

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE CHURCH GATHERS ...

When the prelude begins let us quietly prepare for the Worship of God.

PRELUDE

(9:00) Prélude (from *Suite on the Second Tone*)

Jean Adam Guilain

(11:00) Pastorale on a Scottish Air

Susan Rucker

Handbell Choir

OPPORTUNITIES AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

PROGRESSIVE DINNER ANNOUNCEMENT

Don Byerly

CALL TO WORSHIP

Anna Rennich, Liturgist (9:00)

Sue Murrian, Liturgist (11:00)

Leader: God of grace, you have given us minds to know you, hearts to love you, and voices to sing your praise.

People: Fill us with your Spirit, that we may celebrate your glory and worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

TO PRAISE AND CONFESS ...

*HYMN NO. 473 (blue hymnal) For the Beauty of the Earth

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***CALL TO CONFESSION**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (Unison)

God of glory, you sent Jesus among us as the light of the world, to reveal your love for all people. We confess that our sin and pride hide the brightness of your light. We turn away from the poor; we ignore cries for justice; we do not strive for peace. In your mercy, cleanse us of our sin, and baptize us once again with your Spirit, that, forgiven and renewed, we may show forth your glory shining in the face of Jesus Christ. Amen.

*KYRIE ELEISON NO. 574 (blue hymnal)

arr. David N. Johnson

Lord have mercy upon us. Christ have mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News!

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*RESPONSE Gloria Patri No. 576 (blue hymnal)

Jacques Berthier

SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 58:1-9

Jim Mason, Liturgist (11:00)

A TIME WITH THE CHILDREN (11:00)

Carolyn Greenwood

Children age 4 through 3rd grade are invited to go downstairs and participate in

Children's Worship. A nursery is available during the entire service for infants through age 3.

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 5:13-20

SERMON

"You don't know me, but I'm your brother..." Rev. Dr. Buran Phillips

-Takin' it to the Streets, The Doobie Brothers

*HYMN NO. 386 (blue hymnal) O for a World

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*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Unison)

The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE OFFERING

Please sign and pass the Friendship Register found on the pew nearest the center aisle.

If you would like to receive our newsletter or more information about the church, include your address, phone number and email address. As many of us contribute electronically or by a check in the mail, your holding and passing the offering plate is an act of blessing and dedication to our life together in Jesus Christ.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

(9:00) Pastorale on a Scottish Air

Susan Rucker

(11:00) Adoramus te

Quirino Gasparini

Adoramus te Christe, et benedicimus tibi, Quia per sanctam crucem tuam, redemisti mundum.

We adore you, Christ, and bless you, for through your holy cross, you have redeemed the world.

based on Phillipians 2:8-9 and Galatians 6:14

*AT THE PRESENTATION Doxology No. 514 (red hymnal)

Old Hundredth

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

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (responsive)

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

(Prayer continues)...to the glory of your name.

People: **Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory: Glory be to thee, O Lord most high. Amen.**

(Prayer continues)...Praise to you, Lord Jesus.

People: **O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/THE LORD’S PRAYER

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING THE SACRAMENT

(Seated. Partake of elements as directed by the minister, followed by silent meditation.)

MUSIC FOR COMMUNION Da Jesus an dem Kreuze stund, Verse 3 Samuel Scheidt
As Jesus Hung on the Cross

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (Unison)

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us.
Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

TO GO FORTH AND SERVE ...

*HYMN NO. 535 (blue hymnal) (11:00) Go with Us, Lord *Tallis’ Canon*

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE NO. 586 (blue hymnal) Amen Danish melody

*POSTLUDE Canzona Domenico Zipoli

*Indicates standing.

NOW THE SERVICE BEGINS

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TODAY

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP here today.

PASTORAL CARE ELDERS FOR THE WEEK are Judy Jordan and Don Byerly.

CARE TEAM COORDINATOR FOR FEBRUARY: Georgann Byerley

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS are available from the ushers.

SERVING TODAY

ACOLYTES (11:00): Max Yates and Leah Milam

GREETERS (11:00): SHOW (Senior High of Westminster)

CHILDREN’S WORSHIP:

(9:00) Childcare through age 5

(11:00) Larry and Kathleen Tragesser, Chloe and Lacey Tragesser

MINISTRY OF MUSIC:

(9:00) Handbell Choir

(11:00) Chancel and Handbell Choirs

SENIOR USHER: Tim Ryan

USHERS:

(9:00) Kathy Huck and John Styron

(11:00) Brian Bonnyman, Scott Brunger, Georgann and Tom Byerley, Christie Dowling

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are given by Don and Connie Graham in honor of their family’s February birthdays: Donnie, Shawn, Meredith and Ellie.

THE BIRTH CANDLE today is in celebration of Brad and Judy Horn’s new grandson, Theodore Franklin Nichols, Jr. He was born January 30 to Ted and Stacey Nichols of Aiken, South Carolina. Baby Teddy’s paternal grandparents are Trent and Sally Nichols of Knoxville.

TWO-CENTS-A-MEAL collection is **today**. We bring this offering each “First Sunday,” as our share in maintaining the Volunteer Ministry Center of Knoxville. The average monthly cost to serve breakfast and lunch is \$200. Your support is greatly appreciated!

NAME TAG SUNDAY is today. Please fill out a name tag in the Narthex.

FIRST SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP: Join us for refreshments in the Schilling Gallery following the 11:00 a.m. worship service today, hosted by the Fellowship Ministry Team. We will gather in the gallery each “first Sunday” for a time of fellowship with one another.

THIS MORNING'S MUSIC FOR HANDBELLS is an arrangement of the tune *Candler*. Given the nature of the writing, the choir will use the softest of the clapper settings, creating a warm, gentle, and peaceful ambience. The composer uses a technique that lends added richness and dreaminess to the texture: LV, which indicates to the ringer to "laissez vibrer" or "let vibrate." The effect is similar to what is achieved by a piano's damper (or sustain) pedal and is created by simply letting the bells continue to ring without the normal dampening usually determined by each note's value.



SOUPER BOWL OF CARING: Today after both services, the youth will be collecting contributions for Souper Bowl of Caring. This widespread event is taking place today in churches all over the nation, with each group choosing where the donations will be used locally. All monies donated at WPC will be contributed to the Love Kitchen (a local food kitchen serving the Magnolia community). Thanks for supporting our souper community!

MINISTRY TEAM NIGHT is Tuesday, February 8. The Community Service ministry team will provide refreshments.

FISH delivery is Thursday, February 10. If you are able to help make deliveries, please contact Barbara Wilkinson. The number of families receiving bags of groceries is **totally** dependent on the number of Westminster volunteers. **YOU are needed!**

YOUTH CLUB meets today at 12:15 p.m. in the McKinnon Room. We will have lunch, then pack beans and rice for the FISH pantry.

WAMS meets by the fountain following the 11:00 worship service today. We will head over to Salsarita's by West Town Mall for a fun lunch together.

SHOW will meet at the Rotella's at 6:00 p.m. for a Super Bowl Party! We're having a taco bar, so bring one of the following: taco toppings, soft drinks or a dessert. We'll play commercial and football bingo, predict the score, and win FABULOUS PRIZES!

GREETERS ARE NEEDED: Please take a moment to sign up to serve as a greeter for an 11:00 a.m. worship service in March, April or May. You'll enjoy spending about 20 minutes greeting friends and meeting new members and guests. Sign-up sheets are located on the bulletin board in the Schilling Gallery.

THE CONCERT presented November 30 by Waterfriends to benefit Living Waters for the World is available on CD. You may purchase a copy of "Songs and Carols of Advent and Christmas" in the church office for \$10.

RESERVE YOUR SPOT for next year's LeConte hike! Plenty of slots are available. Please send your \$50 deposit to the church office, noting "LeConte reservation" on your check. The hike will take place July 23, 2011.

BLT (BIBLE, LUNCH, TUESDAYS)

A Selection of Psalms

The Psalms have been called the hymnbook of the Old Testament. This study looks at a sampling of different types of Psalms under specific headings (suggested by the Old Testament scholar, Walter Bruggemann). We meet for about an hour each Tuesday beginning at 12:00 noon in the McKinnon Room, and you are welcome to bring your lunch.

The following is a class schedule with the Psalm/s for each class. The Psalm/s in bold will be our primary focus for each particular class, though you are encouraged to read all the Psalms listed for the particular category.

Psalms of Disorientation

February 8 Psalms of Communal Lament: **74,79,137**

February 15 Two Disturbing Psalms! **109, 88**

Psalms of New Orientation

February 22 Psalms of God's Presence: **63,90**

March 1 Psalms of Assurance and Confidence: **23,91**

THE ABBEY DEADLINE is Wednesday. Please send your articles to unitedprinters@comcast.net.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST: On Thursday, February 10 at 7:00 a.m. we will meet in the McKinnon Room for a breakfast prepared by Larry DeLonge and a short discussion-oriented lesson prepared by Phil Barnette. If you want to review the lesson ahead of time, just ask Renee to email you the lesson or you can pick up a hard copy in the church office. Everyone is welcome. Come join us and bring a friend.

NORTH CEDAR BLUFF NEIGHBORHOOD GATHERING: Please join us on Sunday afternoon, February 13 at 4:30 p.m. as we meet together to welcome Ginny and Darryl Baker to our congregation. We will gather for food and fellowship at the home of Bill and Kathleen Farnham, 1919 Chestnut Grove Road. Please bring a finger food to share. Call Linda Rutherford (690-3499) or the Farnhams (693-4230) for questions or directions. Hope to see you there!

Wednesdays With Westminster (WWW or W³)

Here is what we have planned for Wednesday, February 9:

5:45-6:30 – Dinner

You do not need a reservation and there is no cost for the dinner, unless you want to make a donation at the door. Thanks to the World Service ministry team for preparing our dinner.

6:15-6:30 – Youth Worship in the Sanctuary

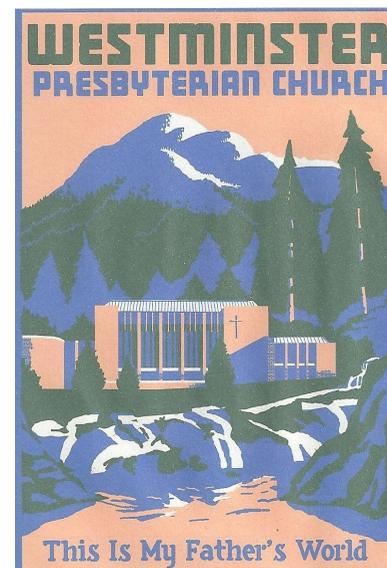
6:30-7:30 – Activities

Nursery for infants through age 4 and programs for ages 5 through 5th grade

Youth – Dgroup (Discipleship Group) for all middle school and high school youth

Adults – “The Relevance of Geology to Egypt and the Holy Land” presented by Don Byerly. Middle Eastern social history is completely interconnected with the history of the land. Because several major world religions are set in the Middle East, people tend to view the land as an unchanging quantity, but in reality, it is a very dynamic setting - earthquakes, sea level fluctuations, climate and deserts have changed over time.

Come enjoy the food, fun, fellowship and program at WWW.



ALL CHURCH RETREAT

April 1-3, 2011

Fall Creek Falls

Registration is underway for the retreat at Fall Creek Falls! A sign-up table is set up in the Schilling Gallery. Members of the retreat committee will be there to answer questions and assist with sign-up after the 9:00 a.m. worship service and before and after the 11:00 a.m. worship service. Order forms for retreat t-shirts can be picked up at the table. **The registration deadline is February 20, and t-shirt orders are due by March 1.**

WPC ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES FOR WINTER 2011

Faith Topics (McKinnon Room)

Losses of Our Lives, by Dr. Nancy Copeland-Payton

“Based on her experience as a physician, hospital chaplain, and pastor, Dr. Nancy Copeland-Payton invites us to awaken to the losses of our lives – big and small – and embrace the wisdom each has to teach us about the deep mystery of God and the nature of living.” Anne Dungan and Tim Crais are the facilitators for this class. We will study Chapter 5 today.

Special Topics (Library)

What Kids Really Want That Money Can't Buy: Tips for Parenting in a Commercial World by Betsy Taylor.

This book is a dynamic, real-world guide to reshaping our busy lives and giving our children more joy with less stuff - and plenty of what truly matters most. Linda Judge-McRae is the facilitator for the class. Books are available for \$5.

Bible Experience (Prayer Room)

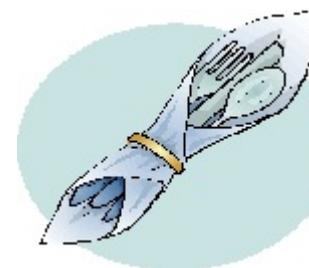
I Corinthians 14

We will debate I Corinthians 14, where St. Paul may or may not have said that women should not talk in church.

Annual Progressive Dinner

Friday, February 11

6:00 p.m.



The sign-up deadline for the annual Progressive Dinner is today. The cost is \$10 per person. Please sign up to bring an appetizer or dessert, or to host a group at your home. Appetizers and desserts should be brought to the Charles Towne Landing clubhouse, where we will gather at 6:00 p.m. Following appetizers and fellowship, we will go to our hosts' homes for dinner and dessert. You won't want to miss this special event! The sign-up sheet is posted in the Schilling Gallery. Childcare is provided.