

Numbers



Wheatland

REFLECTIONS

The purpose of the snake bites was to make the people see the dangers that lie in wait for them at every step in the wilderness, and to make them realize that it was only God's miraculous power that had kept these dangers away from them, so far away that they did not even have an idea of their existence.

Samson Hirsch

The presence of the fiery serpents was natural for this region of the wilderness, Yahweh has been shielding his people from them throughout Israel's journeys. It had been within the context of such divine protection and ease of danger that the people had been emboldened to complain. Now they cannot go back to how things were; presumably, the new normal for life in the wilderness would include fiery serpents... In his wisdom, Yahweh had determined that regular salve for ongoing affliction was better for his people's spiritual maturity than to remove all affliction. In this way, Israel would continually look to him with gratitude for his daily mercies, fully appreciating their daily dependence on him.

L. Michael Morales

Jesus took our discontentment, our grumbling, and our lack of gratitude on himself. He went to the cross knowing that we would forget, we would complain, and we would grow apathetic and bored – even with the salvation he provides. Our hope is not in looking to ourselves. Our only hope is to look on him, the One bearing all our sin and shame, and live.

Courtney Doctor

And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

Jesus

And the great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world – he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. And I heard a loud voice in heaven saying, “Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by word of their testimony, for the loved not their lives even unto death.

Revelation 12:9-11

- ▲ Congregation Stands
- ▼ Congregation Sits

Hearing-assisted headsets are available through the Sound Technician.
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Collect for the Day



Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

- ▼ PRELUDE



- ▲ CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 63:1–5



Leader: O God, you are my God, earnestly I seek you;
People: my soul thirsts for you, my body longs for you,
in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

Leader: I have seen you in the sanctuary and beheld your power and your glory.

People: Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you.

Leader: I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands.

People: My soul will be satisfied as with the richest of foods;
with singing lips my mouth will praise you.

▲ O Lord Most High



1. O Lord Most High, with all my heart your wondrous
2. The Lord, the ev - er - last - ing King, is seat - ed
3. Je - ho - vah will a ref - uge prove, a ref - uge
4. All they, O Lord, that know your name their con - fi -
5. Sing prais - es to the Lord Most High, to him who

works I will pro - claim; I will be glad and
on his judg - ment throne; the righ - teous Judge of
• strong for all op - pressed, a safe re - treat, where
dence in you will place, for you have ne'er for -
does in Zi - on dwell; de - clare his might - y

give you thanks and sing the prais - es of your name.
all the world will make his per - fect jus - tice known.
• wea - ry souls in trou - bled times may sure - ly rest.
sak - en them who ear - nest - ly have sought your face.
deeds a - broad, his deeds a - mong the na - tions tell.

▼ CONFESSION OF SIN



Leader: Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God together by praying—

Unison: We must praise your goodness,

that you have left nothing undone
to draw us to yourself.

But we confess we have left nothing undone
to devise ways to sin against you.

We ask of you, our God,
not to cease your work
in making us like your Son.

Enable us to tend towards you,
and be fruitful in good works,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please take a moment to silently confess your individual sins.

▼ Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 34:17–18



The righteous cry out, and the LORD hears them;
he delivers them from all their troubles.

The LORD is close to the brokenhearted
and saves those who are crushed in spirit.

▲ Thanksgiving



Leader: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

People: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

▲ Light of Your Grace



This is how I know I am Yours____ that if my heart should con-demn me Your
This is how I know You're my Lord____ that in my weak-ness_ You give me the



truth is so_much more. This is how I know I'm se _cure____ that e - ven
strength to be_ re - stored. This is how I know I'm a - dored____ that when I'm

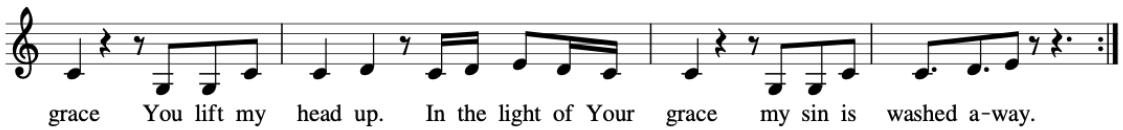
Chorus



though I_keep fall-ing, Your love for me_ en-dures. In the light of Your grace You end my
lost in_my feel-ings You tell me I_am Yours.



dark-ness. In the light of Your grace my bur-dens lose their weight. In the light of Your



grace You lift my head up. In the light of Your grace my sin is washed a-way.

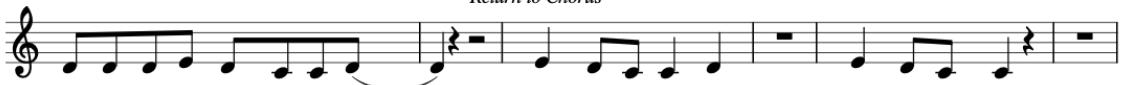


Head out of wa-ter. Walk on the waves. This is how I know I am Yours____



This is how I know I'm se -cure____ This is how I know You're my Lord____

Return to Chorus



This is how I know I'm a - dored. Head out of wa-ter. Walk on the waves.



Weight turns to won - der in the light of Your grace.



The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, ‘After me comes a man who ranks before me, because he was before me.’ I myself did not know him, but for this purpose I came baptizing with water, that he might be revealed to Israel.” And John bore witness: “I saw the Spirit descend from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but he who sent me to baptize with water said to me, ‘He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain, this is he who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.’ And I have seen and have borne witness that this is the Son of God.”

The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God!” The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. Jesus turned and saw them following and said to them, “What are you seeking?” And they said to him, “Rabbi” (which means Teacher), “where are you staying?” He said to them, “Come and you will see.” So they came and saw where he was staying, and they stayed with him that day, for it was about the tenth hour. One of the two who heard John speak and followed Jesus was Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother. He first found his own brother Simon and said to him, “We have found the Messiah” (which means Christ). He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, “You are Simon the son of John. You shall be called Cephas” (which means Peter).

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

▲ CONFESSION OF FAITH



Leader: Now this is the true faith:

Unison: That we believe and confess that our Lord Jesus Christ, God's Son, is both God and human, equally.

Men: He is God from the essence of the Father, begotten before time;

Women: and he is human from the essence of his mother, born in time;

Unison: completely God, completely human, with a rational soul and human flesh.

Leader: He suffered for our salvation;

Men: he arose from the dead;

Women: he ascended to heaven;

Unison: he is seated at the Father's right hand;

from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

At his coming all people will arise bodily and give an accounting of their own deeds.

▼ PRAYER



Please pray silently, joining in aloud at 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.

▼ OFFERING

Romans 12:1



Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship.

Children, ages 3 - 5 years, are dismissed for Children's Worship Training.

Children will be served a small snack: please alert volunteers to any allergies.

Please fill in the attendance pad, pass it down the pew and then back.

If you are able to continue to give, you may do so online at www.wheatlandpca.org/give or by mail.

If you are struggling financially, please contact our diaconate at Diaconate@Wheatlandpca.org.

▼ Speak, O Lord



1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to re - ceive the food of Your
2. Teach us Lord, full o - be - di - ence, ho - ly rev - er - ence, true hu -
3. Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; help us grasp the heights of Your

Ho - ly Word. Take Your Truth, plant it deep in us; shape and
mil - i - ty. Test our thoughts and our at - ti-tudes in the
plans for us. Truths un - changed from the dawn of time, that will

fash - ion us in Your like - ness; That the light of Christ might be
ra - di - ance of Your pur - i - ty. Cause our faith to rise, cause our
e - cho down thru e - ter - ni - ty. And by grace we'll stand on Your

seen to-day in our acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord and ful -
eyes to see Your ma - jes - tic love and au - thor - i - ty. Words of pow'r that can
pro - mi - ses. And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us. Speak, O Lord 'til Your

fill in us all Your pur - pos - es for Your glo - ry.
nev - er fail; let their truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief.
church is built, and the earth is filled with Your glo - ry.

▼ PROCLAMATION

Numbers 21:1-9



¹When the Canaanite, the king of Arad, who lived in the Negeb, heard that Israel was coming by the way of Atharim, he fought against Israel, and took some of them captive. ²And Israel vowed a vow to the Lord and said, “If you will indeed give this people into my hand, then I will devote their cities to destruction.” ³And the Lord heeded the voice of Israel and gave over the Canaanites, and they devoted them and their cities to destruction. So the name of the place was called Hormah.

⁴From Mount Hor they set out by the way to the Red Sea, to go around the land of Edom. And the people became impatient on the way. ⁵And the people spoke against God and against Moses, “Why have you brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? For there is no food and no water, and we loathe this worthless food.” ⁶Then the Lord sent fiery serpents among the people, and they bit the people, so that many people of Israel died. ⁷And the people came to Moses and said, “We have sinned, for we have spoken against the Lord and against you. Pray to the Lord, that he take away the serpents from us.” So Moses prayed for the people. ⁸And the Lord said to Moses, “Make a fiery serpent and set it on a pole, and everyone who is bitten, when he sees it, shall live.” ⁹So Moses made a bronze serpent and set it on a pole. And if a serpent bit anyone, he would look at the bronze serpent and live.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

▼ **Snakes in the Wilderness**

Rev. Keith A. Winder



Manuscripts of the sermon are available in the Narthex.

▲ THE LORD'S SUPPER



Pastor: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

People: It is right to give him our thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is a right, good, proper, and joyful thing, at all times, and in all places to give you thanks, Lord God. We join our voices with the angels and archangels and all the company of heaven who forever sing:

▲ Sanctus



Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly Lord.

God of power and might. Hea-ven and earth are full of Your glo - ry.

Bless'd is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

san-na in the high - est, ho - san-na in the high - est, ho - san-na in the high - est.

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly Lord.

Pastor: Let us proclaim the mystery of the faith:

People: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. *Hallelujah!*

Pastor: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us. *Hallelujah!*

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

Pastor: The gifts of God for the people of God.

▼ Invitation and Prayer



Pastor: This Table is a place of nourishment for followers of Jesus Christ.

All baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone, are in good standing with a church that embraces the Gospel, live at peace with their neighbor, and seek strength to live more faithfully are welcome to eat this meal with us. But examine yourself, for Scripture reminds us that whoever eats the Bread or drinks the Cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the Body and Blood of the Lord. And while none of us are worthy apart from Christ, to even gather up the crumbs from this Table, we eagerly eat this meal with faith in Christ and gratitude to God for his salvation.

Unison: We do not presume to come to your Table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your great mercies. Amen.

▼ Words of Institution



Pastor: And it was in mercy towards us that our heavenly Father gave his only Son to suffer death on the Cross for our redemption.

As it is written: On the night Christ was betrayed he took Bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, “This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.” Then in the same way, after supper Jesus took the Cup, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.” For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.

▼ Coming to the Table



You will be invited forward up the center aisle and you will return down the outside aisle.

If you are unable to come to the front to take communion, remain in your seat and it will be brought to you. The bread is homemade and gluten free. Wine is in the clear cups and grape juice is in the purple cups.

If you are not eating the Supper with us today, you may come forward with your hands clasped together to receive prayer, or you may spend this time in prayer at your seat using the communion prayers printed in the back of the bulletin. We welcome our children to come forward to the Table for prayer (see *Children and Communion at the back of this order of worship*).

Please hold the bread and the cup until invited to eat and drink.

▼ Behold the Lamb



1. Be - hold the Lamb who bears our sins a - way, slain for us
2. The bo - dy of our Sav - iour Je - sus Christ, torn for you
3. The blood that cleans - es ev - ery stain of sin, shed for you
4. And so with thank - ful - ness and faith we rise to re - spond

and we re-mem-ber the pro - mise made that all who come in faith find for -
eat and re-mem-ber; The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life paid the
drink and re-mem-ber He drained death's cup that all may en - ter in to re -
and to re-mem-ber our call to fol - low in the steps of Christ as His

give - ness at the cross. So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His
price to make us one. So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His
ceive the life of God. So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His
bo - dy here on earth. As we share in His suf - fer - ing, we pro - claim Christ will

sac - ri - fice as a sign of our bonds of peace
sac - ri - fice as a sign of our bonds of love
sac - ri - fice as a sign of our bonds of grace
come a - gain! And we'll join in the feast of heaven

a - round the ta - ble of the King.

▼ All I Have is Christ



1.I once was lost in dark - est night, yet thought I knew the way.
2.But as I ran my hell-bound race, in - dif - frent to the cost,
3.Now, Lord I would be Yours a - lone and live so all might see

The sin that pro - mised joy and life had led me to the grave.
You looked up - pon my help - less state and led me to the cross.
the strength to fol - low Your com - mands could nev - er come from me.

I had no hope that You would own a reb - el to Your will,
And I be - held God's love dis - played, You suffered in my place;
O Fa - ther use my ran-somed life in an - y way You choose,

and if You had not loved me first I would re - fuse You still.
You bore the wrath re-served for me; Now all I know is grace!
and let my song for - ev - er be; My on - ly boast is You.

Ha-le - lu - jah! All I have is Christ! Ha-le - lu - jah! Je-sus is my life!

▲ Prayer of Thanksgiving



Unison: Everliving God, thank you for feeding us with these holy mysteries—
the spiritual food of the Body and Blood of your Son.

Heavenly Father, please assist us with your grace,
that we may continue in holy fellowship with you,
and do all such good works that you have prepared for us to walk in;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

▲ Psalm of Praise



Pastor: Bless the Lord, O my soul,
People: All that is within me, bless his holy name.
Pastor: Bless the Lord, O my soul,
People: and forget not all his benefits
Pastor: who forgives all your iniquity,
People: who heals all your diseases,
Pastor: who redeems your life from the pit,
People: who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy.
Pastor: The Lord is merciful and gracious,
 He does not deal with us according to our sins,
People: nor repay us according to our iniquities.
Pastor: For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
People: so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;
Pastor: as far as the east is from the west,
People: so far does he remove our transgressions from us.
Pastor: As a father has compassion for his children,
People: so the Lord has compassion for those who fear him.
Pastor: For he knows our frame;
People: he remembers that we are dust.

▲ Doxology



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.

▲ BENEDICTION

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17



May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and by his grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good deed and word. Amen.

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THIS WEEK AT WHEATLAND

Sunday, Jan 18

8:30 & 11:15am Worship
10:15am Sunday Classes
6:30pm Roots Youth Group

Monday, Jan 19

7:00pm Men's Bible Study

Tuesday, Jan 20

7:30am Prayer on Zoom

Wednesday, Jan 21

7:00pm ESL Classes
9:15am Women's Bible Study

Thursday, Jan 22

6:30am Men's Virtual Bible Study
7:00pm Men's Discipleship Group
7:00pm Young Adult Game Night
7:00pm Women's Bible Study
7:00pm Mom's Parenting Panel Discussion

Saturday, Jan 24

10:00am Women's Book Swap & Coffee

Sunday, Jan 25

8:30 & 11:15am Worship
10:15am Sunday Classes
6:30pm Roots Youth Group

LOOKING AHEAD

April 11 -Spring Work Day

ADULT SUNDAY CLASSES

Preaching and Hearing God's Word

Keith Winder and Luke Le Duc -Sanctuary

The Faith We Have Received:

Exploring the Nicene Creed

Samuel Spatola and others – Room 10

MEN'S TRIVIA NIGHT

Men, mark your calendars now for Men's Trivia Night to be held on **February 20** from 7:00 - 9:00pm in Wheatland's fellowship hall. The questions and categories will be structured to allow for men of all ages and interests to participate. This will be a great time to fellowship together, meet new people and enjoy some fun competition. Register at forms.gle/o4A2bgDmt93qF9fy8 or use the QR code.



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WOMEN'S BOOK SWAP & COFFEE

Join us on this Saturday, **January 24** from 10:00am-12:00pm in the Fellowship Hall for our next quarterly event! Bring a few books to swap or just come for coffee and pastries and to connect with other women at Wheatland. Please sign up here to let us know you're coming and if you're willing to bring something to share:

tinyurl.com/JanuaryBookSwap.



BAKERS NEEDED

Did you know that fellow sisters from our church body make our GF communion crackers each week? This behind-the-scenes ministry reflects the beauty of using our many different gifts in honoring our Savior here at Wheatland. If baking is something that interests you, please consider joining our team. We will hold an instructional baking class on **February 7** from 10:00am – 12:00pm in our church kitchen. Contact Ronda Broomell mbroomell174@comcast.net for details.

WOMEN'S MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday morning women's Bible study will resume **January 21**. This term we will be studying the epistle of James, using the Navigators LifeChange study guide which the church will provide. Childcare is available. There are a couple of places open for this new term. Email Beth Slough at Baslough@gmail.com to register.

WHEATLAND CAMPING TRIP

Wheatland Church camping 2026 will be **July 17-19** at Gifford Pinchot State Park. If you are interested in a weekend of fun and fellowship outdoors, make sure you **sign up by January 30**. Scan the QR code for details and to sign up. Contact Ari Dykshoorn for more information.



SONG LYRICS AVAILABLE ONLINE

For those who find the lyrics and music printed together challenging, the link to the lyrics for each Sunday's worship service songs can be found on the front page of our website.

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MEN'S DISCIPLESHIP

Monday Bible Study – Meets on the 1st & 3rd Mondays at 7pm in the Augustine Room. Contact Keith at kwinder@wheatlandpca.org for details.

Thursday Morning Study – Meets virtually at 6:30am weekly to study a book of the Bible. Grab a cup of coffee and your favorite commentary and join us. Contact Steve Osborne at 717-693-6816 for more information.

Weekly Discipleship Group – Meets on Thursday evenings in Room 10 at the church from 7:00-8:30pm. Contact Edmund Byne at 404-583-4253 or Edmund.byne@agriteer.ag for details.

DISCIPLESHIP: TRIADS

Triads are gatherings of three men or three women who seek to grow more and more into the image of Jesus Christ. Triads meet regularly (weekly, twice a month, or monthly) to study the Scriptures, read through a book, pray, and deepen our fellowship with one another. Create your own triad with some fellow Wheatlanders or reach out to Keith Winder kwinder@wheatlandpca.org for help or questions.

WOMEN'S DISCIPLESHIP

The Young Moms Book Group | We are reading and discussing *For the Love of Discipline* by Sara Wallace, meeting on the first Thursday of each month from 7:30-9:00pm. For more info contact Chicory Biers chicorybiers@gmail.com.

Women's Discipleship Events: Save the dates!

- Jan. 24, 10am-12pm Book Swap & Coffee
- Apr. 18, 7:00-9:00pm Small Group Activities
- June 13 10am-12pm Year-End Celebration

Wheatland Women's Spring Bible Studies

- Wednesday Morning: This study meets weekly at the church from 9:15-11:00am and is studying James. Childcare is provided. Contact Beth Slough baslough@gmail.com.
- Thursday Night: This study meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at the Beirs' house from 7:00-8:30pm, studying the book of Romans. Contact Erin Quillen equillen@wheatlandpca.org.
- Saturday Morning: This study meets 2x/month at the church from 8:00-9:30am and is studying 1&2 Peter and Jude. Contact Catherine Achor Kitkatvt85@gmail.com.

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ADDITIONAL PARKING AVAILABLE

Although we now have a wonderful new parking lot, we continue to have a need for more parking spaces. On Sunday mornings additional parking is available at the Dr. Scott Creisher dental office at 1059 Columbia Ave. Street parking is also available on Wheatland Ave. **Please consider occasionally parking at either of these locations and avoid parking too close to neighbors' driveways.**

CHURCH DATA BASE - ELEXIO

Do you have the 'Church by MinistryOne' app for our Elexio database? If you've ever wanted to view and update your profile on Elexio, view the church calendar, give online or view your statement of giving, you may want to download this free app. Full instructions for accessing Elexio, either on your computer or by using the app on your phone, are in the Narthex and also on our website under the tab 'Grow' and then 'My Wheatland'. You can further help our Wheatland community get to know you by uploading your photo to your profile.

FOOD BANK

We collect food every Sunday for a local affordable senior housing apartment complex, LongCrest, on W. Walnut St. Our donations of non-perishable food and household items can make a difference for them. Please think about them when you are shopping and pick up a few extra items that a household of one could use. Place your donations in the box in the narthex.

WHEATLAND COMMUNICATIONS

Are you receiving email communications from the church? If not, and you would like to, please contact Betsy at bboone@wheatlandpca.org and we will add your name to the list.

WHEATLAND RECORDINGS

Recordings of the sermons are available on the website, www.wheatlandpca.org. Recordings of personal testimonies given during the worship service and adult Sunday classes are also on the website.

PRAYER CHAIN

Prayer is an important part of our church life. If you have a prayer request or would like to join with other Wheatlanders who are committed to bearing one another's burdens in prayer on the Prayer Chain, please contact Sue Seevers at seseevers49@gmail.com.

MORNING PRAYER ON ZOOM

To be placed on the list to receive the login information for our Tuesday Morning Prayer time held on Zoom, please contact Betsy at bboone@wheatlandpca.org.

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Ruling Elders

John Bast
Glyn Boone
Greg Chalfant
Joe Hunter
Les Slough

Deacons

Bill Bradley
Mark Broomell
Justin Harbin
Peter Horning
Joseph Kiehl
Jesse Sanders
Dave Smith
Dain Zimmerman

Deaconesses

Crista Bush
Kim Byne
Sharon Givler
Amanda Long
Teresa Maier
Priscilla Parker
Becky Smith
Diane Wolgemuth

WHEATLAND DIACONATE

The Diaconate at Wheatland work to manage property upkeep and to facilitate mercy ministries of sympathy and service among our members and regular attenders. If you have a concern about the property, a mercy-need, or want to get in touch with a deacon or deaconess, you can reach out personally (contact information is in Elexio) or email Diaconate@WheatlandPCA.org.

CARE GROUPS

Our congregation is organized geographically into Care Groups. These groups meet 2x/month to share meals and deepen fellowship with each other. Care Groups are organized as follows:

Lancaster City (NW) - Luke & Terilyn Le Duc
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Lancaster City (SW/E) - Joe & Tenli Hunter
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Hempfield - Bill & Catherine Achor
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School Lane Hills-Dain & Kristen Zimmerman
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Hamilton Park - Jim & Joy Bates
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WORSHIP

(a children's Guide)



CALL TO WORSHIP

God invites us to come worship Him.



HYMNS & SONGS

We sing to God about His greatness and what He has done for us.



CONFESsION

We say to God we are sorry for the sin we have done.



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God reminds us that He has forgiven us for all of our sins.



THANKSGIVING

We tell God and each other how happy we are that we're forgiven.



BAPTISM

God puts His mark on us and sets us apart as holy to live for His glory.



CREED

We tell the world what we believe about God and His love.



PRAYER

We talk to God. We tell Him what we love about Him and ask for what we need.



OFFERING

We give a little gift to God to thank Him for what He has given to us.



SCRIPTURE/SERMON

God talks to us. The preacher explains God's Word.



LORD'S SUPPER

God feeds us at His table with the Body and Blood of Jesus.



BENEDICTION

God sends us out into the world with His blessing.

Wheatland Missionary Spotlight

Molly De Bruin serving in Ethiopia through Global Outreach International

Molly works for a nonprofit called *Glimmer for All* in Kore, a trash dump community in Addis Ababa. Glimmer serves vulnerable children and women living in poverty by providing education, nutrition, and medical care. She serves in many roles including teaching students, admin support, and support raising. In April, Molly got married to Mekdim (Mikey), who is the outreach and evangelism coordinator at their church.

Molly and Mikey share a love for the people of Ethiopia and for the spread of the Gospel there.



Pray for Molly...

- And for the students that she works with. Along with providing nutrition and education, they also navigate difficult home situations. Pray for wisdom from God, and that all involved can hold onto hope and acknowledge the positive changes, even amid hard circumstances.
- That the truth of the Gospel will penetrate her students' hearts. They hear the Gospel at school every week, but they also hear other beliefs or teachings at home, from friends, etc.
- As she finishes her master's degree in Nonprofit Management in December, and as she juggles an intense workload with ministry, school, house duties, social events, etc.

To learn more about Molly's work, email debruinmolly@gmail.com.

Communion Prayers

Prayer for Those Searching for Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, compelling, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross and offering forgiveness and new life. Trusting that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior. Amen.

Children and Communion

Our baptized children are covenant children of our church, a rich part of our life together at Wheatland, and we long to see them eating with us at the Table. As a denomination (Presbyterian Church in America), we do not practice giving communion to children before they profess their faith to the Elders of our church and undertake the obligations and duties of a communing member. However, it is a deep joy to gather them with us at this Table so that we might pray for them. Our prayer is that they will grow in their faith and love of Jesus and his gospel and in due time will profess their faith publicly to our Elders and join us to eat this meal of grace.

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by equipping the
community of believers
to lovingly confront
our generation
with the gospel of
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