The Lord's Service

The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
AUGUST 15, 2021



Westminster Presbyterian Church

PRELUDE We Adore Thee GUILMANT

Please use the prelude as a time of silent preparation for the worship of the Triune God.

GREETING

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

& CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 104:27-30

All creatures look to you, to give them their food in due season.

When you give it to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

When you hide your face, they are dismayed; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

When you send forth your Spirit, they are created, and you renew the face of the ground.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

We thank you, O God, that you have given us your Son, who is the true bread from heaven and food of eternal life. By your Spirit, strengthen us in your service that our daily living may show our thanks; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

₩ HYMN OF PRAISE

My Soul, Bless the Lord!

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CONFESSION OF SINS

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred, and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against thy holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; And there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

THE KYRIE ELEISON

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

X THE PEACE

GLORIA PATRI

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Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

INTERLUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy

Peter Crisafulli

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Gracious God, we do not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from your mouth. Make us hungry for this heavenly food, that it may nourish us today in the ways of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, the bread of heaven. **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

EXODUS 16:9-26

NEW TESTAMENT READING:

PHILIPPIANS 4:10-20

Arise, O Lord Our God, Arise

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SOSPEL READING:

MATTHEW 6:7-15

RESPONSE

The Word of the Lord Praise be to God.

8 THE APOSTLES' CREED

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I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Matthew Quirk

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY

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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.

SURSUM CORDA

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

- PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING
- 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.

8 HYMN OF DEPARTURE

Now Thank We All Our God

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- **&** CHARGE AND BENEDICTION
- POSTLUDE

With Ever Joyful Hearts

John Barr

PREACHER: Rev. Kevin Chiarot

WORSHIP LEADER: Johnson Chang-Fong

ORGANIST: Elaine H. Simpson

REV. KEVIN CHIAROT 8.15.2021

Our Daily Bread MATTHEW 6:11

God's first, then needs.
1. The Practical
The Lord's Prayer is b, but co
Daily bread embraces all our t needs.
2. The Posture
We have f our right to all the outward blessings.
We are placed in a posture of h
The prayer grasps that things come from God's
James: Every and gift is from
It instills in us a posture of deep, dd
From dependence flows: G & c
3. The Portion
Daily bread: t or to bread.
Catechisms call this a "cp"
Prayer is anticipated in P chapter
We pray for bread, not d
"Us" and "our" point to our s with those in need
4. The Prospect
Jesus is evoking the which God provided for Israel.
Jesus identifies himself with the manna: chapter
Daily bread d us to heavenly bread.
All bread and all m point to the S
We end up again at the w Supper of the

Missions Work Highlight

ALL 4 JESUS MINISTRIES

<u>All 4 Jesus Ministries</u> labors on the Campus, on the streets and in the churches to "Fulfill the Great Commission and Ignite a Passion in Others to Do the Same".

In spite of past year restrictions on in-person meetings in the New York State Universities (SUNY Orange and SUNY New Paltz) God has been faithful in sending new students to minister to. We are thankful for the technology that allowed us to shift to online ministry communication during this time and now that restrictions are being lifted new outreaches and training sessions are in the works. This past spring saw the return of in-person evangelism training at two churches and a time of sharing the gospel on the streets of Newburgh and Pawling where some heard the good news of Christ for the first time. In partnership with a local church, we have also begun a weekly bible fellowship time and meal for college and noncollege people as we have witnessed an increasing hunger for human interaction and spiritual food.

Thank you for sponsoring me and for your love and prayers.

- Adam Gordon

Announcements

It is our joy to receive into membership and to baptize Matthew Quirk today!

The Fellowship/ care team is currently seeking volunteers. Please fill out form in the bulletin.

Officer nominations will be accepted starting today through Sunday 9/12. Please prayerfully consider, in the light of 1 Timothy 3:1-13, who the Lord may be calling to serve his body. Signed nominations should be given to Jo-Anne Weber or brought to the office.

Please send prayer requests for the month of August to our pastoral intern, Justin Chiarot, at jchiarot23@yahoo.com

We are starting to collect donations for Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. New items such as school supplies, toys, games, clothing, and hygiene items will be used in a shoebox packing party this fall. There are bins located in the Narthex and in the entrance downstairs. If you have any questions see Matthew or Shelley Harwood.

WELCOME TO WESTMINSTER

Westminster Church is both a place and a people. We gather in this sacred space to worship, to learn, and to serve God as he meets us in Christ. To this end we dedicate our time, our talent, and our resources. Here the Gospel of Christ is freely proclaimed: We are weaker and more sinful than we ever dared admit, but through Christ we are more loved and accepted than we ever dared hope. As a community of Christians, we are building a bridge to the future through faith and friendship. To this end, we pray God will give us strength, vision, and wisdom. We are thankful that you could join with us today. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Welcome to Westminster!

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The Celtic cross reminds us, as Presbyterians, of our historical roots in the British Isles dating back at least to the fifth century. Post Tenebras Lux is a Latin slogan from the 16th-century Protestant Reformation meaning After Darkness, Light. The cross and the slogan combine to express our desire to be rooted in the ancient faith and to embrace the attainments of the Protestant Reformation.

Westminster was organized in 1854 and is affiliated with the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

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