

Order of Worship

August 3, 2025



Prelude *Poeme (L. van Beethoven)*
Welcome, Call to Worship
Hymn of Praise *Rejoice, the Lord is King* #262
Life Together
Children's Message
Passing of the Peace *Children invited to Sunday School*
Scripture *Isaiah 35:1-10* p.615
Prayer of Confession
Music Background
Prayer Response *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*
Sermon *Redemption Song(s)*
Scripture *Romans 5:1-5* p.969
Communion
Music for Communion
Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus
Affirmation of Faith - *Apostles' Creed*
Opportunities to Serve, Call for Offering
Offertory *Classical Offertory (F. J. Haydn)*
Doxology, Prayer of Dedication
Hymn of Commitment
Christ the Lord is Risen Today #234 vv. 1-3
Benediction *Philippians 4:4-7* p.1013
Benediction Song *Christ the Lord is Risen Today (v4)*
Postlude *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Welcome to Westminster Presbyterian Church. You are invited to join us every Sunday for Worship at 10:00 am or at many of our other activities during the week which you can find on our website: www.wpcwestlake.org or in this bulletin.

Message Reflections

Takeaway: We can live with joy by singing songs that remind us that God is always healing, saving, and restoring the people God loves.

Questions:

1. Share a favorite redemption story (book, movie, example from your life or in history)?
2. Isaiah 35 discusses a lot of physical healing. How does the restoration of physical health (eyes opened, lame walking) shape your understanding redemption?
3. Reflect on Romans 5:1-5. What do Paul's words here say about grace, growth, and hardship?
4. If someone asked you to describe what it looks like to experience God's peace during a difficult season, what image or metaphor might you use?
5. Our sermon takeaway mentions that God is always at work healing, saving, and restoring the people God loves. What is a hymn or song that reminds you that God is always at work in our lives?

Summer is Here!

- **Greatest Hits:** A Summer sermon series on some of our favorite hymns and songs!
- **Summer Choir** - Rehearsal Sundays at 9:30am
- **Labor Day Sunday** - Good Old-fashioned Hymn Sing

Beach Day, August 9th

- **Register so we know you are coming**
- **Zuma Beach Tower 12**



Organist/Pianist: Brad Bietry

Leading Worship Today: Dave Rohde, Greg Ogden

The WPC Summer Choir: Ed Smart, Director

The WPC Praise Team: Roger Freeland, Bob Holt, Kerby Langendorf, Jim Martin, Ed Smart, Elizabeth Swift

WPC Program Year Financials

Based on quarters 1-3 (Sept thru May):

Projected income at Aug 25 \$596,301

Projected Deficit at Aug 25 (End of Program Year) **\$148,904**

Note: The WPC Program Year is September, 24 thru August, 25

We still expect to be at or close to our original projections for the program year.

We still have a way to go to achieve a balanced budget for WPC.



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Church Center



The **Listening Bench** is a service of WPC Stephen Ministry team. It gives you the opportunity to talk to someone who will listen confidentially and not judge what you say. The listener will offer prayer if that is something that would help you. The **Listening Bench** is available after each worship service on Sunday mornings on our courtyard.



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Redemption Song(s)



INVITING ALL PEOPLE TO
FOLLOW JESUS ON A
JOURNEY OF FAITH,
FRIENDSHIP, AND SERVICE.