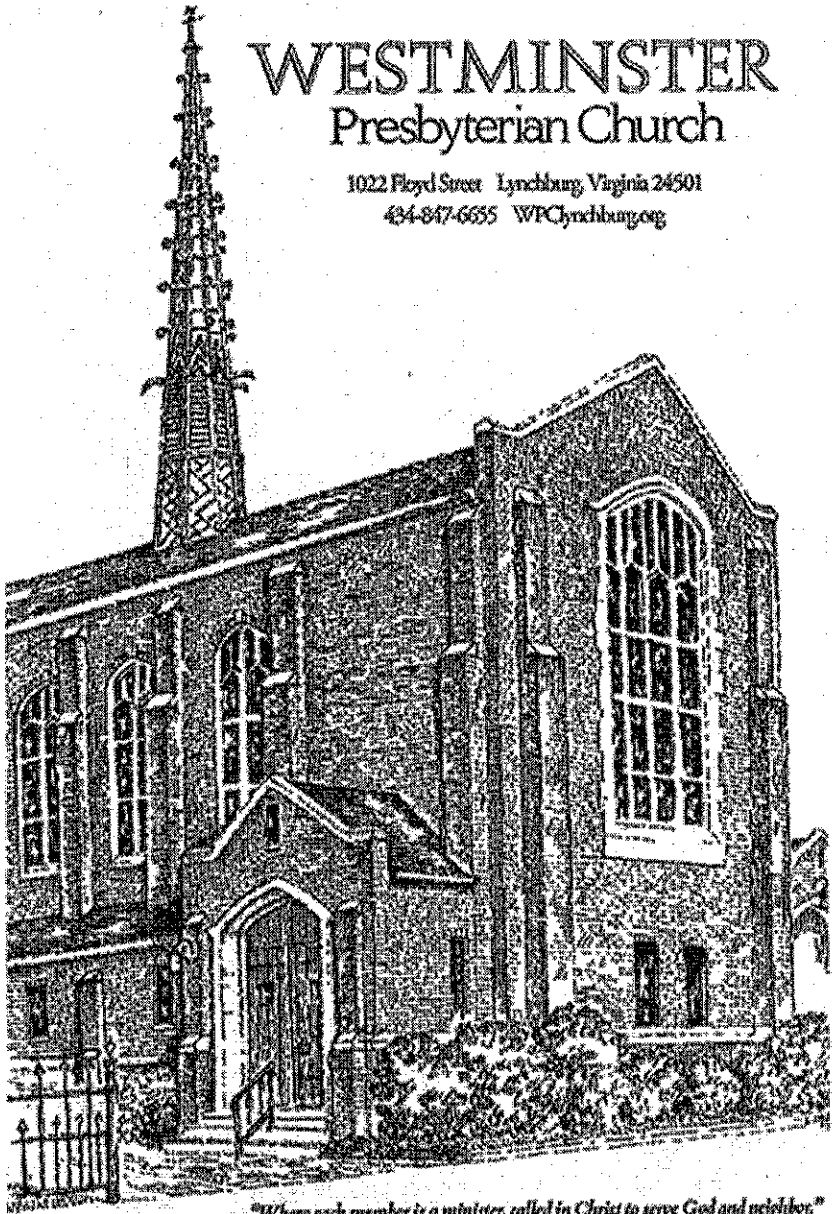


# WESTMINSTER Presbyterian Church

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*"Where each member is a minister, called in Christ to serve God and neighbor."*

*Sunday, June 24, 2018*

***Westminster Presbyterian Church***  
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***12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time***

**June 24, 2018**

**11:00 a.m.**

***WE GATHER INTO GOD'S PRESENCE***

PRELUDE: *Chorale prelude on Rhosymedre* (Hymn No. 534)

Vaughan Williams

WESTMINSTER CHIMES - Striking the Hour

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pix Mahler, Clerk of Session

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Shirley Caskie, Liturgist

Leader: Let us be still before the mystery of Life, and be still before the Creator who made it. Let us be still before Jesus who said that he was Life, and be still before the Spirit who breathes life into us all.

People: **We gather in reverence of the wonder and might of the God who holds all things in his sovereign hands. We gather with grateful and humble quiet because this same God holds our lives in his hands as well.**

Leader: With praise and thanksgiving,

People: **We open our lives to the Maker of heaven and earth.**

\*HYMN NO. 276 *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

FAITHFULNESS

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Ashley Thulin

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

UNISON

**O God, your constant love reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness extends to the skies. Your righteousness towers like the mountains, your justice is deeper than the sea. All find protections under the shadow of your wings. We rely upon the abundance that you provide. You are the source of all life, and in your light, we see light. Amen.**

CALL TO CONFESSION

Liturgist

COMMON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

UNISON

**Gracious God, we who own more than we use, proclaim more than we experience, and request more than we need, humbly seek your forgiveness. We see your salvation, then act like we save ourselves. We beg your forgiveness, then repeat our errors. We experience your grace, then act defeated. Have mercy, O God. Let your Spirit point us and guide us in your life-giving paths. Restore us and renew us so that we may continue in the way of faith.**

(Here each worshipper offers silent, personal confession.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Liturgist

**Leader:** The God who challenges us is also the God who comforts us. The God who confronts us is also the God who has accepted us in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Be assured that God is with you even now, accepting, guiding, and forgiving.

**People:** Amen.

\*THE GLORIA PATRI

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WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Liturgist

FIRST READING: Psalm 9:9-20

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**Leader:** This is the word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM:

*Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation*

Dale Wood

*Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the Head and Cornerstone;  
Chosen of the Lord, and precious, binding all the Church in one;  
Holy Zion's help forever, and her confidence alone.*

*To this temple where we call thee, Come, O Lord of hosts, today;  
With thy wonted loving-kindness hear thy servants as they pray,  
And the fullest benediction shed within its walls away.*

*Laud and honor to the Father, Laud and honor to the Son,  
Laud and honor to the Spirit, ever Three and ever One,  
One in might, and One in glory, while unending ages run.*

SECOND READING: Mark 4:35-41  
Leader: The Gospel of the Lord.  
People: Praise to you, O Christ.

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SERMON: "In Times of Trouble . . . Know The Name to Trust" Rev. George Goodman

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *The Apostles' Creed* (Traditional, page 14)

\*HYMN NO. 428 *We Give Thee but Thine Own* SCHUMANN

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

(Please take a moment to share Christ's peace with those near you.)

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory: *Improvisation on "Precious Lord Take My Hand"* G. Clarke

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

**WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD TO SERVE**

\*HYMN NO. 438 *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* DENNIS

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL RESPONSE

\*POSTLUDE: *Carillon* Vierne

(\*Standing for those who are able.)

# THIS WEEK AT WESTMINSTER

June 24 – July 1, 2018

*Bless us, O God, with a reverent sense of your presence, that we may be at peace and may worship you with all our mind and spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

*We welcome all who worship with us today at Westminster Presbyterian Church, and we invite you to join us as we celebrate the difference God's grace is making in our lives.*

Sunday, June 24	9:30 a.m.	Summer Discussion Part 4
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
Monday, June 25	12:00 p.m.	Lunch Bunch at Charley's
Friday, June 29		Church Office Closed
Sunday, July 1		<u>NO Summer Discussion</u>
	10:15 a.m.	Fellowship
	11:00 a.m.	Worship – Duncan 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Sunday
		Dinner immediately following worship.

## This Week: June 24, 2018

Summer Discussion Part 4

Fellowship: Doris Hailey

Acolyte: Chris Harris

Liturgist: Shirley Caskie

Ushers: Richard Mahler & Robert Roberts

Nursery: Marisa McHone & Nicole Reed

## Next Week: July 1, 2018

NO Summer Discussion

Fellowship: Duncan-Reed

Acolyte: Jerry Ferguson

Liturgist: Richard Mahler

Ushers: Jane & Jimmy Reed

Nursery: Marisa McHone & Valerie Harris

## Meetings & Events this week:

- Mon., June 25- Lunch Bunch at Charley's at 12:00 noon
- Sun., July 1- Worship & Sunday Dinner - 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary-Nancy & Wilbur Duncan-11a.m. everyone invited.
- Sun., July 8- Communion

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR COMING EVENTS:

Mon., July 9- BOOK CLUB at the home of Mary Ellen Sydnor at 7:00 p.m.

Sun., July 22- Ice Cream Social & Gift Exchange at 3:00 p.m.

Sun., Aug. 5- Chamber Music Concert in memory of Carita Sydnor at 4:00 p.m.

Sun., Sept. 9- Rally Day

LUNCH BUNCH – will meet tomorrow at 12:00 noon at Charley's.

## Remember These and Others in Prayer

\*Becky Maxey

\*Louise Motley

\*Linda Harris

\*Helen Ross

\*Betsy Jamerson

\*Marian Viar & family

\*Hugh & Maymie Keys

\*Helen Hester

\*Sarah Goldenberg Fraher

\*Sharee Evans

\*Westminster's Homebound

\*Hugh Keys is in Lynchburg Health & Rehab, 5615 Seminole Ave., Lynchburg.

\*Stuart Harris, brother of Mike Harris, had surgery and is now recovering.

\*Valerie Harris' cousin's little boy, Nolan, three years old, and very ill

\*Jonathan Campbell, Julia Crim's grandson, and her son, Tom

\*Men and women serving in the military & their families

\*All those struck by disaster and devastation

Communion will not be held next Sunday, July 1st, it will be held during worship on July 8th.

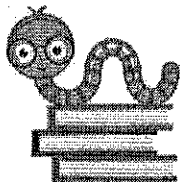
## Guest Organist – George B. Clark, AAGO

It is a privilege to welcome this morning George B. Clark, AAGO to the organ console. George's reputation as the spiritual dean of Lynchburg's community of organists need hardly be stated. If he is not otherwise known to this congregation, we know him as the composer of the choral anthem *Draw Nigh to Thy Jerusalem*, a favorite of our choir's for Palm Sunday. He was, of course, for more than 40 years the music director / organist at Court Street United Methodist Church until retirement from that position. Now he spends much of his free time traveling.

**TRAVEL THE HOLY LAND** - On six Sunday mornings in June and July join the 9:30 a.m. discussion class for armchair travel (via video recordings) to the Holy Land with Adam Hamilton as our guide. As he visits the Jordan River, Capernaum and other sites where Jesus lived and taught, he invites us to revisit familiar accounts of Jesus' work and teaching. Put it on your calendar now! Each session stands alone, so come when you can.

June 24 - The Sea of Galilee: Calming the Storm    July 1 - NO Summer Discussion  
July 8 - Samaria: Sinners, Outcasts, and the Poor    July 15 - Jerusalem: The Final Week

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### **BOOK CLUB**

will meet at Mary Ellen Sydnor's  
Monday, July 9 at 7:00 pm

*The Songcatcher* by Sharyn McCrumb

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**HERE'S  
THE  
SCOOP!**



### **Ice Cream Social and White Elephant Gift Exchange**

Sunday, July 22, 2018 at 3:00 pm

The Fellowship Committee would like to invite everyone to this fun and delicious annual event! Sign up on the bulletin board by the Fellowship Hall if you can bring ice cream (homemade or purchased) or your desired topping.

**Remember, everyone needs to bring a white elephant gift (one per person) in a brown paper bag!**

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**CONCERT**

*In Memory of Carita King Sydnor*

**Sunday, August 5, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.**

On Sunday afternoon, August 5th at 4 p.m., Westminster Presbyterian Church will host a concert of chamber music in memory of Carita King Sydnor, who was for more than 35 years the music director at Westminster. A quintet of students from The Manhattan School of Music, including Dudley Raine, IV, violist, will present works by Haydn and Faure, as well as a newly-composed piano quintet by Carita Sydnor's son, Charles Sydnor. A reception will follow the concert.