Welcome to

Westminster Presbyterian Church

Sunday, July 20, 2025 † 10:55 AM



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Pastor Nathaniel Stamper

Bold indicates the congregation reads aloud

*Indicates those able may stand

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 95:1-3

Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

For the Lord is a great God,

and a great King above all gods.

*INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN OF PRAISE

"By Faith"

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READING OF THE LAW

Micah 6:8

He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN

(TAKE A MOMENT TO CONFESS YOUR SINS TO GOD PRIVATELY)

CONFESSION OF SIN

Ambrose

O Lord, you have mercy upon all - take away from us our sins, and mercifully kindle in us the fire of your Holy Spirit. Take away from us the heart of stone, and give us a heart of flesh, a heart to love and adore you, a heart to delight in you, to follow and to enjoy you, for Christ's sake. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Ephesians 1:7-10

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

"Doxology"

#731

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS & MEMBERSHIP VOWS

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN OF PREPARATION

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

#457

SCRIPTURE READING

John 6:41-47

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"Jesus Says Difficult Things"

*HYMN OF THANKSGIVING

"In Christ Alone"

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*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Westminster Sermon Notes

John 6:41-47 - "Jesus Says Difficult Things"

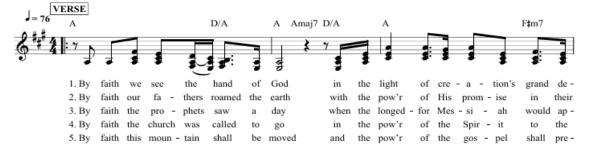
Themes: Predestination, Effectual Calling

Summary: As the crowd begins to grumble, Jesus responds with a difficult yet comforting truth about God and his people.

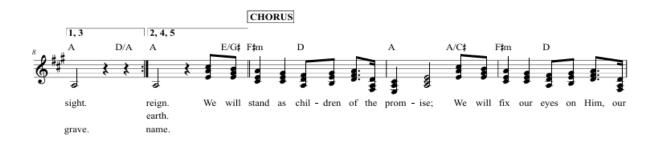
1. What is Jesus Teaching?

2. What Does Jesus' Teaching Lead To?

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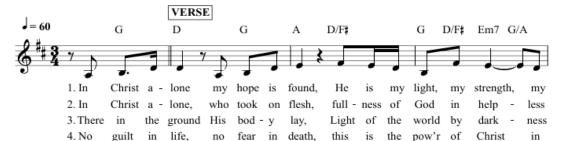
soul's re-ward. Till the race is fin-ished and the work is done, w

we'll walk by faith and not by sight.

In Christ Alone

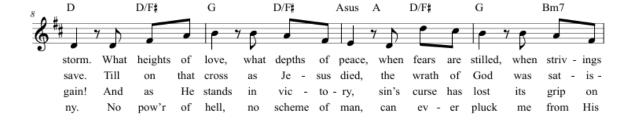
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This this id Ground, firm through the fierc - est drought Cor - stone, sol song; ner and This scorned by the babe! gift of love and right - eous - ness, ones He came to Then. burst - ing forth glo - rious from the He rose slain: in Day, up grave a me; From life's first cry nal breath, Je sus com - mands my des ti -





fied. For ev -'ry sin on Him was laid; Here in the death of Christ live. me; His He is mine, bought with the pre - cious blood Christ. hand; Till the pow'r of He or calls me home, here in Christ I'll stand! re - turns

Evening Service

Sunday, July 20, 2025 † 6:00 PM

Pre	lude		
*Ca	all to Worship		
*In	vocation		
*H;	ymn	"For the Beauty of the Earth"	#116
Eve	ening Prayer		
*H;	ymn	"Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!"	#701
Scr	ipture Reading		
Exl	nortation		
Ber	nediction		

Westminster Evening Sermon Notes

Announcements

Welcome to Westminster – The Westminster family extends a warm welcome to all who worship with us this morning and this evening. We pray that God's rich blessings in Christ may be yours. Visitors, please complete the Guest Card which is found at the end of each pew. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day.

Our flowers are given to the glory of God by Gordon and Jennifer Sluis in thankfulness for all our VBS children and helpers!

Please join us for an Ice Cream Social tonight following Evening Worship!

Officer Nominations are open. Officer Qualification Lists and Nomination forms are available at both doors to the Sanctuary. Nominations may be submitted to the church through an elder or the main office.

Join us for coffee and pastries at 10:15 AM every Sunday for the summer!

On-line giving is available at www.wpcvicksburg.com by clicking on the On-Line Giving link.

Today	y and t	his week	Upcoming Events
Sun	10:15	Coffee/Pastries Fellowship	Soups, Salads, Sandwiches, and Sweets,
	10:55	Morning Worship	Sunday, August 10
	6:00	Evening Worship	
	6:45	Ice Cream Social	
Mon	6:30	Ping Pong	

Pray for those with birthdays: Gwen Reiber, 22; Melissa Walker, 23

Nursery Workers: Today – Sam and Sam Kirk

Next Week – Laura Wells and Mary Mac Whitney