



Celebration of Worship
August 12, 2018



The Worship of God - 9:30 am

Prelude	<i>We Gather Together</i>	arr. J. Carter
Welcome, Call to Worship		
Hymn of Praise	<i>God Is My Great Desire</i>	No. 336
Confession		
Passing the Peace		
Gloria Patri		
Children's Message		
First Scripture	<i>Genesis 3:1-13</i>	O. T. Page 2
Anthem	<i>What a Friend We Have in Jesus</i>	
Second Scripture	<i>Matthew 6:9-13</i>	N. T. Page 6
Sermon	<i>"Defining Moments" - Character Counts</i>	
Hymn of Response	<i>May the Mind of Christ My Savior</i>	No. 560, vs. 1, 3, 5
Call for the Offering		
Offertory	<i>Just a Closer Walk With Thee</i>	
Doxology		No. 809
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer		
Hymn of Commitment	<i>The Kingdom of God Is Justice and Joy</i>	No. 712
Life Together		
Benediction		
Choral Response	<i>Threefold Amen</i>	
Postlude	<i>To God Be the Glory</i>	arr. J. Carter

Participants in today's service:

Rev. John Burnett, Parish Associate

Rev. Dave Rohde, Head of Staff

Julie Martin, Director, Children's & Family Ministries

Summer Choir; Ed Smart, Director of Music Ministries

Dee Skeels, Guest Pianist

John Bradley, Sound and Slides

*Children age 4 through 5th grade are dismissed
to Summer Celebration after the Children's Message*

The Worship of God - 11:15 am

Prelude	<i>Tremble</i>	
Welcome, Call to Worship		
Song	<i>What a Friend</i>	
Song	<i>O Come to the Altar</i>	
First Scripture	<i>Genesis 3:1-13</i>	O. T. Page 2
Song	<i>Oceans</i>	
Second Scripture	<i>Matthew 6:9-13</i>	N. T. Page 6
Conversation		
Sermon	<i>"Defining Moments" - Character Counts</i>	
Call for the Offering		
Offertory	<i>So Will I</i>	
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer		
Closing Song	<i>King of My Heart</i>	
Life Together		
Benediction		
Postlude		

Participants in today's service:

Rev. John Burnett, Parish Associate

Rev. Dave Rohde, Head of Staff

Praise Band: Ed Smart, Director; Celeste Gosnell, vocals;

Bub Burris, acoustic guitar; Jody Martin, acoustic guitar;

Dave Rohde, percussion

Sound and slides: Aubrey Grey, Jim Thibo

Pastor Dave's Installation

Next Sunday - 10am Service followed by Brunch

Next Sunday, August 19, will be a special day at WPC as Pastor Dave Rohde is officially installed as our Head of Staff pastor. Please join us for our 10 am combined service and stay for a celebratory brunch in the Fellowship Center after the service.

Welcome to WPC! If you are a first-time visitor, please come to the welcome table on the courtyard. The Deacons will be there to meet you and answer any questions you may have. And we'd love to treat you to a doughnut and a cup of coffee!

We're taking a communications survey! How do you receive WPC information? A very short (5 question) survey has gone out with the weekly warmup and is also available on our website, <https://www.wpcwestlake.org/> (click on "view our weekly newsletter" on the home page). If you would rather fill out a hard copy, you will find some at the tech tent on the courtyard this morning. Please do take a moment to respond - we need your input!

Are you getting the most from your cell phone? Join our WONDERFUL high school experts at WPC's very own "**Tech Tent**". Today between services you will find knowledgeable, smiling faces ready to answer questions about your cellphone. Bring your charged phone and questions (even if you are an expert). Join us for a fun and lively session in the courtyard after the first service!

Pick Up Materials for *The Story*

The Story is a book of selections from the Bible, arranged chronologically, that reads like a novel. During this unique multi-week experience, which will begin on September 9, every member of the family reads their own version of The Story. Come discover together how our story is found in God's story! The book (*The Story: the Bible as one continuing story of God and his people*) and an accompanying participant guide are on the Courtyard today for purchase.

Sign up for a "Story" Small Group

As our adventure through *The Story* begins this fall, we invite you to dig deeper by being part of a small group. These groups of 8 to 10 people will meet on various days and times and at various locations to discuss the book chapters. Sign-up sheets are available on the Courtyard this morning. Pick one that best works for you!

Serving WPC

The Nominating Committee is recruiting potential candidates for Elders, Deacons, at-large members of WPC's standing committees, and new members for the Nominating Committee, who will begin serving three-year terms in January 2019. Please use the 3x5 cards in the pew racks today to express your interest in serving WPC. Servant leadership provides an opportunity to share your talents and interests with other members and become more actively involved in the life of WPC. We encourage you to fill out these cards and return them to the Nominating Committee by placing them in the comment box in the Narthex.

The Spirituality of Fly Fishing

Twelve of you can experience the beauty, solitude and wonder of God's creation by learning and practicing the art of fly fishing this fall. Led by elder Jody Martin, classes will be held September 2 & 9, and a field trip to the eastern Sierras is scheduled for September 13-14. Open to everyone on a first come, first served basis. Please contact Jody for details and to sign up.

The need for food donations at Manna doesn't slow down during the summer months... it actually increases. If you are wondering what the most needed items are, here's a hint:

- 1 - Canned Pasta - all kinds - spaghetti - ravioli - noodles - etc
- 2 - Canned Soup - all kinds - tomato - chicken - beef barley - etc
- 3 - Canned Stew
- 4 - Spaghetti Sauce
- 5 - Canned Corn
- 6 - Hot Cereal
- 7 - Boxed Potatoes - Dry Pasta
- 8 - Hamburger Helper
- 9 - Peanut Butter
- 10 - Condiments - ketchup - mustard - mayo - salad dressing

There is also a need for personal care items: shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, soap, ladies' feminine hygiene items, men's shaving products. Please bring your items and put them in the brown wooden Manna bin EVERY Sunday! Thank you!



- Fall Kickoff Sunday/Flapjack Festival: September 9
- 50th Anniversary Weekend: November 10 & 11
- Bethlehem Experience dates:
 - Pull out the set - December 1
 - Build the set (Blitzbuild) - December 8
 - Drive-through dates - December 14 & 15, 5:30 - 9:30
 - Strike the set - December 16

WPC Deacons

Barbara Armstrong	Philip & Dianne
Marge Ceran	Rammon
Brian & Theresa Compton	Jim & Sue Reeves
Ruth Grey	Kim Robertson
Kyle Harrington	Karen Schaefer
Cindy Hollinger	Patricia Smart
Cathy Howell	Engloan Snow
Kimberlee Kayton	Amy Theaker
Tamara Kilpatrick	Kristina Virtue
Kerby Langendorf	Lynne Wilkins
Helen Myers	Ed & Gail Wohlenberg
Lisa Odell	Kathleen Zlokovich

Bethlehem Experience 2018

Sign up to be a part of the Bethlehem Experience Team. We are seeking folks to partner in leading key areas. We need your energy, enthusiasm, creative ideas and time to make this fun and meaningful event happen! Contact Jeff Covert, or check out the Bethlehem website, www.gotobethlehem.com

This Week at WPC

This afternoon and evening

6pm SYF (High School Youth Group) - Youth Center

Monday, August 13

12pm AA - Community Outreach Center
1pm Monday Bible Study - Offsite, contact Aubrey Grey
6:30pm Congregational Life committee - Balcony Room
7pm Stephen Ministry - Oakside
7:30pm Boy Scout Troop 485 - Community Outreach Center

Tuesday, August 14

10am La Leche League - Oakside
1:30pm Communications committee - Oakside
3pm Worship committee - Oakside
4pm Adult Christian Formation committee - Library
5:30pm JYF Yuck Olympics - Front Lawn
7:30pm GA - Oakside Room

Wednesday, August 15

9:30am Koffee Klatch - Oakside
4:15pm Mission committee - Oakside
5:30pm Shelter Meal - Community Outreach Center
6:30pm WOW (Women on Wednesday) Bible Study - Library
7pm AA - Sanctuary
7:30pm CNA - (High School Bible Study)- see J. R. Robertson

Thursday, August 16

7 pm AA - Community Outreach Center
7:30pm GA - Youth Center

Friday, August 17

12pm AA - Community Outreach Center
8pm AA - Sanctuary

Saturday, August 18

8:30am Pathfinders - Library
8:30am AA - Community Outreach Center
10am Al-Anon - Community Outreach Center
7pm AA - Community Outreach Center

Westminster Presbyterian Church Contact Information

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. David Rohde, Pastor/Head of Staff

dave@wpcwestlake.org

Rev. John Burnett, Parish Associate

john@wpcwestlake.org

WPC is a Stephen Ministry congregation. If you or someone you know is going through a difficult time and would like the weekly confidential support of a trained lay minister, please contact Rev. John Burnett.

PHONE EXTENSIONS:

To reach:

Call extension:

Pastor Dave Rohde	110
Pastor John Burnett	121
Children's & Family Ministries	128
Student Ministries	150
Business Office	114
Facilities	112
Music Ministries	122
Preschool	118

Or call the church office directly at 818.889-1491 and you will be transferred to the correct staff person. To email staff: please use the staff person's first name plus @wpcwestlake.org: for example, kathy@wpcwestlake.org

Prayer Chain: Dianne Rammon, 805.498-6384

Sanctuary Flowers: Sheryl Brownfield, 818.661-0295

