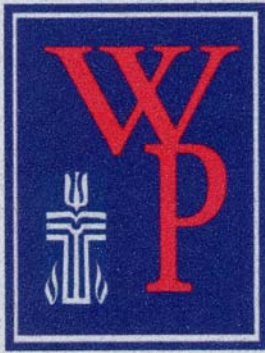


*Behold, I am doing a new thing; now it springs forth. Isaiah 43:19*



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# THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 27, 2010

## ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Gathering Music - Partita on Hymn to Joy

Barr

Prayer of Preparation *(you may wish to prepare for worship by praying silently)*

Lord, we've come here to hear again that, in Christ, all things have been made right again. Make us right. Touch my heart and let me believe, trust, obey, and celebrate the new life you have given me in Jesus Christ. Amen

Chiming of the Hour

Greeting and Announcements

Chris Napier

Call to Worship – Psalm 111 *(responsive)*

Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart.

**Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them.**

Full of honor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

**He has gained renown by his wonderful deeds; the Lord is gracious and merciful.**

He provides food for those who fear him; he is ever mindful of his covenant.

**He has shown his people the power of his works.**

The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy.

**They are established forever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.**

He sent redemption to his people. Holy and awesome is his name.

**The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding. His praise endures forever.**

Come let us worship the Lord, our God!

\* Hymn of Praise 455 – *All Creatures of Our God and King* (vs. 1, 3, 5)

\* Call to Confession

\* Prayer of Confession *(unison)*

**Merciful and most loving God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. Nor have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not forgiven others. We have not shared our time or resources with those in dire need. Forgive us. Soften our hard hearts. In your abundant grace transform our lives. Forgive, also, the secret sins that we name now in silence . . . .**

- \* Assurance of Pardon
- \* The Congregation's Response: *All Creatures of Our God and King*  
 All creatures, your Creator bless,  
 And worship God in humbleness.  
 O sing ye! Alleluia!  
 Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
 And praise the Spirit, Three in One!  
 Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD**

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson – Luke 9:51-62 (pew Bible pg. 843)  
 The Word of the LORD. **Thanks be to God!**

Anthem - I Give Thee a New Commandment Aston

Second Lesson – II Kings 2:1-18 (pew Bible pg. 290)

Sermon – *The Cost of Discipleship* Rev. Stephen Ramp

**GIVE THANKS TO GOD**

- \* Hymn of Thanksgiving 382 – *Somebody's Knocking at Your Door*

Ordination and Installation of Officers *(see insert)*

Prayers of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

Offertory - Chorale Prelude on Old Hundredth Pachelbel

- \* The Doxology – Hymn 592

- \* Prayer of Dedication

**GO IN GOD'S NAME**

- \* Hymn of Consecration – *Lord of All Hopefulness (see back of bulletin, vv. 1-3)*

- \* Charge and Benediction

- \* Congregational Benediction – *Lord of All Hopefulness (see back of bulletin, v. 4)*

- \* Postlude - Praise to the Lord, the Almighty Walther



- \* *Please stand at the \* as you are able. Unison readings are **printed in bold**. Also, please take your bulletin and papers home or place them in the recycling basket in the narthex.*

# Lord of All Hopefulness



1. Lord of all hope-ful-ness, Lord of all joy, whose  
2. Lord of all ea-ger-ness, Lord of all faith, whose  
3. Lord of all kind-li-ness, Lord of all grace, your  
4. Lord of all gen-tle-ness, Lord of all calm, whose



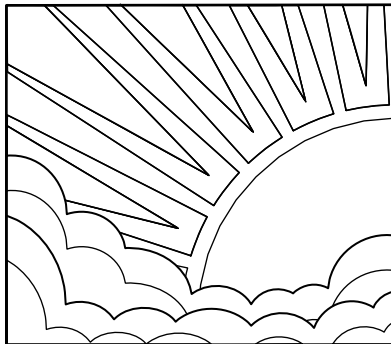
trust, ev-er child-like, no cares could de-stroy: Be  
strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe: Be  
hands swift to wel-come, your arms to em-brace: Be  
voice is con-tent-ment, whose pres-ence is balm: Be



there at our wak-ing, and give us, we pray, your  
there at our la-bors, and give us, we pray, your  
there at our hom-ing, and give us, we pray, your  
there at our sleep-ing, and give us, we pray, your



bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.  
strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.  
love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.  
peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.



You, the members of this congregation, have elected Kathryn Cummings, Robin Roberts, and Barbara Stallcup to serve three-year terms as Elders, and Richard Potin, Karen Reidenbach, Larry Royals, and Molly Smith, to serve three-year terms as Deacons. You also elected Ginny Graham to serve the final two years of an unexpired term. You have elected Hugh Garraway to serve a three-year term as Trustee. These men and women have signified their willingness to serve, have engaged in a period of study, and have been examined and approved by the Session. They are ready to be ordained and installed.

According to our constitution, the pastor is required to ask, and you are required to answer nine important questions found in Section W4-4.4003 of our Book of Order.

1. Do you trust in Jesus Christ your Savior, acknowledge him Lord of all and Head of the Church, and through him believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?
2. Do you accept the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be, by the Holy Spirit, the unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ in the Church universal, and God's Word to you?
3. Do you sincerely receive and adopt the essential tenets of the Reformed faith as expressed in the confessions of our church as authentic and reliable expositions of what Scripture leads us to believe and do, and will you be instructed and led by those confessions as you lead the people of God?
4. Will you fulfill your office in obedience to Jesus Christ, under the authority of Scripture, and be continually guided by our confessions?
5. Will you be governed by our church's polity, and will you abide by its discipline? Will you be a friend among your colleagues in ministry, working with them, subject to the ordering of God's Word and Spirit?
6. Will you in your own life seek to follow the Lord Jesus Christ, love your neighbors, and work for the reconciliation of the world?
7. Do you promise to further the peace, unity, and purity of the church?
8. Will you seek to serve the people with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love?
9.
  - a. (For Elders) Will you be a faithful elder, watching over the people, providing for their worship, nurture, and service? Will you share in government and discipline, serving in governing bodies of the church, and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?
  - b. (For Deacons) Will you be a faithful deacon, teaching charity, urging concern, and directing the people's help to the friendless and those in need? In your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?
  - c. (For Trustee) Will you be a faithful trustee, exercising prudence and good judgment in managing the property of Westminster Presbyterian Church? Will you support the ministries chosen by the Session? In your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

### Elder Wilson Ruff:

1. Do we, the members of Westminster Presbyterian Church accept Kathryn Cummings, Robin Roberts, and Barbara Stallcup to serve as Elders, and Richard Potin, Karen Reidenbach, Larry Royals, Molly Smith, and Ginny Graham as Deacons; and Hugh Garraway as Trustee, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ? Do we?
2. Do we agree to encourage them, to respect their decisions, and to follow as they guide us, serving Jesus Christ, who alone is Head of the Church? Do we?

### Pastoral Prayer of Ordination and Installation *(all Elders please come forward)*

### Charge to New Officers

- \* **Congregational Hymn** *(all verses)*

### Take My Life and Let It Be



1. Take my life, and let it be Con-se - crat-ed, Lord, to Thee. Take my mo-ments
2. Take my hands, and let them move At the im - pulse of Thy love. Take my feet, and
3. Take my voice, and let me sing, Al-ways, on - ly, for my King. Take my lips, and
4. Take my will, and make it Thine; It shall be no long-er mine. Take my heart, it
5. Take my love; my Lord, I pour At Thy feet its treas-ure store. Take my-self, and



and my days; Let them flow in cease-less praise, Let them flow in cease-iless praise.  
let them be Swift and beau-ti - ful for Thee, Swift and beau-ti - ful for Thee.  
let them be Filled with mes-sa-ges from Thee, Filled with mes-sa-ges from Thee.  
is Thine own; It shall be Thy roy-al throne, It shall be Thy roy-al throne.  
I will be Ev - er, on - ly, all for Thee, Ev - er, on - ly, all for Thee. A-MEN.



**SCRIPTURE READINGS**  
**June 28 - July 3, 2010**

Monday, June 28	Romans 6:12-23 Matthew 21:12-22
Tuesday, June 29	Romans 7:1-12 Matthew 21:23-32
Wednesday, June 30	Romans 7:13-25 Matthew 21:33-46
Thursday, July 1	Romans 8:1-11 Matthew 22:1-14
Friday, July 2	Romans 8:12-17 Matthew 22:15-22
Saturday, July 3	Romans 8:18-25 Matthew 22:23-40

**PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND STRENGTH**

*Nina Auken, friend of the Reidenbachs – continuing fight against ALS*  
*Julie Barkurn, neighbor of the Harris family – cancer*  
*Danny Buckalew – bulging disc*  
*Michelle Gibbs, Peggy Speed's friend – breast cancer*  
*Becky Morgan, McComb friend of the Ramps – liver cancer*  
*Bobby Dossett, Sam Dossett's brother – experimental treatment for aggressive cancer*  
*Judy, friend of the Hickmans – lung cancer, massive chemotherapy*  
*Don McLelland, the Cannedy's son-in-law – recovering from 4 bypass surgeries*  
*John Menefee – continued chemo treatments and for stamina*  
*Nona Kay Miller, Pat Davis' friend – chemo for lung cancer*  
*George Nicholas – vertigo*  
*Sandy Nicholas – severely bruised and inflamed knee and hip due to fall*  
*Yvonne Owen, friend of the Greggs – recurrence of cancer*  
*Bruce Rogers, friend of the Scheetz family – cancerous tumor in eye*  
*Jack Seale, Pam Dossett's brother – radiation for bronchial and brain cancer*  
*Shirley Smith, Janeil Harris' mother – recovering from heart valve replacement surgery*

**PRAYERS FOR NEW OFFICERS**

*Elders: Kathryn Cummings, Robin Roberts, Barbara Stallcup*  
*Deacons: Richard Potin, Karen Reidenbach, Larry Royals, Molly Smith, Ginny Gregg*

**PRAYERS FOR YOUTH**

*Effective service to others while on mission trip (June 25-July 5) and safe travel*

## Greeting and Announcements



***Welcome to Westminster!*** We hope you will hear God's word and sense God's presence today. If you are looking for a church home, please let us know. Brochures giving an overview of Westminster are in the pew racks. The majesty, sovereignty, and holiness of God are hallmarks of Reformed worship. *Please turn your cell phone off and attune your heart to hear God calling.*

The July/August **Today** devotionals are in the entrance halls. Some large print copies are also available.

There will be a **planning meeting** on Tuesday, June 29 at 9:30 am for the PW Cluster B Fall Gathering.



The **Long Range Planning Task Force** meets Wednesday at 5:30 pm.

There will be no Wednesday night supper or service this week. The next Wednesday potluck supper will be **July 14**.

**ShareCare** will host a potluck lunch at Westminster at noon on Thursday, July 1.

*Your gift of clean water: The ripple effect touches lives across the globe.* Next Sunday is designated **Clean Water Sunday** when we will receive an offering to support Living Waters of the World. Please give generously.



Next Sunday is **Communion Sunday**, when we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. During the coming week, prepare yourself through prayer and scripture reading to receive the grace our Lord offers to you at his table. Communion Sundays are also a time when you are encouraged to bring contributions to the church for the **Breadbasket** program.



**WE WANT YOU** to join us for the **Red, Hot and Blue picnic** on Sunday, **July 4** following the worship service. The Diaconate will supply everything – hot dogs, hamburgers, baked beans, chips, brownies, cookies, and drinks! Feel free to dress in patriotic, casual attire.

Make plans now! Because we will fill **BreadBasket** applications for a second week in July, we are seeking extra volunteers. If you have approximately an hour and a half to devote to this worthwhile community project, please sign up in the narthex for a day during the week of July 19-23. Training is provided for first-timers. For more details, contact Kay Salter in the office.



Just as the human body needs eyes, hands, ears, lungs, etc., so does the Body of Christ. We have many small group opportunities for growth, fellowship and service here at Westminster. We encourage members to use their gifts to participate in the mission of this congregation and to invite others to join us in serving Jesus Christ.

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*The Seal of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)*

A Symbolic Statement of the Church

The Cross – Christianity

The Transept – Bible and Pulpit

The Dove – The Holy Spirit

The Intersection – Baptismal Font or  
Communion Cup

Flames – Implied triangle, the Trinity

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