

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

- We do our best to answer your phone calls weekday mornings.
- You may be directed to our automated answering service at other times.
- We strive to provide access to the church building during office hours through our callbox in the rear of the church building.
- Please call ahead and inquire about building access if you are coming after 2:00 p.m.

WEEKLY DEADLINE for information to be included in the Sunday Update and Sunday bulletin is Tuesday at noon.

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***At the ringing of the carillon please silence your cell phones
and conversations and prepare your hearts and minds for
an encounter with the Living God.
Bolded text is read or sung by all.
*Please rise in body or spirit.***

***To the parents of our young children
Sit toward the front, where it's easier for your little ones to see and hear
what's going on. If you have to leave the service with your child, feel free to
do so, but please come back. As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me."***

COME

Opening Voluntary Gavotte J.S. Bach

*Call to Worship Liam Hauerwas

When forces in the world threaten us, there is one who
seeks us,
**One who meets us, One who heals us, whose love
washes over us and sets us free for joy.**
This One is the Lord.
Come, let us worship God.

*Hymn 139 Come, Thou Almighty King ITALIAN HYMN

ENCOUNTER

Prayer of Confession

**Holy One, God Most High, grant us faith to confess
our sins and seek your mercy. There are barren
places in our lives where we have wandered far from
you. We have listened to voices who distracted us
from your call. We have not taken the hand you offer
to lead us out of darkness, and into your holy ways.
God our Savior, forgive us. Quench our thirst for you
from the Rock of our salvation, and let your love well
up in us unto eternal life. Amen.**

Silence is observed.

Response 574 Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us *Kyrie*
**Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon
us. Lord, have mercy upon us.**

Calendar of Church Building Events For June 23 –30, 2019

Sunday, 6/23

8:30 am Early Morning Worship/Communion
(Johnstone Patio)
10:00am Child Care Center opens
10:30am Worship/(Sanctuary)
11:30 am Coffee and Fellowship (Wright-Herberich Hall)
11:30 am VBS Planning (Library)

Monday, 6/24

No activities planned

Tuesday, 6/25

7:00 pm Session Meeting-Room 106

Wednesday, 6/26

No activities planned

Thursday, 6/27

9:30 am WPC Staff Meeting (Library)
12:00 pm Bible Study (Library)
3:00 pm Membership Meeting (library)

Friday, 6/28

No activities planned

Saturday, 6/29

9:00 am Celtic Gardeners (Garden)

Sunday, 6/30

8:30 am Early Morning Worship (Johnstone Patio)
10:00am Child Care Center opens
10:30am Worship/(Sanctuary)
11:30 am Coffee and Fellowship (Wright-Herberich Hall)
11:30 am Memorial Garden Open House

COME - ENCOUNTER - GROW - SERVE

SUMMER WORSHIP Each Sunday in June, July, and August, there are two worshipping opportunities at Westminster. The 8:30 a.m. service features piano music and is held on the Johnstone Patio, weather permitting. The 10:30 a.m. service featuring the organ is held in the sanctuary. Communion at the early service will be administered today, July 14, July 28, August 11, and August 25. Communion will be administered at 10:30 a.m. on July 14, and August 11.

HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE—LIVE—June 30
Join us for an evening of music and magic as the acclaimed Cleveland Orchestra performs a live version of composer John Williams's notable score during a (giant!) screening of the first Harry Potter film. Buy a ticket, bring a picnic and we will meet others from WPC on the lawn. Sign up in WHH so we can organize where to meet.

VBS, JULY 8-11 Don't forget to register online!
It's time to buy VBS items. If you are interested, check the display in WHH. You may choose from a variety of food and paper products. Please leave items in the kitchen or in the refrigerator.
VBS this year has a lovely soprano, Lara Troyer, coming in for entertainment. She will be bringing her "Seuss and Song" on Thursday morning at 11:00 a.m. Families and congregants are invited to come and enjoy! We will also have a fun and tasty potluck on Thursday evening at 6:00 p.m. Bring a dish and come see what we have done for our VBS week.

NEW MEMBER CLASS Are you interested in deepening your connection to Westminster? Others have already expressed an interest in participating in a new member's class. If you are considering membership, as well, then please contact our pastor so that a convenient date and time can be scheduled for all.

OUR PIANIST TODAY Laurel Labbe teaches choir to grades 6-12 in the Woodridge Local School District. Laurel received her undergraduate training at Duke University and has her Masters of Music in Choral Conducting from the University of Massachusetts.
Laurel and her husband and three children are actively involved members of Westminster.

Assurance of Forgiveness

*Response 567 Glory to the Father *Gloria Patri*
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Amen. Amen.

*Passing the Peace
Greet both friends and strangers saying,
"The peace of Christ be with you."

Time for Church Life and Call for the Offering

Please sign the friendship pad and pass it to those seated near you.

If you are the last person to sign on that page, please tear it out and leave it on the pew for the ushers to pick up after the service.

Offertory Sicilienne Maria-Theresia Von Paradis, *arr. H. Kamioka*
Natalie Labbe, *soloist*

*Response 592 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow *Doxology*
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Time with Young Disciples

*After the Time with Young Disciples, 3 through 6 year-olds are invited to the Nursery for age-appropriate activities.
Grades K-8 will stay in worship with their family.*

GROW

Prayer for Illumination

The First Lesson Selected Verses from Psalms 42 and 43
Pew Bible, Old Testament Pg. 515

*Following the first reading, please remain seated for the singing
of our congregational hymn.*

Hymn 380 O Christ, the Healer ERHALT UNS, HERR

The Second Lesson Luke 8:26-39
Pew Bible, New Testament Pg. 68
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon Like He Was Overrun by an Army
The Reverend Jon Hauerwas

SERVE

*Affirmation of Faith from Westminster Confession

**God was pleased, in God's eternal purpose, to choose
and ordain the Lord Jesus to be the mediator
between God and human beings. As the mediator, he
is the prophet, priest, and king, the head and Savior
of the church, the heir of all things, and the judge of
the world. God gave to him, from all eternity, a
people to be by him, in time, redeemed, called,
justified, sanctified, and glorified. The Lord Jesus,
by his perfect obedience and sacrifice of himself, has
purchased not only reconciliation but also an
everlasting inheritance in the kingdom of heaven for
all those whom the Father has given to him.**

Prayers of the People, Silent Reflection 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 for-
give 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.**

*Hymn 403 What a Friend We Have in Jesus CONVERSE

*Charge and Benediction

Voluntary On Wings of Song Felix Mendelssohn

*The funding for the soloist today, Natalie Labbe, was provided by
the Brideweser Endowment for Music.*

Welcome to our worship this morning!
*Join us after worship today in Wright-Herberich Hall
for coffee and fellowship.*

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS, HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES,
HYMNALS, CHILDREN'S BIBLES AND ACTIVITY BOXES are
available. Please ask an usher.

USHERS are Dave Stobbs (Head Usher), Barbara Thackeray, Donna and
Dan Gorring, Linda Stobbs, and Bill Bramley.

FLOWERS in the chancel are given by Michael Dunbar in memory of his
friend Swanee Roberts.

VISITORS If you are new to Westminster, please pick-up your welcome
bag that is in the entrance to the church.