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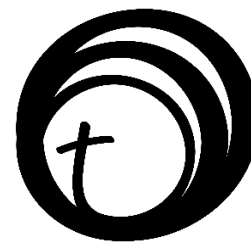
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**WPCA**  
**Washington Presbyterian Church**

**Welcome** to  
Washington Presbyterian Church in America

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire hope;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and yearn for fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
and to whoever will come — this church opens  
wide her doors and offers welcome in the name  
of the risen Lord Jesus Christ.



# Washington Presbyterian Church

## Service of Worship

WPCA

November 10, 2024 | 10:30 a.m.

### Welcome and Announcements

### Missions Moment: Mosaic Community Church

### Prelude

### Call to Worship\*

Philippians 2:9, 11 & Psalm 118:22-23

Leader: *God has highly exalted his Son and bestowed on him the name that is above every name. Come and confess that Jesus Christ is Lord!*

All: The stone that the builder rejected has become the cornerstone. This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

### Hymn of Praise\*

*"This is the Day the Lord Has Made"/ "Doxology"*

Trinity Hymnal #389/#732

### Prayer of Praise and Invocation\*

### Reading of the Law

1 Peter 5:6-9

### Prayer of Confession

All: O most great, most just and gracious God; You are of purer eyes than to behold iniquity; but you have promised mercy through Jesus Christ to all that repent and believe in him. We confess that we have all sinned and come short of the glory of God. We have neglected and abused your holy worship. We have dealt unjustly and uncharitably with our neighbors. We have not sought first your kingdom. You have revealed your wonderful love to us in Christ and offered us pardon and salvation in him; but we have turned away. (continued)

We have run into temptation; and the sin that we should have hated, we have committed. Have mercy on us, most merciful Father! In your Son is our salvation, in your promises our hope. Take us for your children and give us the Spirit of your Son, and in the end receive us into your glory, through Jesus Christ our only Savior. Amen.

### Hymn of Contrition

*"Lord Have Mercy/For What We Have Done"*  
(see screen)

### Assurance of Pardon

Hebrews 10:17-23

Leader: *"I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more." Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin. Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.*

### Prayer of Thanks and Receiving of the Tithes and Offerings

*(Children under the age of 5 dismissed to the nursery if desired.)*

### Hymn of Testimony

*"Pass Me Not"*  
(see screen)

### Congregational Prayer

### Sermon

Pastor Phil Amaismeier

**"What Do You Expect From Your King?"**

Matthew 20:29-21:11

### Hymn of Response\*

*"O God Show Mercy To Us"* (from Psalm 67)  
Trinity Hymnal #257

### Benediction\*

James 3: 15, 17-18

## **SUNDAY MORNING INFORMATION**

**Visitor? Please complete a visitor card** and place it in the offering plate so our elders can connect with you. Thank you for worshipping with us!

**Children's sermon note sheets** to help both older and younger children learn from the sermon at an age-appropriate level are available on the table in the back.

**A nursery** for children under age 5 is available downstairs. Families are welcome to keep their children with them in the service.

**The worship service** is livestreamed in the Fellowship Hall downstairs for any who need to step out of the sanctuary.

**Fellowship time** occurs each Sunday from 9:00-9:30 a.m.

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

**If you would like someone to pray for you today**, speak to one of our elders who will listen and pray with you.

**If you would like to give**, you may place your offering in the plate or give securely online at [washingtonpres.org/give](http://washingtonpres.org/give).

**Sermon recordings** are available on most podcast apps under WPCA Sermons or on the Resources page of our website, [washingtonpres.org](http://washingtonpres.org). A **video recording** of today's service is on Vimeo: [vimeo.com/washpca](http://vimeo.com/washpca).

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **THANKSGIVING POTLUCK**

The annual Thanksgiving Potluck will be immediately after church today. Even if you did not sign up, we'd love to have you join us for a meal and fellowship.

### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES**

Shoebboxes are due today. See Donna Menkel for more information.

### **HOLIDAY DECORATING**

Plan to stay after the worship service on Sunday, November 24 to help decorate the church for the Christmas season.

### **HOLIDAY CALENDAR**

With the Christmas season coming soon, there are many events here at Washington PCA. Those events are listed below (next to the Weekly Calendar) to help you know on what date certain events will occur. More information about specific events – such as time, location, and so on – will be announced as we get closer to a given event.

### **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

#### **Tuesday, November 12**

- Bible Study – 7:00 p.m.

#### **Wednesday, November 13**

- Prayer Meeting – 10:00 a.m.
- Pioneer Club – 6:00 p.m.
- Youth Group – 6:00

#### **Sunday, November 17**

- Sunday School – 9:30 a.m.
- Worship – 10:30 a.m.

### **HOLIDAY EVENTS**

**Wed. Dec 4:** Caroling at Transitions

**Sat. Dec 14:** Children's Christmas Party

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**Wed. Dec 18:** Youth Group Christmas Party

**Sun. Dec 22:** An Evening of Lessons & Carols

**Tues. Dec 24:** Christmas Eve Candlelight Service