



*“A Glimpse of God’s Love
on the Delmar Divide...”
June 19, 2022*

WESTMINSTER IN-PERSON ORDER OF WORSHIP

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

June 19, 2022

11:00 A.M.

Welcome to all our visitors. We are glad to have you with us.

We pray you experience God's presence during this time of worship.

A restroom is located at the north end of the narthex.

Please remember to silence all electronic devices during the worship service.

You are invited to join us for fellowship at the conclusion of worship.

Those who are able are invited to stand for portions of the service marked with an asterisk.

We Gather in God's Name

PRELUDE

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

Michael Burkhardt

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: As many of you as were baptized into Christ

All: have clothed yourselves with Christ.

One: There is no longer Jew or Greek;

All: there is no longer slave or free;

One: there is no longer male and female,

All: for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. Let us worship the One who makes us one!

*HYMN #769 (purple) vs.1-3 & 5

"For Every One Born"

FOR EVERYONE BORN

CALL TO LAY DOWN OUR BURDENS BEFORE GOD

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Grace, we have harmed your children whom you love. Because we do not understand them, we segregate them, we reject them, we demonize them, and we hurt them. Forgive us, in your infinite love, and teach us to welcome all of your children until our hospitality is as wide as your mercy. Help us to understand others as we wish to be understood. Guide us to love one another as you love us.

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE AND FORGIVENESS

*MUSICAL RESPONSE

"Live into Hope"

GG#772

**Live into hope of captives freed, of sight regained,
the end of greed. The oppressed shall be the first to see the
year of God's own jubilee!**

**Live into hope of captives freed from chains of fear
or want or greed. God now proclaims our
full release to faith and hope and joy and peace.**

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

(As a sign of reconciliation with God and each other, all may greet those around them observing each individual's preference regarding physical contact. This action will conclude with the singing of the Response of Thanksgiving printed above.)

OFFERING PRAYER

(You may place your offering in the basket on the communion table before or after the service, or you may scan the following QR code or click here [Donation \(eservicepayments.com\)](https://eservicepayments.com) for online giving)



***DOXOLOGY**

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!"
Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah!
Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

GG#591

We Listen for God's Word

PRAYER FOR GOD'S WISDOM AND UNDERSTANDING

SCRIPTURE READING

Galatians 3:26-29

SERMON

"Your Identity"

We Respond to God's Love

ANTHEM

"Ain't That Good News"
Westminster Singers

Moses Hogan

***PROFESSION OF FAITH**

from A Brief Statement of Faith

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father. We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

(One: . . . and so we pray; All: Lord, hear our prayer.)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, holy is your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

*HYMN #700 (purple)	“I’m Going Live So God Can Use Me”	I’M GONNA LIVE
*BENEDICTION		
*MUSICAL RESPONSE	<p>“We Will Go Out with Joy”</p> <p>We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.</p> <p>We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.</p> <p>Alleluia! We will go out with joy. Alleluia! Alleluia!</p>	GG#539 v.1
POSTLUDE	“I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me”	John Carter

Today’s Worship Participants

Ministers: Westminster Congregation	Preacher: Mark Miller
Music Ministry Coordinator: Vicki Carmichael	Organist: Rick Burk
Liturgist: Stan McCaslin	
Musicians: Westminster Singers	

Westminster Presbyterian Church is a multiracial congregation called by the radically inclusive love of God in Jesus Christ to ministries rooted in grace-filled hospitality, social justice, and transformation.

700 I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

1 I'm gon-na live so (live so)
 2 I'm gon-na work so (work so)
 3 I'm gon-na pray so (pray so) God can use me an - y -
 4 I'm gon-na sing so (sing so)

where, Lord, an - y - time!
 (an - y - time!)
 I'm gon-na
 I'm gon-na
 I'm gon-na
 I'm gon-na

live so (live so)
 work so (work so) God can use me an - y -
 pray so (pray so)
 sing so (sing so)

where, Lord, an - y - time!
 (my Lord,) (an - y - time!)

This African American spiritual has more depth than may at first appear: for people who are bound in slavery to sing about dedicating themselves to God's use shows a profound awareness of God-given self-worth despite circumstances that would deny their human or spiritual value.

769

For Everyone Born



1 For ev - ery - one born, a place at the ta - ble,
 2 For wom - an and man, a place at the ta - ble,
 3 For young and for old, a place at the ta - ble,
 4 For just and un - just, a place at the ta - ble,
 5 For ev - ery - one born, a place at the ta - ble,



for ev - ery - one born, clean wa - ter and bread,
 re - vis - ing the roles, de - cid - ing the share,
 a voice to be heard, a part in the song,
 a - bus - er, a - bused, with need to for - give,
 to live with - out fear, and sim - ply to be,



a shel - ter, a space, a safe place for grow - ing,
 with wis - dom and grace, di - vid - ing the pow - er,
 the hands of a child in hands that are wrin - kled,
 in an - ger, in hurt, a mind - set of mer - cy,
 to work, to speak out, to wit - ness and wor - ship,



for ev - ery - one born, a star o - ver - head,
 for wom - an and man, a sys - tem that's fair,
 for young and for old, the right to be - long,
 for just and un - just, a new way to live,
 for ev - ery - one born, the right to be free,

This hymn from a noted New Zealand hymnwriter affirms that God's hospitality transcends the barriers erected by human society and that we who have been created in God's image are called to live in ways that reflect our Creator's values: justice and joy, compassion and peace.

JUSTICE AND RECONCILIATION

Refrain

B All E E/G# A2 Bsus B

and God will de-light when we are cre - a - tors of jus - tice and

E E/G# A2 Bsus B

joy, com-pas - sion and peace: yes,

C#m C#m/B A2

God will de-light when we are cre - a - tors of jus - tice,

Bsus B E (fermata) Fine A2 E Bsus B

jus-tice and joy!



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OUR MISSION

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Church Leadership

Ruling Elders

Class of 2022
Will Hudson-Lewis
Toni Kirsch
Yvonne Willis

Class of 2023
Susan Baron
Carole Redd

Class of 2024
Sandra Browder
Lawson Calhoun
Katie Kaufmann

Staff

Ministers: *Westminster Congregation*
Music Ministry Coordinator: *Vicki Carmichael*
Building Manager: *Fred Fairbanks*
Church Office Assistant: *Lisa Mack*

Pastor: *Mark R. Miller*
Organist/Handbell Director: *Rick Burk*
Choral Conductor: *Vicki Carmichael*
Security: *Erwin Clark*

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 19, 2022

"Since the Pentecost Offering started in 1998, Presbyterians have raised more than \$16 million for ministries that benefit younger members of God's family. We believe we are called to do even more to support and care for young people as they build a strong foundation of faith. Congregations keep 40% of raised funds to initiate or support programs for young people in their communities. The remaining 60% is remitted to the Presbyterian Mission Agency. The session has chosen Lifewise and specifically the Freedom School programming they are supporting this summer for children in our City at no charge. Please give generously."

<https://www.lifewisestl.org/who-we-serve/youth/summer-camp/>

The Adult Bible Study group will meet on Wednesday, June 22nd at 12:00 noon via Zoom. They are currently studying The Minor Prophets.

<https://zoom.us/j/94739016002?pwd=YWYwa0R6cUUxeEJYaUhSV0tSQjZ4Zz09>

Or call 312-626-6799. Meeting ID: 947 3901 6002. Password: 843849

The Westminster Singers will rehearse on Sunday, June 19th at 9:40 a.m. in the sanctuary.

Each week we will gather for approximately 15 minutes to share concerns and joys for the congregation and the wider world. Join us via Zoom or send your prayer requests by phone or text to 314-255-5598 or email at pastor5300@sbcglobal.net. To join via Zoom go to:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/91983577788?pwd=SEFNelJUYWhEeW1DbzV5YjRsbWtsZz09>

The Adult Study Group

Via Zoom

Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

<https://zoom.us/j/99195541873?pwd=c3Ila2hSRIRZQU12VzNhdm9sVmFUdz09>

or call 312-626-6799

Meeting ID: 991 9554 1873

Password: 485781

THIS COMING WEEK AT WESTMINSTER

(Check the calendar on the church website for the most current information.)

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
Wednesday	June 22	12:00 p.m.	Adult Bible Study
Sunday	June 26	9:00 a.m.	Prayer Time
		9:30 a.m.	Adult Study Group
		9:40 a.m.	Westminster Singers
		11:00 a.m.	Worship
		11:45 a.m.	Fellowship