

# Westminster Presbyterian Church

THE LORD'S DAY OF WORSHIP — 15 March 2026

## The Sanctuary: A House of Prayer and Preparation

Welcome to Westminster! We offer a short time for meditation at 9:40, before the service starts. Join us to prepare your heart for worship, and we will begin our time of announcements and the call to worship at 9:45.

## Offering Stones

If you give financially to Westminster online or by mail, please take a stone as you enter the sanctuary. You may place your stone in the offering plate as it comes your way during the offertory as a physical token of your offering to the LORD. (This is also a great way to teach children and others about sacrificial giving.)

## Meditation: Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

(Hebrews 12:18-24, 28-29)

*For you have not come to what may be touched, a blazing fire and darkness and gloom and a tempest and the sound of a trumpet and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that no further messages be spoken to them. For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even a beast touches the mountain, it shall be stoned." Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear." But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God, the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.*

*Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.\_ ESV*

## Welcome + Announcements

# God Calls Us to Worship Him (Psalm 32:1-2, 10-11)

## Call to Worship:

Leader: Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,  
whose sin is covered.

People: Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts no iniquity,  
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

Leader: Many are the sorrows of the wicked,  
but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the Lord.

All: Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice, O righteous,  
and shout for joy, all you upright in heart!

## Prayer of Invocation + Adoration

## Hymn of Praise + Adoration

### All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (Hymn #296)

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### Blessed Be Your Name (Songbook #33)

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# God Graciously Renews Us in Christ

## Corporate Confession of Sin:

Leader: The Prophet proclaims, *The heart is deceitful above all things and desperately sick; who can understand it? I the Lord search the heart and examine the mind* (Jer. 17:9-10).

Let us then confess our sins, saying ...

All: Behold, the Lord's hand is not so short, that it cannot save, or His ear dull, that it cannot hear; but our iniquities have separated us from God and our sins have hidden His face from us so that he does not hear. Our mouths are filled with anger, our lips quick to speak lies and our eyes are filled with illicit and unnecessary desires. Our feet are swift to run to evil and our thoughts are the thoughts of iniquity. We have lost our way and are far from the way of peace. The roads we travel are crooked and desperate. We hope for light, but behold darkness. Lord, only You can intercede and bring health to us. Only Your strong arm can bring us salvation. May the redeemer of Zion save us.  
In Jesus' name, we pray ...

Silent Confession & Reflection

The Words of the Gospel for those who repent and believe:

Leader: *For we ourselves were once foolish, disobedient, led astray, slaves to various passions and pleasures, passing our days in malice and envy, hated by others and hating one another. But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, He saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to His own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit.* (Titus 3:3-5).

All: Amen!

## Hymn of Renewal

### Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery (Songbook #43)

# God Calls Us to Make Offerings

## Tithes + Offerings:

The Offering of the Prayers of the People: Tree Triolo

Missionaries & \*\*Jay & Riley (Central Asia)\*\*

Mission: Bakers & Peru Missions

WPC Ministry: Share - Fellowship Team

All: 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 Collection of our Tithes + Offerings

While there are many ways to contribute financially to God's Kingdom, the church is the primary means by which that kingdom is established on earth. Thus, God calls us first and foremost to be faithful in the regular, ongoing support of one's local church body through tithes and offerings. If you haven't made tithing a practice, please consider adopting tithing or generous giving as a spiritual practice—that you might grow in faith and that together we might increase Westminster's capacity to be the body of Christ in Bryan & College Station for the world.

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## Offertory

## The Presentation of our Tithes + Offerings

## Prayer of Dedication

## Dismissal for Worship Kidz

# God Gives Us His Word

*The Lamb and the Redeemed*

Revelation 14:1-13

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Hymn of Response:

For All the Saints (Songbook #52)

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God Feeds Us His Covenant Meal

The Lord's Supper:

Preparation for Communion

Words of Institution: I Corinthians 11:23-26

Invitation + Warning

Prayer + Setting Apart the Bread and Wine

Holy Communion

Distribution of Communion Elements

Communion Hymn:

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) (Songbook #16)

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Taking Together the Bread and Cup

## Confession of Faith

### The Twenty-Third Psalm

All: *The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.*

*He makes me lie down in green pastures.*

*He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul.*

*He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.*

*Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,*

*I will fear no evil, for you are with me;*

*your rod and your staff, they comfort me.*

*You prepare a table before me*

*in the presence of my enemies;*

*you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.*

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me*

*all the days of my life,*

*and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord*

*forever. Amen.*

## God Blesses Us and Sends Us Forth

### Benediction:

Jude 24-25

Leader: *Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever.*

People: **AMEN!**

**Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow (Songbook #50a)**

### Passing of the Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also, with you.**

GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH A SIGN OF FRIENDSHIP, SUCH AS:  
"THE PEACE OF CHRIST BE WITH YOU" & "AND ALSO WITH YOU."

### Postlude