

## 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.

### WPC Staff

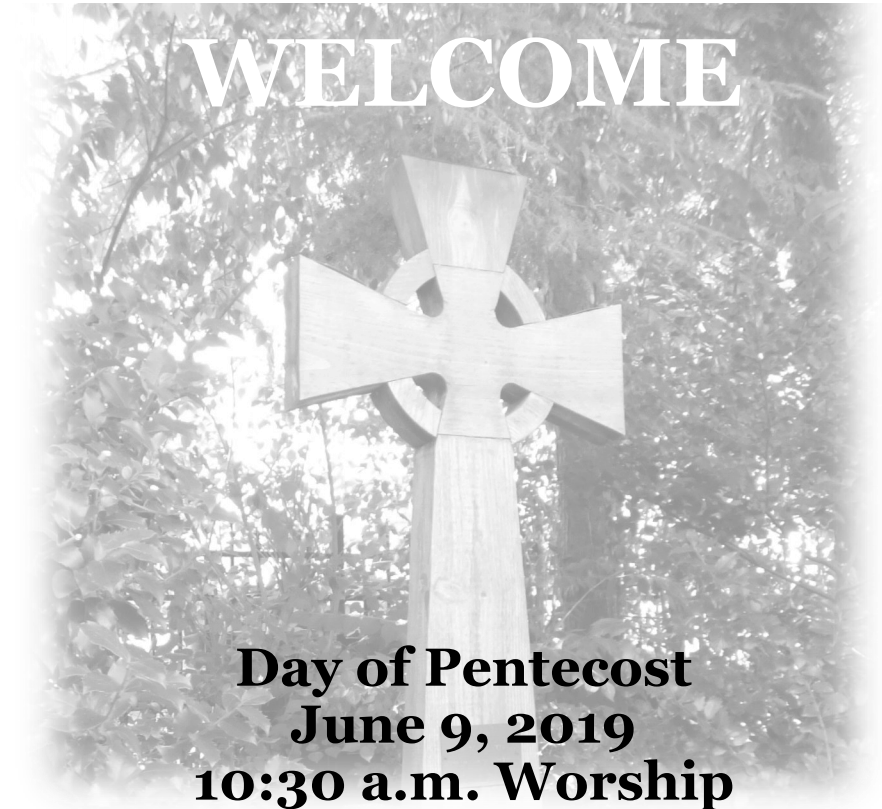
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***At the ringing of the carillon please silence your cell phones  
and conversations and prepare your hearts and minds for  
an encounter with the Living God.  
Bolded text is read or sung by all.  
\*Please rise in body or spirit.***

***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."*



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Voluntary      Berceuse      Louis Vierne

\*Call to Worship      Kinsie Willis

By sending down a confusion of languages, the Most High scattered the nations. By distributing the tongues of fire, God calls all peoples into unity.

**In harmony we glorify the Holy Spirit.**  
In the sound of a mighty wind rushing from the heavens, the Most High trumpets good news over the earth. And those who once cast nets to fish in the sea now cast your Word to fish for people.  
**We worship and glorify the Holy Spirit. May the Savior who opens the gates of paradise open our hearts to wisdom and truth.**

\*Hymn 128      On Pentecost They Gathered      MUNICH

ENCOUNTER

Prayer of Confession

**Come, Holy Spirit! Rain upon our dry and dusty lives.**  
**Wash away our sin and heal our wounded spirits. Kindle within us the fire of your love to burn away our apathy.**  
**With your warmth bend our rigidity and guide our wandering feet.**

*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.**

Assurance of Forgiveness

Calendar of Church Building Events  
For June 9 –16, 2019

<b>Sunday, 6/9</b>	<b>Day of Pentecost</b>
8:30 am	Early Morning Worship/Communion (Johnstone Patio)
10:00 am	Child Care Center opens
10:30 am	Worship/communion (Sanctuary)
11:30 am	Coffee and Fellowship (Wright-Herberich Hall)
<b>Monday, 6/10</b>	
7:00 pm	Book Discussion (Library)
<b>Tuesday, 6/11</b>	
6:30 pm	Endowment Committee Meeting (Pastor's Study Room)
7:00 pm	Discipleship Meeting (Room 106)

**Wednesday, 6/12** No activities planned

<b>Thursday, 6/13</b>	WPC Staff Meeting (Library)
9:30 am	Bible Study (Library)
12:00 pm	

**Friday, 6/14** No activities planned

<b>Saturday, 6/15</b>	Food for Life (Kitchen)
8:00 am	Celtic Gardeners (Garden)
9:00 am	

<b>Sunday, 6/16</b>	Early Morning Worship (Johnstone Patio)
8:30 am	Child Care Center opens
10:00 am	Worship/(Sanctuary)
10:30 am	Coffee and Fellowship (Wright-Herberich Hall)
11:30 am	Worship Committee meeting (Room 106)
11:30 am	3rd Sunday Dinner
5:00 pm	

# COME - ENCOUNTER - GROW - SERVE

VBS, JULY 8-11 We are looking for magazines with lots of faces to make some emotion collages for VBS. Faces that are sad, happy, frustrated, curious, surprised, etc... If you have old magazines please bring them to church and leave on the table at Connection Point or give to Sheila. Don't forget to register online for VBS!

**THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY** There will be no noon Bible study on July 4, neither on 11, nor 18. Please mark your calendar.

**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. In the event of inclement weather, the early service will be held in Wright-Herberich Hall. The 10:30 a.m. service featuring the organ is held in the sanctuary. Communion at the early service will be administered on June 9, June 23, July 14, July 28, August 11, and August 25. Communion will be administered at 10:30 a.m. on July 14, and August 11.

## OUR GUEST PREACHER TODAY

Cathy Ulrich is currently serving Eastminster Presbytery as General Presbyter and Stated Clerk. She and her husband, Tom, lived in Denver for two years where Cathy was the Interim Stated Clerk of Denver Presbytery and Tom was pastor of Georgetown Presbyterian Church. Cathy and Tom were co-pastors of Central Presbyterian Church in Fort Smith, Arkansas for 20 years. Cathy served 3 churches in Arkansas and one in Texas. Cathy and Tom love hiking, baseball, concerts, and plays which makes Northeast Ohio an ideal place to call home.

\*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

# O Rest In The Lord

Felix Mendelssohn  
Leslie Frye, *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

Mallory Gray

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    Genesis 11:1-9    Pew Bible, Old Testament Pg. 9

The Second Lesson Acts 2:1-21      Pew Bible, New Testament Pg. 111  
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon “Dreams and New Meanings” The Reverend Cathy Ulrich

## SERVE

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts! **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*The minister offers thanksgiving for the work of God in creation and the work of Christ and the Holy Spirit.*

Spirit, come - come and live in us: **in this bread, in this cup, in your people, one with Christ, one in ministry, in this place, in every place; in this world, in the world to come.**

In one voice, let us offer the words of 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 Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

*Please come forward by the center aisle beginning with the front row. Return to your pew by the side aisles. Those in the balcony may come forward at any time. The servers with chalices have wine for dipping the bread; those with trays have cups for grape juice. If you choose to receive the bread and cup in your pew, please raise your hand so a serving team can identify you. Gluten, soy, and corn free wafers are also available for those with allergies.*

Words of Institution

“The bread of life.” “The cup of salvation.”

Prayer following Communion

**Loving God, we thank you that you have fed us in this sacrament, united us with Christ, and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet in your eternal kingdom. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

\*Hymn 126 Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove ST. AGNES

\*Charge and Benediction

Voluntary

Andante Tranquillo Felix Mendelssohn

The funding for the soloist today , Leslie Frye was provided by the Brideweser Music Endowment fund.

***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 Gorrington, Linda Stobbs, and Bill Bramley.

FLOWERS in the chancel are given by Margo Works and family. In loving memory of her parents, Margaret and Marvin Maire and brother, Mark.

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