



Washington Presbyterian Church Worship Celebration

April 25, 2021

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Compassion Sunday Presentation

Calling upon God in Prayer

*Call to Worship – Psalm 107:1-3

*Hymn of Worship – Be Thou My Vision (#562)

*Reading of the Law (Responsive) – Joel 2:12-13

Confession of Sin (Silent)

Assurance of Pardon – Micah 7:18-19

Congregational Prayer

Song – He Will Hold Me Fast (see screen)

Message – **The Sufficiency of Christ**

Colossians 2 Pastor John McCombs

*Hymn – O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing (#21)

*Benediction

Postlude

**Please stand in body or spirit*

Please scroll down for announcements.

WELCOME members and guests. We're glad you joined us!

Today we worship at the church building, aware that you are also worshipping with us at home. Although we're not under the same roof, we are still worshipping the one true God with one another.

We encourage you to join us in singing, reading aloud, and standing or bowing our heads as we worship.

Prayer, counseling, or physical needs – Please reach out to our leaders if you have a particular need, would like prayer, know of a need someone else has, or if you just need to talk.

Children's sermon note sheets to help both older and younger children learn from the sermon at an age-appropriate level are available to print at washingtonpres.org/worship-bulletins.

The worship service is streamed on the TV downstairs in the Fellowship Hall. During the service, the Fellowship Hall is a mask-optional area.

Sunday school classes for adults and kids meet at 9:30 a.m.

Giving – If you feel led to contribute, you may give by mail (Washington Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 1367, Washington, PA, 15301) or securely online at washingtonpres.org/give.

Sermon recordings are available on Apple Podcasts under WPCA Sermons or on the [Resources tab of our website](#). A **video recording** of today's service is on our [YouTube channel](#).

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LORD'S SUPPER will be observed next Sunday, May 2. You are encouraged to prepare your heart to meet with the Lord in this special way. The Bible tells us to examine our hearts, and, as needed, to be reconciled to God and/or others by the forgiveness offered by Jesus' sacrifice for us. **A BENEVOLENCE OFFERING** for the Deacons fund (used to help those with particular needs) will be received during this communion service.

YOUTH GROUP for students in grades 7-12 meets this Wednesday, April 28, 7-8:15 p.m., in the sanctuary.

PASTORAL NOMINATING COMMITTEE – The PNC meets on Thursday, April 29, at 7:30 p.m.

SESSION MEETING – Friday, May 7, at 7 p.m. Please pray for our elders as they meet.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL will be held June 14-18, 9-11:15 a.m. Roles include daily staff, one-day-only staff, and roles done before VBS begins. Please contact Colleen De Jong or fill out the survey that went out by email if you are willing to help!

SESSION NOTE – Warren Champ is on an indefinite leave of absence from Session and is not currently serving active Session.

WELCOME BOOK – Members, please complete the form on the back table and place it in the basket or give it to Donna Menkel.

COMPASSION SUNDAY is on April 25. Please begin praying about whether you can support a child through Compassion International. Find more information at cintl.us/washingtonpcapa.

REMINDER that beginning May 2, the worship service will switch from being livestreamed to being recorded and posted within an hour after the service.

ELDER ON CALL: Rick Ferguson

MARCH GIVING

Budget for the year \$ 130,357.00

General Giving YTD \$ 31,867.25

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Giving</u>
General	\$ 11,522.00
Deacons	\$ 165.00