



23<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
NOVEMBER 13, 2022 10:30 A.M.



## WE GATHER TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Westminster Chimes

Words of Welcome

Mass No. 2 in G Major

Franz Schubert

*Kyrie*

Kyrie eleison  
Christe eleison  
Kyrie eleison

Lord, have mercy  
Christ, have mercy  
Lord, have mercy

 Call to Worship

**One:** We gather in Praise to worship the One God of all creation.

**All:** Give us hearts of Praise, O God. Fill our hearts to overflowing as we come to worship and pray in the Name of Jesus.

**One:** Our help is in the Name of the Lord, the Maker, and the Redeemer of all the heavens and the earth.

**All:** May all that is within us give glory and honor, praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God. Let us worship God in spirit and in truth. AMEN.

 Please stand as you are able

✠ Hymn “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty” # 1

✠ Opening Prayer

Let us pray: Be with us as we gather for worship, O God. Give us hearts of praise, that we might serve you in the everyday ways of servant love that we see clearly in Jesus, your Son, and our Lord. AMEN.

Call to Confession:

It is in God’s mercy and grace that we are called to confess our sin, and to believe that God is able to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. With humble hearts, let us come with confidence before God’s throne of grace. Let us pray:

Prayer of Confession (all in unison)

**Holy and most merciful God, we come into your presence with humble hearts. We acknowledge that we have sinned and fallen short of your glory, in thought, word, and deed. We have not loved you with our whole heart; neither have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. Give us strength to turn from our sin and to journey with hope into the future, trusting your Holy Spirit to lead and guide us in the new way of Jesus’ love and grace. You have walked extra miles for us loving God; give us renewed strength to walk in the footsteps of Jesus every day of our lives. We ask these things in Jesus’ Name. AMEN.**

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

One: Friends, hear and believe the good news, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

All: Thanks be to God. Amen.

✠ Congregational Response

GLORIA PATRI

**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.**

✠ Passing of the Peace

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you

*Please pass the peace to each other, greeting one another in Christ’s name.*

## Gloria

Gloria in excelsis Deo et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis. Laudamus te, benedicimus te, adoramus te, glorificamus te, gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam, Domine Deus, Rex caelestis, Deus Pater omnipotens. Domine Fili unigenite, Iesu Christe, Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis; qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram. Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserere nobis. Quoniam tu solus Sanctus, tu solus Dominus, tu solus Altissimus, Iesu Christe, cum Sancto Spiritu: in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For You alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## A Time with Our Children and Youth

### GOD'S WORD IS READ AND PROCLAIMED

#### Prayer for Illumination

Let us give God glory as we open God's Word. Let us pray: With joy in our hearts, we open your Word, O Lord. May the words of our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be acceptable to you, O Lord, our strength, and our Redeemer. AMEN.

#### Responsive Reading of Psalm 98

One: O sing to the LORD a new song, for God has done marvelous things.

All: **The right hand of God and his holy arm have gained God the victory.**

One: The LORD has made known his victory; God has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations. God has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel.

All: **All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.**

One: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

All: **Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody. With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD.**

One: Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; the world and those who live in it. Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy at the presence of the LORD, for God is coming to judge the earth.

All: **God will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.**

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

#### Old Testament Scripture Reading Malachi 3:1-2, 5-7, and 10-12

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

Message "God Desires to Bless Us"

Rev. Dr. John Blacklock

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Unison)

*The Congregation will say the Creed in Unison and then the Choir will sing the Creed in Latin.*

Credo in unum Deum,  
Patrem omnipotentem,  
factorem caeli et terrae,  
visibilium omnium et invisibilium.

Et in unum Dominum, Iesum Christum,  
Filium Dei unigenitum,  
et ex Patre natum ante omnia saecula.  
Deum de Deo, lumen de lumine,  
Deum verum de Deo vero,  
genitum, non factum, consubstantialem Patri:  
per quem omnia facta sunt.  
Qui propter nos homines et propter nostram salutem  
descendit de caelis.  
Et incarnatus est de Spiritu Sancto  
ex Maria Virgine, et homo factus est.  
Crucifixus etiam pro nobis sub Pontio Pilato;  
passus et sepultus est,  
et resurrexit tertia die, secundum Scripturas,  
et ascendit in caelum, sedet ad dexteram Patris.  
Et iterum venturus est cum gloria,  
iudicare vivos et mortuos,  
cuius regni non erit finis.

Et in Spiritum Sanctum, Dominum et vivificantem:  
qui ex Patre Filioque procedit.  
Qui cum Patre et Filio simul adoratur et conglorificatur:  
qui locutus est per prophetas.

Et unam, sanctam, catholicam et apostolicam Ecclesiam.  
Confiteor unum baptisma in remissionem peccatorum.  
Et exspecto resurrectionem mortuorum,  
et vitam venturi saeculi. Amen.

I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who  
has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.  
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### Opportunities for Mission and Ministry

Offering Our Gifts to God

Give through Venmo @West-Presby

### *Sanctus and Benedictus*

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus  
Dominus Deus Sabaoth.  
Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua.  
Hosanna in excelsis.  
Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.  
Hosanna in excelsis.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

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.**

**WE BEAR GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD**

*Agnus Dei*

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
miserere nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
miserere nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
dona nobis pacem.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
grant us peace.

 Benediction

 Doxology (Sung Response)

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

Postlude      Festival Toccata

Percy E. Fletcher

*When our worship is over, our service begins*

**Please join us in Fellowship Hall for coffee and conversation  
immediately following the service**

**WORSHIP LEADERS**

Preacher:                      Dr. Rev. John Blacklock  
Worship Leader:             Mike Stanley  
Music Director/Organist:    Seth Luna

Sound Technician:         Bill Vilbig  
Livestream:                    Leiza McArter

**THE CHOIRS**  
**Northridge Presbyterian Chancel Choir**  
Director: Bryan Page

Pam Barker  
Eleanor Bissell  
Jamie Scurria  
Carol Winkleman

Suzanne Bouvier-Page  
Pam Jordan  
Ann Karnowski  
Linda Lob  
Jeanette Murphy

Matthew Jackson  
Stephen Swart  
Phil Collins

Will Ash  
Tim Jernigan  
Rick Halasz  
Alex Ash

Dick Arthur

**Westminster Presbyterian Chancel Choir**  
Director: Seth Luna

Kalli Hansen  
Ann McCullough  
Nancy Morton

Anna Peebles  
Cheryl Bradford

Will Frazier  
Da'On Boulanger-Chatman  
Almeda Ford

Stephen Bolduc

**SOLOISTS**

Sopranos: Anna Peebles, Kalli Hansen  
Tenor: Da'On Boulanger-Chatman  
Bass: Stephen Bolduc

**INSTRUMENTALISTS**

Violin I: Yesenia Campos  
Violin II: Mauricio Campos  
Viola: Victoria Klaunig

Cello: Patricio Gutierrez  
Organ: Julia Boudreaux

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## WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOVEMBER 13, 2022

#### WELCOME VISITORS

We welcome you to our family of faith! Let us know of your attendance by filling out one of our Visitor's cards found at the end of each pew. After worship, please join us in Fellowship Hall for coffee and conversation. We'd like to get to know you, whether you are just visiting or looking for a church home.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov 13 130<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Stewardship Sunday
- Nov 13 Devonshire Neighborhood Chili Cook-Off (1:30 - 4:30 PM)
- Nov 15 Book Club, Parlor at 10:30 AM - Bring a Book to Give
- Nov 17 Caregiver's Day Out (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM)
- Nov 20 Hanging of the Greens - after church
- Nov 24/25 Church Office closed for Thanksgiving

#### ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Pastor John is leading our Bible class in the study of I John at a new time. Class will be from **9:30 am to 10:15.**

#### YOUR SESSION

Besides our monthly (hybrid) stated Session meeting on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of every month, in August the Session began meeting every Friday at noon via Zoom for one hour. In the absence of a full-time minister, this allows us to address all issues as needed.

#### WESTMINSTER CHOIR

Rehearsals are held on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm and Sunday mornings at 9:30 am. Need help learning how to sing? We will teach you. Contact Seth Luna at [sethl@wpcd.org](mailto:sethl@wpcd.org)

#### SERVE AT AUSTIN STREET CENTER

Help prepare and serve dinner for 400+ homeless people on Saturday, December 17th. Volunteers, age 10 and over, are needed to serve. Those wishing to serve and/or donate bananas or cookies (to be delivered to WPC by 12/17/22 at 4:30PM), can contact Mike Stanley at (817)267-6822 or [mike@colbystanley.com](mailto:mike@colbystanley.com). The meal will be served from 5:30 to 6:30 PM.

#### THE BRIDGE

Westminster provides volunteers to serve breakfast at the Stewpot's Second Chance Café at the Bridge in Downtown Dallas on the first Saturday of each month. Mike Stanley sends out a reminder via email. If you have any questions, please contact him at 817-724-7430.

#### ADULT CAREGIVERS' DAY OUT

In partnership with our neighbors in Devonshire, Westminster has launched a "Caregivers Day Out" program at the church. The program's goal is to provide adults with early-stage Alzheimer's or related dementias a regular opportunity for socialization, exercise, music, and other brain-stimulating activities; and to offer their caregivers much-needed time to attend to their own needs with the assurance that their loved one is safe and cared for. The program will happen on the first and third Thursdays of the month from 9:30am-12:30pm. If you or a loved one is interested in participating or serving as a volunteer, please contact Ann Rosenzweig at [annrosenzweig@aol.com](mailto:annrosenzweig@aol.com)

## DALLAS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Every Fall, Dallas Public Library collects warm winter supplies and adult backpacks for our unhoused neighbors. Work with family and friends to fill backpacks or collect supplies and drop off your donations at any Dallas Public Library location or at most Dallas College campuses by Wednesday, Nov 16.

## ST. PATRICK'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

We are pleased to welcome the young and growing congregation of St. Patrick's Anglican Church.

## ONLINE GIVING IS AVAILABLE

Westminster welcomes your continued support. Checks can be sent to Westminster Presbyterian Church, 8200 Devonshire Dr, Dallas, TX 75209 or give online through Venmo (our username is West-Presby, last 4 digits 5290). If you have questions or need help, contact Dan Stoyak in the business office [dans@wpcd.org](mailto:dans@wpcd.org) or 214-351-3251.



## ONLINE WORSHIP INFORMATION

Worship at Westminster is broadcast live on Facebook directly from the WPC sanctuary beginning at 10:30 am every Sunday morning. To access the livestream, be sure to "Like" the Westminster Presbyterian Church - Dallas Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/westminsterpresbyteriandallas](http://www.facebook.com/westminsterpresbyteriandallas). Even if you are not a registered Facebook "user," you should be able to access the live stream by clicking that above link. You can see previously broadcast full worship services and sermons by clicking the "Videos" tab on the Facebook page. Videos of services, sermons, and choral anthems are also available on our YouTube channel <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2YYEjyOBjYTxzSzEwiTw>

## SESSION

<i>Class of 2023</i>	<i>Class of 2024</i>	<i>Class of 2025</i>	
Jody Clarke	Niklas James	Ann McCullough	Sharon Wright, Clerk
David McAllister	Mike Stanley	Sandra Gilbert	George Edwards, Treasurer

## TRUSTEES

<i>Class of 2022</i>	<i>Class of 2023</i>
Susan Edwards	Cheryl Bradford
Carol Powers	Danielle Tsai

## FOUNDATION BOARD

<i>Class of 2022</i>	<i>Class of 2023</i>	<i>Class of 2024</i>	
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