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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

July 19, 2026 | 10:30 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship*

Psalm 111:1, 115:1

Leader: *Give thanks to the Lord with your whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.*

People: Not to us, O Lord, not to us, but to Your name give glory, for the sake of Your steadfast love and your faithfulness!

Hymn of Praise*

To God Be the Glory
Trinity Hymnal #55

Prayer of Praise and Invocation*

Reading of the Law

Deuteronomy 5:6-21

Prayer of Confession

All: Almighty and most merciful God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, that we have not loved You with all our heart and soul, with all our mind and strength, and that we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. We beg You, O God, to forgive what we have been, to help us to amend what we are, and by Your mercy to direct what we shall be, so that we may henceforth walk in the way of Your commandments and do those things which are pleasing in Your sight, through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Hebrews 9:11-12

Leader: *"But when Christ appeared as a high priest of the good things that have come, then through the greater and more perfect tent (not made with hands, that is, not of this creation) he entered once for all into the holy places, not by means of the blood of goats and calves but by means of his own blood, thus securing an eternal redemption."*

Hymn of Faith*

His Mercy Is More
The Sing! Hymnal #123

Prayer of Thanks and Receiving of the Tithes and Offerings

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

Hymn of Preparation

All to Jesus I Surrender
Trinity Hymnal #562

Congregational Prayer

Sermon

Pastor Mike Bowen

Romans 13:8-14

"Renewed Thinking About the Law of God"

Hymn of Response*

I Set My Hope on Jesus
The Sing! Hymnal #616

Invitation to the Table

Lord's Supper

We offer red wine or white grape juice. A gluten free option is in the center cup of the bread tray.

Hymn of Testimony*

It Was Finished upon That Cross
The Sing! Hymnal #248

Benediction*

2 Peter 1:2

Leader: *"May grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord."*

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. For those who need to step out of the sanctuary, the worship service is livestreamed in the Fellowship Hall downstairs.

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

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

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sun July 19	
Mon July 20	
Tues July 21	
Wed July 22	10:00 a.m.: Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.: Youth Group
Thurs July 23	
Fri July 24	
Sat July 25	9:00 a.m.: Hosting Presbytery
Sun July 26	9:30 a.m.: Sunday School 10:30 a.m.: Worship Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WPCA CHURCH CAMPOUT

A few of our families are participating the in the Church Campout this weekend at Pymatuning State Park. Pastor Phil will be leading a special worship service at the campground this morning.

WPCA HOSTS PRESBYTERY

We will be hosting the quarterly meeting of the Pittsburgh Presbytery on Saturday, July 25. Help is needed to prepare and serve lunch here at the church. If you can assist, please sign up at the Information Table. If you have any questions, talk with Chris Ferguson.

FOURTH SUNDAY GATHERING

This month's 4SG will be a discussion on Faith and Mental Health. Come out and think through how the Gospel impacts our mental health and well-being.

UPDATED SERMON SCHEDULE

An updated sermon schedule that runs through the summer and covers the rest of the Romans series is on the Information Table. Pick one up so you can read ahead and prepare for each week.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

July 17 – 19
Sun., July 26
Wed., Aug. 5

Church Campout at Pymatuning State Park
4SG: Faith & Mental Health Night
Church Picnic at Driscoll Park

