Welcome to

Westminster Presbyterian Church

Sunday, November 22, 2026 † 10:55 AM



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PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

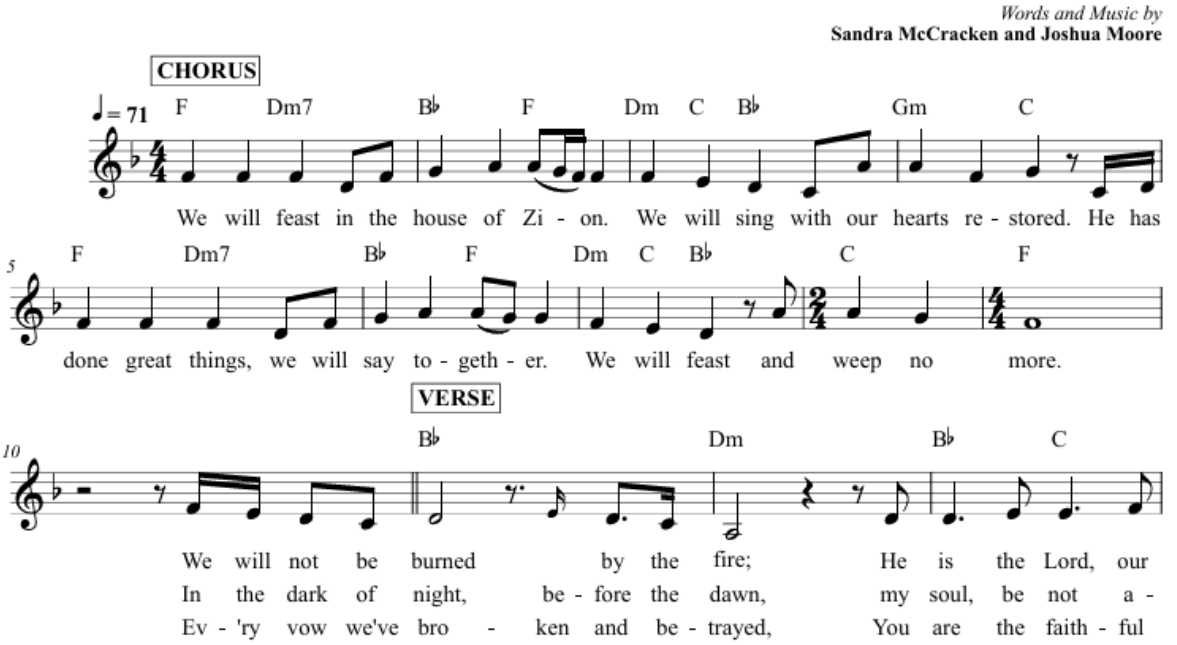
The Lord Calls Us

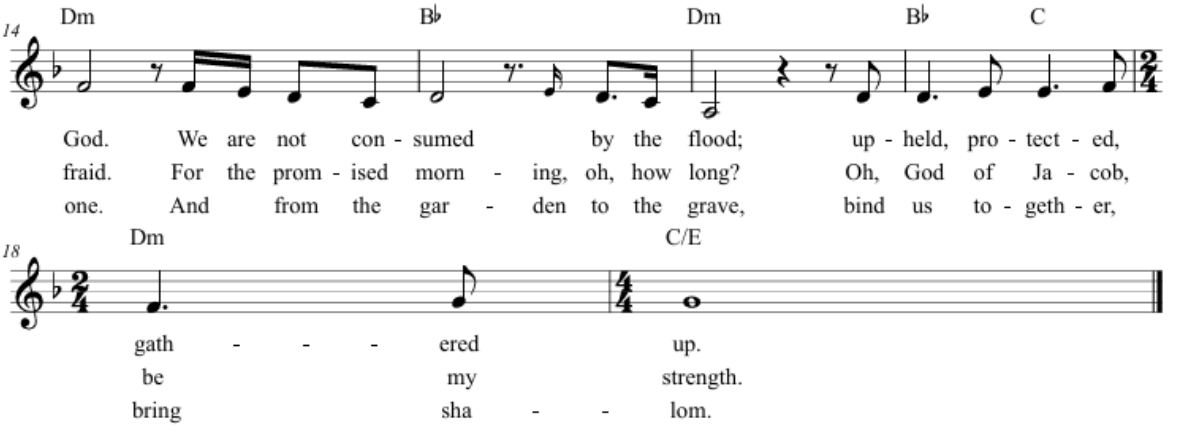
*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 8:1-2

O Lord our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens.

Out of the mouth of babies and infants, you have established strength because of your foes, to still the enemy and the avenger.

*HYMN OF PRAISE "We Will Feast in the House of Zion"





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*INVOCATION & THE LORD'S PRAYER — Elder Terry Warren

…Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors,
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power,
and the glory, forever.
Amen.

READING OF THE LAW Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord, is one. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

The Lord Cleanses Us

CONFESSION OF SIN By Samuel Johnson

Almighty and most merciful Father, look down with mercy upon me, and grant that I may turn from my wickedness and live. Forgive the days and years which I have passed in folly, idleness, and sin. Fill me with such sorrow for the time misspent, that I may amend my life according to your holy Word; strengthen me against habitual idleness, and enable me to direct my thoughts to the performance of every duty; that while I live I may serve you in the state to which you shall call me, and at last by a holy and happy death be delivered from the struggles and sorrows of this life, and obtain eternal happiness by your mercy, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON 1 John 2:1-2

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

*RESPONSE OF PRAISE "The Gloria Patri" #735

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.

CONFESSION OF FAITH Heidelberg Catechism Q&A #1

What is thy only comfort in life and death?

That I with body and soul, both in life and death, am not my own, but belong unto my faithful Savior Jesus Christ; who, with His precious blood, hath fully satisfied for all my sins, and delivered me from all the power of the devil; and so preserves me that without the will of my heavenly Father, not a hair can fall from my head; yea, that all things must be subservient to my salvation, and therefore, by His Holy Spirit, He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me sincerely willing and ready, henceforth, to live unto Him.

The Lord Feeds Us

OFFERTORY PRAYER

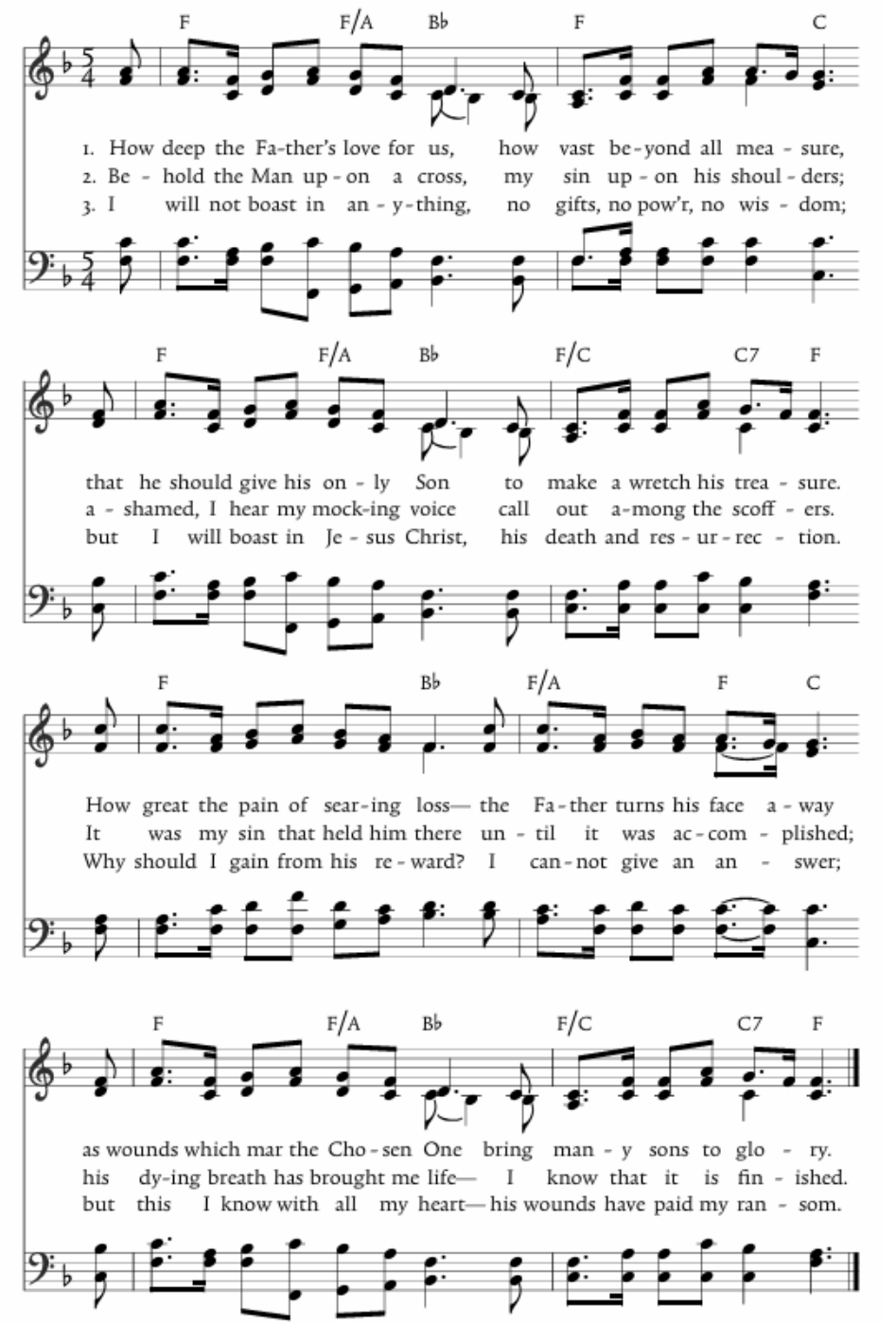
OFFERTORY

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE "Doxology" #731

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.

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN OF PREPARATION “How Deep the Father's Love for Us”



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SCRIPTURE READING Hebrews 12:1-2

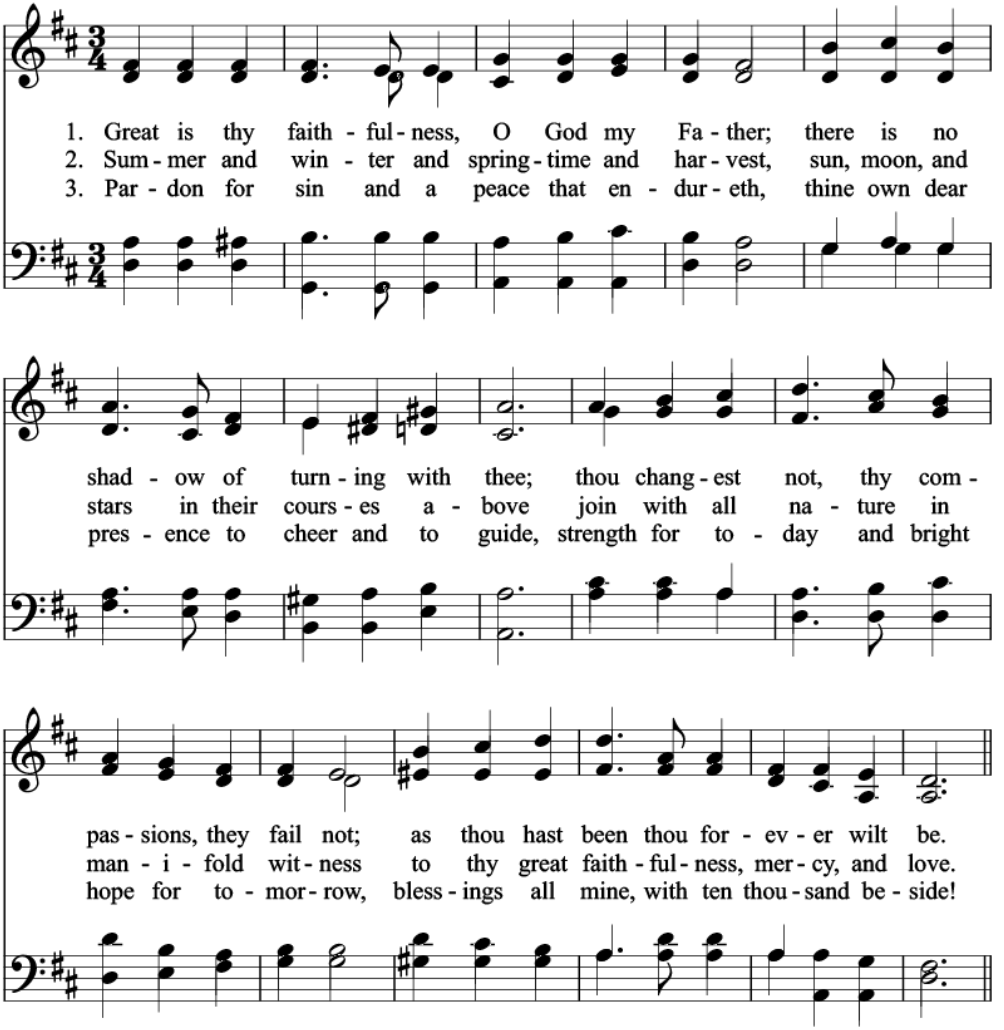
Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, [2] looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

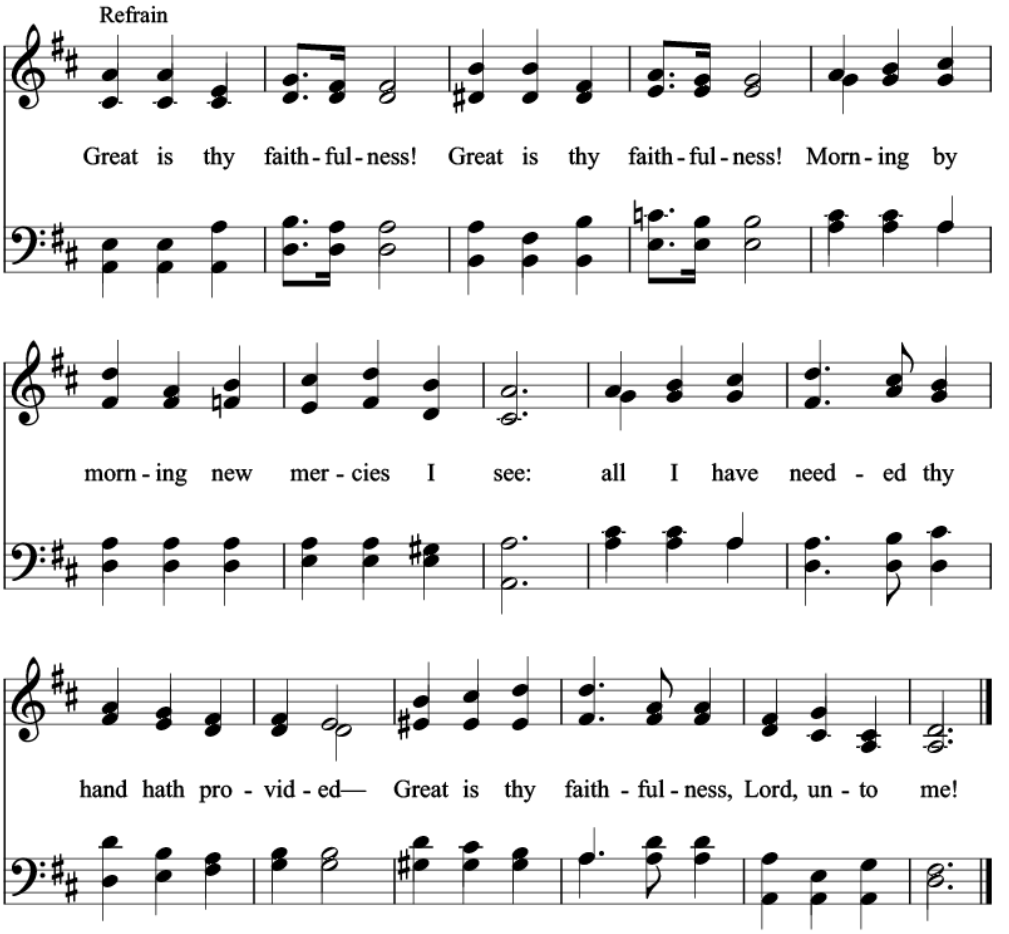
SERMON "Look to Jesus"

SERMON NOTES

The Lord Sends Us

*HYMN OF THANKSGIVING "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"





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*BENEDICTION Philippians 4:7

The peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

POSTLUDE

Announcements

Welcome to Westminster – The Westminster family extends a warm welcome to all who worship with us this morning. 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.

This morning we welcome Dr. David Irving to the Westminster Pulpit. Dr. Irving is President and Assistant Professor of Church History and Pastoral Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary in Jackson, MS. Prior to RTS, he served as the Pastor of Woodland Presbyterian Church (2019-2025) and Raymond Presbyterian Church (2015-2019). He is a graduate of the University of Mississippi (PhD, 2023), Reformed Theological Seminary (MDiv, 2015), and Dartmouth College (BA, 2011) and the author of *Devote Yourself to Prayer: A Call to Pastors* (RHB, 2023). David and his wife, Sarah Grafton, have four children.

There is no Wednesday at Westminster this week due to Thanksgiving break. It will resume next Wednesday, December 2. This will be the last Wednesday at Westminster until January.

We will decorate the Sanctuary for Christmas on Friday, December 4th at 10:00 AM. All are welcome to come help!

The Christmas Family Night Supper is Wednesday, December 9, at 6:30 PM. The children have been working hard on a program! Please join us! There is a sign-up sheet on the Women's Ministry bulletin board for food needed. In addition to the food on the sign-up sheet, we also need sides and desserts.

The Westminster Session has called a congregational meeting for December 13, immediately after the morning worship service for the purposes of receiving the report of the 2027 Westminster Budgets and for the election of Elders and Deacons from the slate of nominee candidates approved by the Session.

We have a few extra WPC shirts from this summer. They are $10 for youth sizes and $20 for adult sizes. Please contact the church office to purchase a shirt.

Online giving is available at www.wpcvicksburg.com by clicking on the Online Giving link.

Today and this week

Sun	9:45	Sunday School
	10:55	Morning Worship

Upcoming Events

Christmas Family Night Supper, Dec. 9, 6:30 PM
Congregational Meeting, Dec. 13
Lessons and Carols, Dec. 13, 6:00 PM

Pray for those with birthdays: Morgan Smith, 22; Cooper Orman, 24

Nursery Workers: Today – Valerie Gatewood, Kelly Turner, & Kendall Smith
Next Week – Laura Wells, Mary Mac Whitney, & Grace LaBarre