

**This Week at Westminster**

**Welcome guests!** We're delighted that you've come to worship with us here at Westminster this morning. We pray that God will bless you richly through the service and the welcome of our congregation and that you'll worship with us again soon.

**Adult Sunday School at Westminster:** offered in the sanctuary studying the book of Judges led by David Hammond.

**Growth Groups for Adults:** We offer several men's, women's, and mixed groups for study, fellowship and prayer throughout the week. To see the full list of available groups, select 'Adult Groups and Classes' under 'Ministries' on the homepage of the church website.

**College Sunday School:** We will re-locate to WCA Classroom 105 for the following Sundays: February 10, 17, 24 and March 3.

**This Week & Beyond**

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM**

Join us Wednesday night for food, fellowship, prayer and catechism training for our children. The meal service will be from 5:45 until 6:15 and costs \$5 per person with a \$20 per family cap. You can pay by cash or check on the night of the meal. **Please be sure to indicate your meal order on the back of the Blue Sheet so that we know how much to plan for.**

From 6:30 until 7:30 pm we will offer a variety of discipleship opportunities to choose from:

- Children (4's, 5's & K's): Children's Catechism Training
- Children (1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade): Children's Shorter Catechism Training
- Children (3<sup>rd</sup> grade – 5<sup>th</sup> grade): Shorter Catechism Training
- Youth (6<sup>th</sup> grade – 12<sup>th</sup> grade): Youth Group
- Adult: Choir or Prayer Meeting

**2019 MISSIONS CONFERENCE**

Speaker: Dr. Bill Schweitzer  
Topic: ***How Shall They? The Logic of Missions*** (Romans 10:14-15)

Friday, March 8

6:00 pm - Dinner - in the church lobby  
6:45 pm - 1st Session - ***How Shall They Believe?*** (Childcare provided for ages 0-3)

Saturday, March 9

9:30 am - Continental Breakfast – in the church lobby  
10:00 am – 11:10 am - Missionary Reports (Childcare provided for ages 0-3)

Sunday, March 10 (\*note that Daylight Savings Time starts)

9:30 am – Morning Worship - ***How Shall They Hear?***  
11:00 am - Missionary reports during Sunday School hour  
6:00 pm – Evening Worship - ***How Shall They Preach?***

\*\*Please consider serving - sign up on the blue sheet this Sunday.

**YOUTH EVENTS**

**Youth Event:** RYM Conference – mark your calendar July 1-5, 2019, Laguna Beach. We need a head count by the end of January. Let Eric Fulcher know if you're interested.

**WOMEN'S EVENTS**

**WIC Multi-Generational Tea:**

WHEN: Saturday, February 23 from 10-12  
WHERE: The Cooper House (405 Randolph Ave SE)  
RSVP/QUESTIONS: No later than February 16 to Angie Fulcher 256-509-4041 or Tracy Gunn 256-651-8827

**Huntsville Pregnancy Resource Center:**

Formerly Choose Life (220 Rands Ave. SE, Huntsville). This ministry provides free and confidential help for pregnancy-related decisions in a non-judgmental and compassionate environment. Please join us on February 25 at 11:30 am for a 30-minute tour of HPRC to learn more about this ministry. Watch for signup details. If you have questions, please contact Christa Post, 256-679-0764.

**Ladies WIC Retreat:**

WHEN: April 26 and 27  
WHERE: The Vision Retreat Center in South Huntsville  
COST: \$25 (meals only) or \$65 (meals and lodging) \*\*Scholarship available  
DEADLINE: February 22, 2019  
RSVP/QUESTIONS: Go to wpc-hsv.org EVENTS no later than February 22. Contact Angie Fulcher 256-509-4041 or Tracy Gunn 256-651-8827 for roommate preference.

**Sunday's Servants**

SERVING	TODAY: Feb 10, 2019	NEXT WEEK: Feb 17, 2019
NURSERY – Morning Worship	Kate Gunn, Stephanie Wellman, Terrie Dsouza	Scooter & Angie Johnson, April Stegman
	Sydney Knight, Ava Rutledge	Garret Grady, Kendall Branscomb
	Anna Bosma	Deb & Emma McFadden
NURSERY – Sunday School		Noelle Thompson
	Samuel Fulcher	
NURSERY – Evening Worship	Donna & Curry Knight	Eion Grady, Lucy Fulcher
HEAD USHER	David Knight	Logan Bryant
SEXTON COUNTER	John Kirkwood, Matt Harness	Matt Harness, Wade Pettus
SOUND	Clif Barnes, Eric Fulcher	Clif Barnes, Jacqueline Bryant
COFFEE FELLOWSHIP	Chris Wellborn	Chris Wellborn
COMMUNION SET UP	----	----
WCA DOOR MONITOR	Logan Bryant	Craig Bosma

	February 2019			Attendance for Feb 3, 2019
	General	Missions		
<b>YTD Actual</b>	\$86,252	\$6,480		Morning Worship – 321
<b>YTD Budget</b>	\$141,833	\$12,500		Sunday School - 243
<b>Annual Budget</b>	\$850,000	\$75,000		Evening Worship - 108

	Pastoral Staff	
Joe Steele	Sr. Pastor	joe.steele@wpc-hsv.org
David Hammond	Asst. Pastor	david.hammond@wca-hsv.org
Stephen Hooks	WCA Head of School/Asst. Pastor	stephen.hooks@wca-hsv.org



**WESTMINSTER**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 10, 2019

**A BEACON OF HOPE**

OFFERING LIFE AND LIGHT  
IN CHRIST TO THOSE IN  
DARKNESS, HERE AND  
AROUND THE WORLD



*“In Him was life, and this life was the light of men.”*  
*John 1:4*



5744 Oakwood Road NW, Huntsville, Alabama 35806  
256.830.5754  
www.wpc-hsv.org  
[office@wpc-hsv.org](mailto:office@wpc-hsv.org)

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday, 8 am – 4 pm

## Morning Worship

9:30 A.M.

### The Prelude

*Holy, Holy, Holy*  
*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*  
*May Jesus Christ be Praised*  
(arr. Tornquist)

### The Welcome and Announcements

### The Preparation for Worship

*Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God* Sanctuary Choir  
(Stuart Townend, Keith Getty)

### † The Call to Worship

Psalm 107:19-22

Pastor: Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he saved them from their distress.

**Congregation: He sent forth his word and healed them and rescued them from their grave.**

Pastor: Let them give thanks to the LORD for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for men.

**Congregation: Let them sacrifice thank offerings and tell of his works with songs of joy.**

### † The Hymn of Praise

*All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above*

#4

### † The Invocation and 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.

### † The Confession of Faith The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell\*; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;\*\* the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*\*this refers to the realm of the dead, not the place of punishment*

*\*\*"catholic" means "universal" church, the true church in all times and places.*

### † The Gloria Patri

#735

### The Call to Repentance

Numbers 5:5-7  
Church Bible, pg. 113

### The Silent Confession of Personal Sins

### † Congregation Standing

### The Corporate Confession of Sin

Blessed Father, who is the author of all grace and comfort, come, work repentance in my soul. Show sin to me in all its ugliness that I may hate it. Melt my heart by your majesty and mercy. Show me my ruined self and the help there is in you alone. Teach me to see you as my creator and savior. Help me to commit my soul to you without reserve, bear your image, observe your laws, pursue your service and throughout time be a testimony to your grace, a trophy of the victory of Jesus Christ. Amen. (Adapted from the *Valley of Vision*, p. 37)

### The Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 32:1-5  
Church Bible, pg. 462

### The New Testament Reading

John 16:16-24  
Church Bible, pg. 902

### † The Hymn of Preparation

*O Word of God Incarnate*

#140

### The Prayer of Intercession and Dedication

Mr. Scooter Johnson

### The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

### The Offertory

*Canticle of Hope* (from Ps. 130)  
Gary Hallquist

Sanctuary Choir

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits,  
And in His Word, yes, in His Word I put my hope.

My soul waits for the Lord;  
More than watchmen wait for the morning,  
My soul waits for the Lord.

Out of the depths I cry to you.  
O Lord, hear my plea for mercy.  
For with the Lord is forgiveness  
For all who fear His name.

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits,  
And in His Word, yes, in His Word I put my hope.

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits,  
For with the Lord is unfailing love.

### The Scripture Lesson

Nehemiah 12:27-43  
Church Bible, pg. 408

### The Prayer for Illumination

### The Proclamation of the Word of God

“The Dedication of the Wall”

Mr. Joe Steele

### † The Closing Hymn

*O God, We Praise Thee*

#105

### † The Benediction

### † The Doxology

#731

### † The Postlude

*All Glory Be to Thee, Most High*  
(arr. Zachow)

Miss Bertha Dykstra

## Evening Worship

6:00 P.M.

### The Prelude

*Prayer Medley*

### The Welcome and Announcements

### † Call to Worship

Isaiah 55:6-9

Pastor: Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near;

**Congregation: Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts;**

Pastor: Let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

**Congregation: For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.**

### † The Hymn of Praise

*Before Jehovah's Awesome Throne*

#65

### † The Invocation

### Encouraging One Another with Psalms, Hymns, Spiritual Songs & Prayer

### The Offertory

*I Think When I Read That Sweet Story of Old*  
(Hymnal #190, arr. G. Smith)

### The Teaching of the Word of God

Mr. John Summers

“Fulfilling the Law of Christ”

Galatians 6:1-10

Church Bible, pg. 975

### † The Hymn of Response

*Blest Be the Tie that Binds*

#359

### † The Benediction

### † The Doxology

#731

### † The Postlude

*Lord, Dismiss Us With Your Blessing*  
(Hymnal #384)

Miss Bertha Dykstra

### Aids to Worship

To use the church's Wi-Fi, select WPC Guest and enter 'matthew633' when asked. Hearing assistance devices are available at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary. Binders with today's hymns and readings in large print are available at the round table in the lobby. Please return them there after the service. To hear an audio of today's sermons again, go [www.wpc-hsv.org](http://www.wpc-hsv.org) and click on the link at the bottom right corner of the home page.

If providentially hindered from attending worship on the Lord's Day, you can still join us for the morning service via video-streaming. Simply go to [www.wpc-hsv.org](http://www.wpc-hsv.org) and select "Watch Live" on the menu bar at the top of the page