



Washington Presbyterian Church Worship Celebration

October 31, 2021

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship – Psalm 62:2, 6; Matthew 7:24-25

*Hymn of Worship – The Solid Rock (#526)

*Reading of the Law – Psalm 119:49-56

Confession of Sin (Responsive) – Mercy (Adapted from the Valley of Vision)

*Worship Song – Before the Throne of God Above (see screen)

Assurance of Pardon – 2 Corinthians 4:6

Receiving and Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

Congregational Prayer

Message – **Let No One Uproot You from Christ**

Colossians 2:6-3:4 Pastor Mike Bowen

*Hymn – It Is Well with My Soul (#705)

*Benediction

Postlude

**Please stand in body or spirit*

Please scroll down for announcements.

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

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.

Sunday school classes for adults and kids meet 9:30-10:15 a.m.

Giving – Gifts may be offered by mail (Washington Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 1367, Washington, PA, 15301) or securely online at washingtonpres.org/give.

Sermon recordings are available on most podcast apps under WPCA Sermons or on the [Resources tab of our website](#). A **video recording** of today's service is on our [Vimeo channel](#). (Services before May are still on our [YouTube channel](#).)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LORD'S SUPPER will be observed next Sunday, November 7. 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.

NEW MEMBERS CLASS – A new members class is being offered on Saturday, November 13 in the Fellowship Hall from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. with a break for lunch. If you are considering joining the church, please contact Pastor Mike or the church office (wpcaoffice@gmail.com).

PIONEER CLUBS for children age 2 through 6th grade meets on Wednesday, November 3, 6-7:15 p.m.

YOUTH GROUP for students in grades 7-12 meets this Wednesday, November 3, 6-8:15 p.m., in the sanctuary.

DISCIPLINESHIP COMMITTEE meets on Thursday, November 4 at 6:30 p.m.

SESSION meets on Saturday, November 6 at 8:00 a.m.

PPWM FALL EVENT- Pittsburgh Presbytery's Women's Ministry is holding a fall event with PCA National Trainer Chandra Oliver. The event can be livestreamed or attended in person at Calvin Presbyterian Church on Friday November 5 from 6:30-9:30 p.m. and Saturday, November 6 from 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. More information can be found at www.pcapittsburgh.org or emailing pghpwm@gmail.com

FELLOWSHIP EVENT – John Bennett is hosting a Men's Fellowship Night at his house to view Monday Night Football! Come on Monday, November 8, 7:30 p.m., to the Bennett home. Special outdoor viewing! Bring a chair and dress warmly! Various tailgating food will be provided (think MEAT!). Please RSVP to John.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD – It’s time to start your Christmas shoeboxes for children around the world through Samaritan’s Purse! Speak to Donna Menkel for more information.

NEW: Samaritan’s Purse offers an **online shoebox gifting tool**. For \$25, which includes the \$9 donation for shipping, you may select items from a list, and the shoebox will be packed for you and “Follow Your Box” tracking information automatically sent to you.

ELDER ON CALL: Rick Ferguson

SEPTEMBER GIVING

Budget for the year	\$ 130,357.00
General Giving YTD	\$ 117,830.24

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Giving</u>
General	\$ 14,106.00
Deacons	\$ 170.00