) Sing Glory to the Name of God  
 Lasst uns erfreuen

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF WENDY COLLINS AS Elder  
 Leader: There are varieties of gifts,  
 People: but it is the same Spirit who gives them.  
 Leader: There are different ways of serving God,  
 People: but it is the same Lord who is served.  
 Leader: God works through each person in a unique way,  
 People: but it is God's purpose that is accomplished.  
 Leader: To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good.  
 People: Together we are the body of Christ, and individually members of it.

Leader: We are all called into the church of Jesus Christ by baptism and marked as Christ's own by the Holy Spirit. This is our common calling, to be disciples and servants of Christ. Within the church, some are called to particular service. Ordination is Christ's gift to the church, assuring that his ministry continues among us, providing for ministries of caring and compassion in the world, ordering the governance of the church, and preaching the Word and administering the sacraments.

Presentation:  
 Questions to the candidate and congregation  
 Prayer of ordination

Those previously ordained as elders are invited to come forward for the laying on of hands.

Declaration and welcome

THE OFFERING

Please sign and pass the Friendship Register, your holding and passing the offering plate is an act of blessing and dedication to our life together in Jesus Christ.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Fugue sur "Sacerdotes" de l'Offertoire Dom Paul Benoit  
 \*AT THE PRESENTATION Doxology Old Hundredth

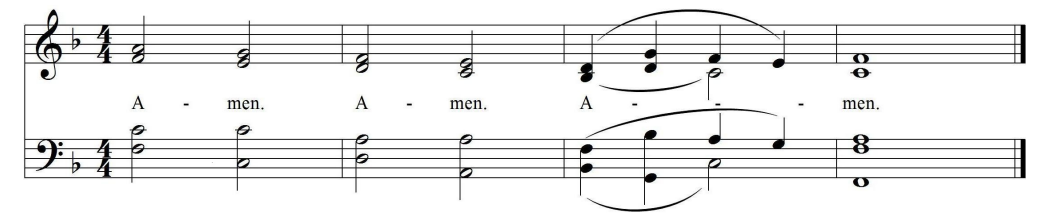
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION  
 COMMISSIONING YOUTH FOR LEARNING AND MISSION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)  
 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.

TO GO FORTH AND SERVE ...

\*HYMN NO. 749 (Glory to God hymnal) Come! Live in the Light! We Are Called  
 \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION  
 \*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE Amen Danish melody



\*POSTLUDE March in G Henry Smart

\*Indicates standing.

NOW THE SERVICE BEGINS  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TODAY

**PASTORAL CARE ELDERS FOR THE WEEK:** Melanie Lewis and Josh Birdwell  
**CARE TEAM COORDINATOR FOR JUNE:** Lana Daverman and Susan McKeenan  
**LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND HEARING DEVICES** are available from the ushers.  
**PLEASE** place your bulletin into a blue recycling bin located at the Narthex door if you do not care to take it home.

### SERVING TODAY

**GREETERS:** Alice and Charlie Mercer

**LITURGIST:** Barbara Adamcik

**SHEPHERD'S TEAM:** Bryan and Rachel Powell

**SENIOR USHER:** Ken Hughes

**USHERS:** Bonny Naugher, Doug Naugher, LoAnn Price, Dan Berry, John Salsbery

**FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY** are given to the glory of God and in honor of Elizabeth and John Salsbery's 26<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary and Jim and Linda Yates' 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

**OUR THANKS** to Theresa Pepin for serving as the organist this morning while Peter Van Eenam is away.

**SUMMER CHOIR** will return in mid-June and sing through the latter part of August. I invite you to come sit in with the choir and enjoy the music, fellowship, and camaraderie! Please contact the church office at your earliest convenience if you'd like to participate, so that a choir folder can be made up for you. If you prefer to sing a certain part, please let us know that as well. It was wonderful to have new faces with us the last time we were able to offer this—I hope *you* will be one of them *this* summer!

Peter Van Eenam

### CHILDREN'S OFFERINGS TODAY:

- Children 0-3 are welcome in the Nursery.
- Children age 3-4th grade remain in Worship until Time with the Children, then are walked downstairs for Primary and Intermediate Sunday school.

### BOUNTY TABLE INTERLUDE

Environmental Concerns Team



We are now at that time of year when our Dungan Organic Garden has finished providing us with beautiful spring produce, and it is now putting its energy into growing fine tomato plants. So, there will be an interlude of a month or so until we have produce for the Bounty Table from our

Westminster garden. However, the Table will still be set up in the Schilling Gallery during that time to provide for any vegetables or flowers from your yard that you wish to share with others. Enjoy God's good gift of healthy food.

**MINISTRY TEAM NIGHT** is this Tuesday. We will gather at 6:30 for fellowship time and then the meetings begin at 7:00pm. Mission Services, Property Team, and Worship/Music/Arts are the three teams that are meeting this month.

### WAMS SERVICE ADVENTURE WEEK

Westminster's Awesome Middle Schoolers (WAMS) will be having an adventure that changes the world! From June 20-24 they will be doing service work all over East Tennessee. They are working at Beardsley Farm, Ladies of Charity, bagging groceries for FISH, Random Acts of Flowers, the STAR Therapeutic Equestrian Ranch, and the Sequoyah Birthplace Museum. That's a lot of good!! Thanks to everyone who is helping make this adventure possible, and thank you, Westminster, for your prayers and continued support!!

### MONTREAT 2022

We are commissioning a big crew to attend the Montreat Youth Conference this year! The theme is "More Than Enough." The past 3 years has challenged our vision of enough, and these young people have lived it. It should be a great opportunity for all of us attending to express and develop our appreciation of all of our blessings. Please keep the 15 of us attending in your prayers this week. Barbara will be sending photos so you can enjoy the week along with us! Thank you, Westminster!!!

### NEIGHBORHOOD GROUP GATHERINGS

- North Cedar Bluff NG in the Pavilion: June 12, 5:30 pm
- Kingston Woods NG in the Pavilion: June 18, 5:00 pm



Monday, June 13th 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd (Fountain City) 5337 Jacksboro Pike

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This is a time for food, fun and being together as faith groups who work for justice in Knoxville. It is also a time to invest in Justice Knox. It is suggested that each Network Member give \$200 which can be paid as a lump sum or in monthly installments. We hope you will join us next Monday night. Some of us are carpooling from the church, and if you want to join the carpools, please be at the church by 5:45pm.

### WESTMINSTER NIGHT AT SMOKIES STADIUM:



Join us for baseball on August 12, 2022. This will allow us to have enough tickets blocked off so that we can sit together in one section! Send in \$11 per ticket to the church office and note on the check that it is for the Smokies Baseball game as soon as possible. The Fellowship Team is sponsoring this event. How fun!!!

**MORNING BOOK GROUP:** The next meeting will be on June 21, at 10:30 a.m. in the McKinnon Room. *The Reading List* by Sara Nisha Adams will be reviewed by Janice Rawe. This is an unforgettable debut novel about how a chance encounter with a list of library books helps forge an unlikely friendship between two very different people in a London suburb. Next month, on July 19, we will discuss the best selling novel *The Lincoln Highway* by Amor Towles. Lana Daverman will lead the discussion and has asked that when you are reading this book, you will take time to write some of your favorite lines for there are many to choose from. Note what emotion you felt the moment you finished the book. Hope you all will enjoy reading this book and come to discuss your thoughts with us. All are welcomed. If you have any questions, contact Linda Rutherford.

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Mary Boyd, Education Coordinator, CLP

Allie Brewington, Director of Children's Ministries

Renee Wiesehuegel, Office Manager/Bookkeeper

Melissa Everett, Administrative Assistant

Debbie Bendy, Abbey Editor

Arthur Collins, Worship Tech

### FRIENDS OF FISH:



Come help bag groceries at the food pantry on June 15 and/or June 26 at 5:30 pm. Address: 934 Weisgarber Road, Church of the Savior. We hope you can join us. YOU are needed! Please call Linda Van Beke if you are willing and able to help (865-804-4904).



Our first movie  
will be Luca

*Many thanks to Melanie Lewis for overseeing this fun event!*

### THE SESSION

#### Class of 2023

Jaclyn Beeler

Jack Carley

William Milam

Penny Tschantz

Bill Wiesehuegel

Youth Elder: Meghan Oros

#### Class of 2024

Josh Birdwell

Gloria Borum

Melanie Lewis

Lisa Oros

Chris Van Beke

#### Class of 2025

Ed Babelay

Wendy Collins

Janet Drumm

Stephen Fortney

Barbara Froula

Clerk of Session: Leigh Dunlap

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