

Celebration *of* Worship

The Twenty-Ninth Day of December, Two Thousand Nineteen, Eleven O'clock
* Please stand unless standing is uncomfortable for you.

**Hosanna* #132/Screen

**Invocation*

Welcome and Community Matters

Reflection: Why Did Jesus Become Human?

Prayer

Offertory
Great Is Thy Faithfulness #96/Screen

**Doxology* #668
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.
Children age 3 – 2nd grade may leave for Children's Church
held in Rooms 204 and 210. Snacks will be served

Scripture John 12:20-23
Pew Bible (page 822)

Message— "A Need to See Jesus" Mike Barnes
Pastor

**Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* #413/Screen

**Benediction*

**Postlude*

- If you need to pray with someone following our services because of a need you have or because the Lord has been at work in your heart during our worship service, Elders Chris Copley and Wayne Stonestreet are available in Patterson Chapel after morning services. Also, feel free to call the church office (325-9121) during the week and ask to speak with a member of our ministry staff.
 - Parents are encouraged to use our nursery during the worship service located in Rooms 201/203 in the Children's Wing.
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Christmas music here at Westminster



Prayer requests and Continuing Needs

Pat Griffin- hospitalized with Pneumonia in the Virginia Beach area.
 Jack Sarver – Experiencing some health issues with balance.
 Bob Moore
 Carolyn Scott
 Steve Warf

If we miss printing your birthday, please call the church office and leave your information. We want to celebrate you!

Wish them a Happy Birthday

Chad Hatcher 12/29	Tammy Day 12/30
Davis Rockness..... 12/29	Jordan Dillon 01/03

Welcome Guest

We're delighted you are worshipping with us today. The entire Westminster family is eager to greet you, answer any questions you may have, and minister to you in any way. After the service, please visit the Welcome Center to learn more about Westminster.

BE SURE TO JOIN US IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL EVERY SUNDAY MORNING FOR FROZEN COKE AND COFFEE AT 10:30 A.M.



MONDAY

10:00 a.m. Women's Prayer Time..... Patterson Chapel

WEDNESDAY

WE WILL BE CLOSED. HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

Financial Notes for 2019 Year End

As in the past, the year-end donations to Westminster will need to be postmarked by December 31st.

(U.S. Postal Schedule Reminder: December 31, 2019 – Bluefield, WV Post office is open until 5:00PM)

The church office will be open on December 30 & 31 until 4:30 pm for anyone who wants to come in to leave contributions. A "Charitable Contributions Tax Report" will be mailed on or before the last week of January 2020. If you are itemizing deductions, it is recommended that you do not file your tax return until you have received this report.

2020 Offering Envelopes

2020 offering envelopes are on the table in the hallway outside the church office. If you do not have 2020 envelopes on the table and you would like a packet, please contact the church secretary, Belva Higgins.

The year is coming to an end and the World Outreach Missions fund is still in need of money to meet our 2019 commitment to our missionaries. Thanks in advance for all support. As of December 15th the need was \$19,988.



WORLD OUTREACH PRAYER FOCUS



Sherry Bohn

Ministry: Training missionaries, nationals and women church leaders in the US and worldwide; overseeing course development

Prayer: For God to direct the development of other training centers throughout the world.

Opportunities for Ministry and Growth

Sunday School Classes for Adults

- Vicki Mahood is teaching on Psalm 119– Patterson Chapel
- Lay Renewal Prayer Team – Rm. 216 – Everyone welcome.
- Men's Class is studying the Gospel of Mark– Rm. 218
- Adult Elective - Andy Stanley video series. Ensemble Room (Ground floor) 9:45 am

Sunday School Classes for Middle & High School Ages

- Jonathan Rockness is leading a combined class in the Youth Shelter. Breakfast is served.

Sunday School Classes for Children 5th Grade & Under

- All children's classes are located in the children's wing on the third floor.

The fall 2020 registration will begin in January for the Westminster Preschool. Applications will be available on January 6th



"Westminster 101" - Are you interested in becoming a member??

Pastor Rockness is planning a get-together for people who are interested in membership here at Westminster. It is an informal gathering designed for getting better acquainted with both the Rocknesses and others who are somewhat new in attendance at church. A date is yet to be determined – it will be set based on availability of interested parties.

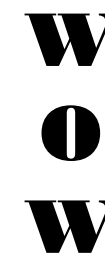
If you have any interest in knowing more about the church or getting more connected, please indicate this on the attendance register and/or contact Belva in the church office (304)-325-9121 or secretary@wpchbluefield.com

During the month of December please pray for the delivery of all the OCC boxes, for the children who will be receiving them, and the churches that are partnering with OCC. And after Christmas be on the lookout for those after Christmas clearance items.



Attention all Men!!

Mark your calendar for January 11th. Make plans to be at the next men's breakfast here at Westminster in Fellowship Hall. 8:00 am



Reminder...

There will not be WOW on January 1, 2020

Growing faithful, fruitful followers of Jesus Christ