



Westminster Presbyterian Church

June 28, 2026

Choir Processional

Welcome, Announcements, & Silent Prayer (10:25)

*A warm welcome to those new to Westminster!
Please fill out the Welcome Card in the pew in front of you
and drop it in the offering plate so we can get to know you. Thank you!*

Prelude: *Use this time to prepare your hearts and minds for worship.*

***Call to Worship: Psalm 100 (Responsively)**

Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth. Serve the LORD with gladness; come before Him with joyful songs.

Know that the LORD is God. It is He Who made us, and we are His; we are His people, the sheep of His pasture.

Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; give thanks to Him and praise His name.

Salutation: John 14:1-2; Romans 1:7

Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in Me. In My Father's house there are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you?

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Invocation: from *The Savoy Liturgy*

O Eternal, Almighty, and most gracious God: heaven is Your throne, and the earth is Your footstool. Holy and reverend is Your name. You are praised by the angels in heaven, and in the congregation of Your people on earth. You will be treated as holy by all who draw near to You. We have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God, yet You invite us into Your presence and we are bold through our blessed Mediator to present ourselves to You. Receive us graciously and help us by Your Holy Spirit. May we stand in awe of You. May Your Word come to us in power and be received in love with attentive, reverent, and obedient minds. Make it to us a savor of life unto life. May we find that a day in Your

courts is better than a thousand elsewhere. It is good to draw near to You, our Father and King, through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. Amen.

***Hymn of Worship # 302:** *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*

Confession of Faith: 2 Corinthians 2:14-17 *(Responsively)*

But thanks be to God, Who in Christ always leads us in triumphal procession, and through us spreads the fragrance of the knowledge of Him everywhere.

For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing,

to one a fragrance from death to death, to the other a fragrance from life to life. Who is sufficient for these things?

For we are not, like so many, peddlers of God's word, but as men of sincerity, as commissioned by God, in the sight of God we speak in Christ. AMEN.

Call to Confession: Ezekiel 33:11

As I live, declares the LORD God, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from his way and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways, for why will you die, O house of Israel?

Silent Prayer

Assurance of Pardon: Romans 6:23; John 11:25-26

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in Me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?
AMEN.

***Hymn # 629:** *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

Offering/ Prayer: Proverbs 3:9-10

Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.

Offertory

***Doxology: Hymn # 733** *Psalm 150:6*

**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
praise Him, all creatures here below; alleluia, alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host,
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

Choir Anthem: *Revive Us Again*

Chorus

Revive us again
Revive us again
Come renew Your works of power
Let Your Kingdom come
Revive us again
Revive us again
Come and rule our hearts Lord
Jesus
Bring Your reign revive us again
(Revive us again revive us again)

V 1. Awaken our hearts Lord Jesus
Fill us again with Your fire
Stir up our zeal for You Lord

We need another revival
Give us a hunger to know You
A passion to see Your face
Pour out a spirit of worship
On Your church again

V 2. Give us one heart one vision
To finish the work You've begun
Move us with Your compassion
To reach out in mercy and love
Raise up Your church as an army
Your passionate holy bride
That with pure undivided devotion
We will lay down our lives

Prayer for Congregation

***Scripture Reading: John 16:16-24** (pg. 849)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon: The Retirement Party of Jesus by Pastor Mark Scholten

***Hymn of Response # 646:** *Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts*

Communion – *Please retain the elements and we will partake together.*

***Closing Song:** *Wonderful, Merciful Savior*

1. Wonderful, merciful Savior
Precious Redeemer and Friend
Who would have thought that a
Lamb
Could rescue the souls of men
Oh you rescue the souls of men
You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace

Our hearts always hunger for
Oh, our hearts always hunger for

2. Counselor, Comforter, Keeper
Spirit we long to embrace
You offer hope when our hearts have
Hopelessly lost the way
Oh, we hopelessly lost the way

You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace
Our hearts always hunger for
Oh, our hearts always hunger for

3. Almighty, infinite Father
Faithfully loving Your own
Here in our weakness You find us

Falling before Your throne
Oh, we're falling before Your throne
You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace
Our hearts always hunger for
Oh, our hearts always hunger for

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***Benediction: Romans 16:20**

The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

*Indicates standing if you are able.

Please join us tonight at 6:00 pm for a church-wide **Prayer Meeting
& Fellowship** led by Pastor Mark Scholten in the Fellowship Hall.

Celebrating Communion Together

All professing believers may partake of the Lord's Supper with us. After an explanation and invitation, the ushers direct us to approach the table to receive the elements. *Gluten-free wafers are available on paper circles on the bread trays.* All then return to their seats. There may be an Elder available near the Lord's Table to pray for families with children and any individuals who desire it. If you cannot come forward, an Elder will bring the elements to you. We partake together at the direction of the pastor. Elders are also available for prayer near the pulpit after the service.

Diaconate House Duty for June: Jim Finlay/ **for July:** Larry Wooten

Ushers for June: Randy Waters, Matt Scholten, Allen Miller, Dan Dunham

Ushers for July: Gene Striker, Jim Finlay, Bobby Martin, Andy King



Happy Independence Day!

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