



8:15 a.m and 10:00 a.m.  
**Worship Services**

**June 6, 2010**  
**10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Westminster Presbyterian Church extends an enthusiastic welcome**, in Christ's name, to all who would worship here or join us in fellowship. We affirm that there can be no exclusion within the body of Christ. We invite all children of God to join us as disciples of Christ and participate fully in the life of our congregation.

**Worship Resources** – Large print hymnals and hearing devices may be obtained from any usher. Children's Bulletins for ages 7-12 will be provided during the summer. *Kids' Notes* will resume in the fall. Worship bags for children ages 3-6 are available from the ushers.

PASTORAL STAFF: Gregory K. Jones, Head of Staff  
Anne R. Ledbetter, Associate Pastor

CHURCH EDUCATOR: Susan Moseley

MUSIC STAFF: Paul Fleckenstein, Organist/Director of Music  
Mary Beth Davis, Director of Music for Children, Youth and Handbells  
Section Leaders/Soloists: Diana Milburn, Ruth Bailis, Justin Gonzalez, Brian Carter

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## **This Morning at Westminster**

- 8:15 a.m.                      Worship with Communion in Rodney Chapel
- 9:00 a.m.                      Small Group – Writing Your Spiritual Memoirs – Rowell Conference Room
- 9:45 – 11:15 a.m.            Child Care for Cribbery (birth – toddler)
- 10:00 a.m.                    Worship with Communion in the Sanctuary  
Sunday School for Under Six in the Under Six Classrooms
- 11:00 a.m.                    Summer Potluck Brunch – Community Hall

**Deacon Team of the Month:** Cora Sparling, Carol Harris, Craig Checkel and Julia Stone

## **Later Today**

- 3:30 p.m.                      Baptism Workshop – Meeting Room
- 3:30 – 7:30 p.m.              180° Pool Party hosted by the Hickey Family

## **Community Meetings**

- |           |                             |           |
|-----------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| 6:00 p.m. | Clean But Not Straight – NA | Club Room |
| 8:00 p.m. | AA                          | Club Room |



***Congratulations to the Class of 2010.  
See page 9 for a complete list of graduates.***

## **ORDER OF WORSHIP AT 8:15 A.M.**

### PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

*Grant unto us, O God, the fullness of your promises. Where we have been weak, grant us your strength; where we have been confused, grant us your guidance; where we have been distraught, grant us your comfort; where we have been dead, grant us your life. Apart from you, O Lord, we are lacking, with you we can do all things. Amen.*

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Faith is fragile in a world plagued by suffering and evil.

**Hope is cautious in a world crucified by injustice  
and torn apart by violence.**

Our world is but a shadow of the greatness for which God created it.

**Yet we cling to the vision we discover in the Scriptures  
that God intends for the world to become a realm of justice and peace.**

### \*HYMN NO. 482

“Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty”

*LOBE DEN HERREN*

### CALL TO CONFESSION

If we place our trust in human strength alone,  
we find ourselves in a position of weakness.

**Let us confess our failure to affirm God’s strength in our lives.**

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Forgive us, O God, for the narrowness with which we approach our faith.**

**Through Christ, joy burst into our world,  
yet we do not know how to be joyful.**

**Christ initiated your kingdom of peace,  
yet we continue to foster conflict.**

**Hope was born in Christ,  
yet we allow cynicism and despair to consume us.**

**We yearn for the rich and abundant life you offer us.**

**Inspire us to become passionate disciples  
eager to spread your love throughout the world.**

### SILENT PRAYER

### ASSURANCE OF GOD’S FORGIVENESS

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and alive to God in Jesus Christ.

**In Christ, we are forgiven.**

*At the asterisk (\*), please stand as you are able.*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Fred Carspecken, Lay Liturgist

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 7:11-17

SERMON

“The Transition is Underway”

Greg Jones

OFFERING

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

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Eternal God...

LORD’S PRAYER (page 16 in *The Presbyterian Hymnal*, using “debts” and “debtors”)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER FOLLOWING COMMUNION

**Gracious God, you have made us one  
with all your people in heaven and on earth.  
You have fed us with the bread of life,  
and renewed us for service to your world.  
Help us who have shared this holy meal  
to become Christ’s faithful disciples.  
May our daily living be part of your divine realm,  
loving others, seeking justice and spreading peace. Amen.**

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TRURO

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### ORGAN PRELUDE

Air

Giuseppe Tartini

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TIME WITH OUR CHILDREN Greg Jones  
PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Dick Jolly, Lay Liturgist  
SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 7:11-17 New Testament, page 57  
SERMON “The Transition is Underway” Greg Jones

OFFERING

*During the offering, please sign your name and pass the red folders down each row.  
As folders are returned to the center aisle, note the names of fellow worshippers on your pew.*

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “Alleluia” Randall Thompson  
*Westminster Solo Quartet*

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

\*HYMN NO. 521 “You Satisfy the Hungry Heart” *FINEST WHEAT*  
*Refrain: All*  
*Verses: Quartet members*

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ORGAN POSTLUDE

Allegro con Spirito in B-flat

Frank Bridge

GOING FORTH

*If you are visiting with us for the first time, we invite you to meet today's ambassador, Marlys Kerr, at the back of the sanctuary. She will have a gift for you, and can share information regarding our many ministries for children, youth and adults.*

*Please join us for brunch in Community Hall  
following the service.*

## WORSHIP NOTES

**The flowers in the sanctuary today** are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Barbara Wheatley by her family.

**The rosebud at the side of the pulpit** this morning is in celebration of the birth of Grace Songer Wermus, born May 24, daughter of Sandra and Steve Wermus. We welcome this child into the Westminster family.

**Sanctuary Flowers** - Consider giving the flowers for Sunday worship to remember or honor loved ones, or to celebrate an event, while expressing praise and thanksgiving to God. Please contact Linda Watson during business hours at 302-571-6719 or lwatson@ycst.com. Available dates for flowers are July 11, 18, 25.

**During the summer, The Lord's Supper is celebrated** weekly at the 8:15 a.m. service and on the first Sunday of the month at the 10:00 a.m. service. Everyone is welcome at Christ's table.

**Are you wearing a nametag?** Whether you are a longtime member or new to the church, wearing a nametag provides others the opportunity to meet you, greet you by name, and for you to become more familiar with others at church. Nametags and markers are in baskets at all major entrances.

**"Westminster to Go"** Audio tapes and DVD's of recent Westminster worship services are available at the front desk. Printed sermons are on the literature tables and at [www.wpc.org](http://www.wpc.org).

## CONGREGATIONAL CARE AND PRAYER

**Please remember in your prayers:**

- ❖ **Those recently hospitalized:** Robert Frelick, Shyla Shah.
- ❖ **Westminster's homebound family** who can no longer attend worship with us. Send a card, say a prayer, visit! This week we ask you to remember Edie Lennox, Wesley Wing 3969 and Grace Austin, Apt. 3613, both of Methodist Country House, 4830 Kennett Pike, Wilmington, DE 19807.
- ❖ **Our brothers and sisters** in worldwide ministry.

**Westminster's Covenant Prayer Group** prays weekly for specific needs of the faith community. **Anyone may submit a prayer requests** by leaving a confidential message on 302-654-5848, ext. 335, or filling out a prayer request card (in the pew pocket) and placing it in the offering plate.

**The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan often seem far away**, and we may neglect to realize that Americans, as well as Iraqis, Afghans and members of coalition forces, continue to die each day. As Christians, we are called to pray for the spreading of peace and justice and an end to violence. If someone in your family is serving in these wars, please let us know, so that we may include that person on our prayer list. Contact Colleen Falasco: 302-654-5214 ext. 131, or [cfalasco@wpc.org](mailto:cfalasco@wpc.org).

### **This week we pray for**

- Those known to the WPC Community presently serving in the Middle East:
  - Afghanistan: Daniel Reinsenberger
  - Iraq: Brian Crawford
- The families of those from the U.S. who have died most recently:
  - Lance Corporal Philip Clark, age 19, Lance Corporal Patrick Xavier, Jr. age 24
  - Specialist Joshua Tomlinson, age 24, Staff Sergeant Richard Tieman, age 28
  - Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Belkofer, age 44, Lieutenant Colonel Paul Bartz, age 43
  - Colonel John McHugh, age 46, Staff Sergeant Shane Barnard, age 38
  - Specialist Stanley Sokolowski, III, age 26, Staff Sergeant Amilcar Gonzalez, age 26
  - Private 1st Class Jason Fingar, age 24
- Those who have returned from service, possibly suffering from wounds or Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, whose scars may be deep and long-lasting.

## CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO THE CLASS OF 2010!

### High School Graduates:

**Patrick Barlow Ashley “Trip”** (son of Patrick and Ann Ashley, grandson of Bill and Nancy Barlow)  
Tower Hill School, Wilmington, DE

**Adam Gregg Brown** (son of Chuck and Debbie Brown)  
Cab Calloway School of the Arts, Wilmington, DE

**Christine Carter “Christi”** (daughter of Jim and Polly Carter)  
Brandywine High School, Wilmington, DE

**Brandon R. Hickey** (son of Jon and Jamie Hickey)  
Garnet Valley High School, Glen Mills, PA

**Kimberly D. Nance** (daughter of Denise Nance)  
The Walker School, Marietta, GA

### College Graduates:

**Christopher Thomas Carper** (son of Tom and Martha Carper)  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

**Sophie Elizabeth Marie DeMesse** (daughter of Kristine DeMesse)  
University of Delaware, Newark, DE, Bachelor of Science in Human Services

**Grant G. Firestone** (son of Jeanie Firestone)  
Haverford College, Haverford, PA, Bachelor of Arts in French

**Kathryn Julia Holmes-Bispham** (granddaughter of Edward and Charlotte Bispham)  
Endicott College, Beverly, MA, Bachelor of Arts in International Studies

**Kaitlyn Elizabeth Hopkins** (granddaughter of Carol and Gene Hopkins, niece of Taryn Albert)  
University of Maryland, College Park, MD, Bachelor of Science in Animal Science

**Andrew H. McPheeters “Drew”** (son of Jon and Susan McPheeters)  
Virginia Tech College of Architecture/Urban Studies, Blacksburg, VA  
Bachelor of Science in Building Construction Management

**Christopher Pamm** (son of Roland and Mary Lu Pamm)  
University of Georgia, Athens, GA, Bachelor of Arts in Journalism/Telecommunications

**Meredith Watson Pickering** (granddaughter of Frank Pickering)  
Radford College, Radford, VA, Bachelor of Arts in Design

**Aaron D. Reinicker** (son of Roger and Sandie Reinicker)  
University of Delaware, Newark, DE, Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering

**Sarah Bennett Richmond** (daughter of John and Teri Richmond)  
Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, NC, Bachelor of Arts in Political Science with a minor in Economics

**Andrew Van Horn Ruoss** (son of Linda Beth and Eric Ruoss)  
Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT, Bachelor of Arts in History

### Post Degree Graduates:

**Erick Katzenstein**  
University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, Masters Degree in Architecture

**Jeffrey P. Kline, Jr.** (son of Jeff Kline and Janet Kline)  
Widener University School of Law, Wilmington, DE, Juris Doctorate Degree

# Saturday, June 12

Please see the May/June *Chimes* for more details!



## Bike to ***Build!*** Habitat Ride *Honoring Chad Miller*



**Habitat for Humanity**<sup>®</sup>  
of New Castle County