

## Announcements

**Welcome** – If you are visiting with us today, we welcome you and encourage you to fill out a Welcome Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering. Also, anyone can use this card to submit a prayer request to the elders.

**Delighting in the Lord's Day** – Does the Old Testament Sabbath apply to us today? Join us *Sunday mornings* at **9:30 a.m.** in the auditorium through the end of December for this adult Christian education class exploring the blessings of the Lord's Day.

**Thank Offering** – Today we will be collecting the Thank Offering immediately following our regular offering. The Thank Offering will go in its entirety to support the work of foreign missions, home missions and Christian education in the OPC. Please use the designated envelopes in the pew racks for this, and make checks payable to Westminster.

**Christian Ed Committee** – Today, immediately following the morning worship service, the Christian Ed Committee will meet in Room #8.

**Thanksgiving Prayer Service** – Please join our church family this *Wednesday, November 23rd* at **6:30p.m.** for a special Thanksgiving Prayer Service. We will share a time in Scripture, song and prayer, and in lieu of Kid's Quest, children are invited to be part of this service. Nursery will be provided for babies and toddlers. There will not be Men's Choir practice after this service.

**Advent Choir** – Adults and youth are welcome to sing with our choir this Advent season! Choir practice will be held Sunday mornings through the rest of November and December at **8:45** in Classroom #10. Please contact Dave Borst at [davborst@atlanticbb.net](mailto:davborst@atlanticbb.net) with questions.

**Bookable Christmas Orders** – The Bookable Christmas order forms are available in each foyer. Orders are due to the church office by next *Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>*. If you have questions, contact Jennifer Stombaugh at [jenstombaugh@gmail.com](mailto:jenstombaugh@gmail.com).

**Retirement** – Gary Steiner requested to retire from active service as a ruling elder, and the session granted his request at November's session meeting. We sincerely thank the Lord for Gary's 40 years of faithful service to Christ and to Christ and the church. Please take the time to express your gratitude to Gary and Cheryl at the conclusion of today's service.

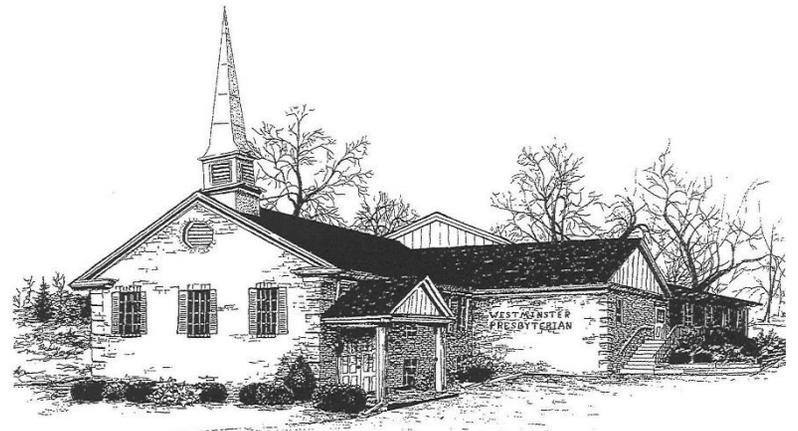
**Youth Group** – Report to headquarters on 26 November at 1500 hours for your first Super Secret Service mission. (That is *Saturday, November 26<sup>th</sup>* at **3:00 p.m.** at Adam and Jen Cruse's house.)

**Fellowship Luncheon** – Please join us next *Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup>* in the lower level, immediately following morning worship. We ask each family to bring a main course (enough to feed your family) and either a side dish or a dessert to share.

**Women of Westminster Christmas Fellowship** – On *Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup>* from **7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** Brenda Borst is opening her home for a time of fellowship, devotions and sharing holiday desserts.

# WESTMINSTER

Orthodox Presbyterian Church



# *Welcome to Westminster Presbyterian Church*

## Mission

*By the grace of God in Jesus Christ Westminster Presbyterian Church exists to bring glory to the Triune God of the Bible by worshiping Him, equipping believers and making disciples in Blair County, central Pennsylvania and throughout the world in obedience to the Holy Scriptures and informed by the Westminster Standards.*

## Leadership

### Elders

Chad Mullinix, Pastor  
Joel Bandstra  
Jesse Cowell (sabbatical)  
Drew Cruse  
Pete Hamming  
Deane Mann  
Alan Montgomery  
Gary Steiner  
Andrew Tinker

### Deacons

Jerry Cox  
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## **This Week at Westminster**

### Today's helpers and leaders:

Elder: Andrew Tinker  
Deacon: Brian Livermore Ushers: Jeff Lutton & Roy Orr  
Nursery for Worship: Patty Morris & Margaret Bandstra  
Livestream: Sam Tinker

### This week's schedule:

<i>Lord's Day</i>	9:30 a.m.	Christian Education Classes
	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Coffee Fellowship
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
<i>Wednesday</i>	6:30 p.m.	Thanksgiving Prayer Service

## **Opportunities at Westminster**

Westminster Book Table – In both lobbies you will find a variety of Christian, reformed books at significantly discounted prices that you can pick up for gifts or for personal edification.

Youth Group – There are monthly opportunities for the junior and senior high students for devotions, fun and fellowship. Contact Adam Cruse for details at (814) 935-8520.

Library – In the Christian education wing we have a robust library stocked with many excellent, Christian resources. Stop by to see our new titles shelf.

Nursery – Whether you need childcare for your infant during morning worship or would like to serve others by watching their children, please contact Coreena Detrich for more details (814) 505-4357.

Women of Westminster – This group is an opportunity for the women of the church to grow together, encourage each other and learn about God and His Word. Please contact Lois Scarangella at (814) 931-5507 with questions.

Knit Together – This is a time of fellowship and service on the first Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Join us and share your handiwork skills or learn new ones to help make items for those in need. Please contact Wayne Cooke at (814)309-9497 with questions.

Kitchen Committee –For more information on how you can get involved in helping with fellowship meals, please contact either Sunshine Sassano at (814) 932-3842 or Sanne Guyer at (641) 275-155.

Christian Education Committee – This group assists the elders by planning and teaching the covenant youth in a variety of contexts. If you have interest in serving in this way, please contact Pete Hamming at (814) 932-2858.

Assistive Listening Available – Devices are available to aid in hearing the church service. Please see one of our ushers for assistance.

Hymn of Praise      *"I Sing the Almighty Power of God"*      #250

Reading of God's Word      Titus 3:3-8

————— *CONFESSING OUR SIN to GOD* —————

Prayer of Confession

\*Words of Comfort & Promise      Isaiah 55:1-3

\*Hymn of Assurance      *"How Sweet and Awesome"*      #425

————— *RENEWING OUR FAITH in GOD* —————

Reading of God's Word      Psalm 34

Prayer of Illumination

Preaching of God's Word      *"Oh, Taste and See"*  
Pastor Chad Mullinix

————— *RESPONDING in SERVICE to GOD* —————

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

Collection of Offerings      (2<sup>nd</sup> Offering: Thank Offering)

\*Hymn of Response      *"Taste and See"*      \*Words below

Bless the Lord! I'll praise my God forever.  
Magnify His holy name with me.  
Prove with me His love which falters never,  
Free for all who come and taste and see.

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\*Please stand if you are able.

**Refrain**

*Taste and see the goodness of the Savior  
He has been a safe retreat for me.  
Come by faith and know His gracious favor.  
Satisfy your soul—O taste and see!*

Seek the Lord, His ear will be inclining  
To the poor and humble in their need.  
Look to Him and feel your faces shining—  
Radiant are the ones who taste and see.

**Refrain**

*Taste and see the goodness of the Savior  
He has been a safe retreat for me.  
Come by faith and know His gracious favor.  
Satisfy your soul—O taste and see!*

Fear the Lord, your trust in Him bestowing.  
Make His name your boast and only plea.  
He will fill your cup to overflowing,  
You must only come and taste and see.

**Refrain**

*Taste and see the goodness of the Savior  
He has been a safe retreat for me.  
Come by faith and know His gracious favor.  
Satisfy your soul—O taste and see!*

**\*Benediction and Threefold Amen**

Please stand if you are able.

## Sermon Notes

# ~ Lord's Day Morning Worship ~

Sunday, November 20, 2022

10:30 a.m.

## Welcome & Announcements

Elder Andrew Tinker

## Silent Prayer and Reflection

1 Peter 2:2-5

“Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation – if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. As you come to Him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.”

## ———— *ENTERING the PRESENCE of GOD* ————

## Words of Salutation

### \*Call to Worship

Psalm 100

### \*Psalm of Praise

“*Shout to the LORD*”

**Psalm 100A**

### \*Confession of Faith

*Westminster Larger Catechism 7*

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Leader: What is God?

**People: God is a Spirit, in and of Himself infinite in being, glory, blessedness, and perfection; all-sufficient, eternal, unchangeable, incomprehensible, everywhere present, almighty, knowing all things, most wise, most holy, most just, most merciful and gracious, long-suffering, and abundant in goodness and truth.**

\*Please stand if you are able.