

**This Week at Westminster**

**Welcome, guests!** We're delighted that you've come to worship with us here at Westminster on this very special Sunday. 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.

**Joint Sunday School hour this morning:** After you've enjoyed some coffee and fellowship, we invite you to return to the sanctuary for a series of reports from our missionary guests. All our Sunday School classes for youth, college students and adults will meet together today—don't miss out!

**We will return to our regular Sunday School schedule next Sunday:** Classes for children, youth, college, and adults meet at 11:05 am each Sunday. Kids should rendezvous with Miss Tracey in the children's corner of the lobby immediately after worship and walk to the main building for snacks; we'll take them to their classes from there. A detailed guide of class offerings, teachers and locations are available at the Welcome Desk.

**This Week and Beyond**

**Wednesday Nights are Youth Nights at WPC:** Both the Senior High Fellowship and the Junior High Fellowship are now meeting on Wednesday nights. Both groups will gather at 6:30 pm for a brief time of singing together, followed by separate meetings for each group for study and discussion. For more information, contact either Daniel Perez at [daniel.perez@wpc-hsv.org](mailto:daniel.perez@wpc-hsv.org) or Eric Fulcher at [eric.fulcher@gmail.com](mailto:eric.fulcher@gmail.com).

**Everyday Evangelism class to start next Sunday, March 12:** The 'Share Your Faith' Workshop that we held recently is only the first step in learning how to share the gospel effectively with the people whose lives intersect with yours from day to day. The next step is EV 2 in which you'll have the opportunity to become increasingly comfortable in talking about the gospel and find support and encouragement as you have opportunity to interact with others throughout the week. The class is open to SYF alums who've been through the workshop here or elsewhere, and will meet during the Sunday School hour beginning March 12. Questions? Contact Art McKinney at [acmckinney@knology.net](mailto:acmckinney@knology.net).

**Our Annual Congregational Meeting will be March 26:** Plan now to join us during the Sunday School hour on Sunday, March 26, 2017, for a very important meeting in the life of our church. The purpose of the meeting is to re-elect officers to the Session and Diaconate class of 2019, hear a presentation of the 2017 budget, and receive a report on the state of the church. The Nursery will be open for ages 0-4. No Sunday School classes will be held that day.

**This year's Women's Retreat will be Friday & Saturday, March 31-April 1,** at Camp Sumatanga near Gallant. Ladies, this year we plan to 'Stir It Up' as we consider the implications of our theme verse for 2016/17 from Hebrews 10 where we're challenged to 'stir one another up toward love and good deeds' in our life together in Christ's church. The retreat will begin with dinner on Friday and end with lunch on Saturday. The cost for overnight housing and three meals is \$65. You may register today at [wpc-hsv.org](http://wpc-hsv.org). Questions? Email retreat organizer Renee Lowrance at [shayshaylowrance@gmail.com](mailto:shayshaylowrance@gmail.com).

**Ministry Opportunities**

**Three more volunteers are needed to join the Sunday morning coffee rotation.** Each week a 'coffee person' prepares coffee, sets out the coffee 'fixings,' and cleans up after the fellowship time following the service. The coffee machine is easy to learn and easy to run, and we'll train you in everything you'll need to know to do the job. Ideally, Coffee Hosts serve two Sundays in a row, but that's negotiable. Interested? Let us know on today's blue sheet and we will be in touch with more information.

**Sunday's Servants**

SERVING	TODAY: Mar 5, 2017	NEXT WEEK: Mar 12, 2016
NURSERY – Morning Worship	Laura Kate Fulcher, Rebekah Frederick, Adeline Gunn	Judy Barnes, Victoria Lauderdale, Kate Gunn
	Eleanor Lynn	Bill Emrich
	Gilchrist Grady	Ryan & Stephanie Wellman
NURSERY – Sunday School	Elizabeth Lauderdale	Molly McCune, Katy Kirkwood
	Tami Covert	Lindsay VanKirk
NURSERY – Evening Worship	Tom & Ellise Adams	Ashleigh Fulcher
HEAD USHER	Eric Liu	Henry Lynn
SEXTON COUNTER	Nate Van Kirk, John Gunn	John Gunn, John Kirkwood
SOUND	Clif Barnes	Clif Barnes, Eric Fulcher
COFFEE FELLOWSHIP	Mark Linker	Alex Covert
COMMUNION SET UP	Gradys	----

**Our Missionaries**

NAME	ORGANIZATION	AREA SERVING
Choose Life		Local
Gildard, James & Jacki	Mission to the World	France
Hacquebord, Herro & Anya	Mission to the World	Ukraine
Harrell, Joe & Becky	Mission to the World	Colombia
Hunt, John & Inez	Mission to the World	Retired
Huston, Justin	Serge	Sensitive
Jones, Reid & Kelli	RUF (UAH)	Local
Evangelical Reformed Seminary	Mission to the World	Ukraine
Downtown Rescue Mission		Local
Michael & Mary*	Mission to the World	Sensitive
McMahan, Mike & Robin	Mission to the World	Zimbabwe
PCA Chaplains	Mission to North America	Local/USA/Global
Odessa Day School	Mission to the World	Ukraine
Peipon, Dr. Jim & Marianna	Ukraine Medical Outreach	Ukraine
Cochran, Emily	Mission to the World	Retired
Robertson, Steve & Amy	Mission to the World	Chile
Dr. Jim & Karan	Mission to the World	Sensitive
Shipman, Alex	Village Church	Local
Smith, Cassius & Valerie	TWR	Global
Smith, Dr. Wiley & Karon*	Mission to the World	Global
Tykhonov, Rev. Max & Nina		Ukraine
Tanzie, Bob & Joanne	Mission to the World	Spain
Tinev, Emmanuel	Presbyterian Evangelistic Fellowship	Bulgaria
Wendland, Jes*	Serge	Ireland
Wilson, Tom & Teresa	Mission to the World	Japan
World Reformed Fellowship		Global
RUF (Alabama A & M)		Local
Scottsboro Church Plant	Providence Presbytery	Local

\*Member/family member of WPC

**Office Hours:**

Monday – Thursday, 8 am – 4 pm

**Attendance for February 26, 2016**

Morning Worship – 267  
 Sunday School – 198  
 Evening Worship – 81



**WESTMINSTER**  
 PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2017 World Missions Conference  
 March 5, 2017

**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*



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## Morning Worship

9:30 A.M.

### The Prelude

*Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus*  
(Boltz, arr. Osman)

*Lift High the Cross*  
(Nicholson, arr. Berry)

### The Welcome, Announcements, & Introduction of Missionary Guests

### The Preparation for Worship

The Singing Kids

*Onward Christian Soldiers*  
*Doxology*

### † The Call to Worship

from Psalm 96

Pastor: Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord all the earth.

**People: Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.**

Pastor: Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

**People: Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary. Praise the Lord!**

### † The Hymn of Praise

*Christ for the World We Sing*

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### † The Invocation, Confession 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

Hymnal, pg. 845

### † The Gloria Patri

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### Missionary Commissioning & Prayer

Ron Klein, returning to Viet Nam this week (short-term)  
Phil Lewis & Tom Adams, serving TWR in Bonaire (short-term)  
Lizzie Boyd & James Post, joining RUF as 2-year interns this fall

### † Congregation Standing

### † The Conference Hymn

*Facing a Task Unfinished*

(Sung to *The Church's One Foundation* with added chorus)

Facing a task unfinished that drives us to our knees,  
A need that undiminished rebukes our slothful ease.  
We who rejoice to know Thee renew before Thy throne,  
The solemn pledge we owe Thee to go and make Thee known.

Where other lords beside Thee hold their unhindered sway;  
Where forces that defied Thee defy Thee still today,  
With none to heed their crying for life and love and light  
Unnumbered souls are dying, and pass into the night.

*Chorus:* We go to all the world, with kingdom hope unfurled  
No other name has power to save but Jesus Christ, the Lord.

We bear the torch that flaming fell from the hands of those  
Who gave their lives proclaiming that Jesus died and rose.  
Ours is the same commission, the same glad message ours;  
Fired by the same ambition, to Thee we yield our powers. (*Chorus*)

O Father who sustained them, O Spirit who inspired;  
Savior whose love constrained them to toil with zeal untired;  
From cowardice defend us, from lethargy awake;  
Forth on Thine errands send us to labor for Thy sake. (*Chorus*)

### The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

### The Offertory

*Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun*  
Isaac Watts, Arr by Hal Hopson

Sanctuary Choir

### The Reading of Scripture

Acts 10:34-43  
Church Bible, pg. 919

### The Prayer for Illumination

### The Proclamation of the Word of God

Dr. Joseph Wheat

“Missions is a New Way of Seeing”

### † The Hymn of Response

*O God, to Us Show Mercy*

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### † Benediction

### † The Doxology

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### The Postlude

*Take the Name of Jesus With You*  
(Doane, arr. Alexander)

Miss Bertha Dykstra

### Aids to Worship

- ☛ To use the church's wifi, select WPC Guest and enter 'matthew633' when asked.
- ☛ Hearing assistance devices are available at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary.
- ☛ To hear today's sermons again, go to [www.wpc-hsv.org](http://www.wpc-hsv.org) and click on the link at the bottom right corner of the home page.

## Evening Worship

6:00 P.M.

### The Prelude

*My Hope is in the Lord*  
(Clayton)

*I'm Not Ashamed to Own My Lord*  
(Watts/Lowry, arr. Shackley)

### The Welcome and the Call to Worship

### † The Hymn of Praise

*We Have Heard the Joyful Sound*

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### † The Invocation

### A Season of Prayer for All Our Missionaries

### † The Conference Hymn

*Facing a Task Unfinished*

(see morning service)

### The Offertory

*Fight the Good Fight*  
(Monsell/Mozart, arr. Grotenhuis)

### The Preaching of the Word

Dr. Joseph Wheat

“Missions is Acting on the New Covenant  
Ephesians 2:11-13  
(Church Bible, pg. 976)

### † The Hymn of Response

*The Sending Lord, Springs*  
(Sung to, *For All the Saints*)

The sending, Lord, springs from thy yearning heart.  
God, thou the sender, thou the sent one art;  
And of thy mission makest us a part. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Thy body paid for men of every race;  
To them we witness, Christ, thy boundless grace;  
With them, one body, kneel before thy face. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Where men their brothers heartlessly oppress;  
Where people suffer, hopeless in distress;  
There we thy name in deed and word confess. Alleluia, Alleluia!

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*Benediction*  
(Tomer, arr. Pugh)

Miss Bertha Dykstra

Sanctuary Flowers are placed in memory of  
Jane Rucks

Foyer Flowers are placed in honor of  
John and Tracey Gunn's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary