



WESTMINSTER
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PCA

*To reveal God's grace from God's Word for God's people until
God's world is filled with the knowledge of God's glory.*

APRIL 19TH, 2026
10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome to Westminster (PCA)

*To all who are weary, and need rest,
To all who mourn, and long for comfort,
To all who feel worthless, and wonder if God cares,
To all who fail, and desire strength,
To all who sin, and need a Savior,
Westminster Presbyterian Church opens wide her doors with
a welcome from Jesus himself, the Friend of sinners.*

If you're visiting this morning, thank you so much for worshipping with us here at Westminster! If you don't mind, please fill out the Connect Card found on the back of the pew near you and drop it in the offering plate. Or better yet, stop by the church lobby on the way out, and we'd love to give you a special gift from our family to yours.

Sundays at Westminster

9:00am | Sunday School for all ages

Adults—Meets in Discipleship Building
Cultivating a Devotional Life taught by Lucas Tanner
Middle School Class—Meets in School Building
Children's Classes—Meet in School Building
Nursery—Meets in Sanctuary Building (Children's classroom)

10:30am | Worship Service

Nursery available for infants through Pre-K
Children's Worship for age 5 through 2nd grade (during the sermon)

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In Matthew 13, Jesus reveals the mystery of His kingdom through a series of vivid and unsettling parables. These stories both invite and confront us—showing who truly hears, what the kingdom is like, and how it grows in ways we don't expect.

Join us for this 3-week series, as Pastor Ryan unpacks these Parables of the Kingdom which call us to listen carefully, see clearly, and respond faithfully to the King.

Announcements:

Emma Kalbfleisch Wedding Luncheon | Sun. April 26th | 12:15 PM

Ladies, you're invited to celebrate Emma Kalbfleisch as she prepares to marry her fiancé, Jared Pearlman! Join us after service on Sunday, April 26th, for a joyful wedding shower. We can't wait to celebrate together! Register here:

<https://tinyurl.com/ShowerforEmma>

VBS Kickoff Lunch | Sun. May 3rd | 12:15–1:30 PM

Parents and volunteers; following service, join us in the Discipleship Building as we roll out this year's VBS theme and begin planning for an exciting summer! If you haven't signed up yet, please register here: <https://tinyurl.com/VBSVolunteerLunch>.

For additional information, please contact: Traci Mays, Children's Director traci@wpcfortmyers.org

SCS Spring Concert | Thurs. May 7th | 6:00 PM

Join us in the sanctuary for the Summit Christian School spring program. The doors will open at 5:40 PM.

Call to Worship/Invocation

Psalms 116:5-7

Gracious is the LORD, and righteous; our God is merciful. The LORD preserves the simple; when I was brought low, he saved me.

Return, O my soul, to your rest; for the LORD has dealt bountifully with you.

Song of Adoration

“God So Loved”

Andrew Bergthold | Ed Cash | Franni Cash | Martin Cash | Scott Cash 2019 Angie Feel Good Songs; Bay19; Capitol CMG
Genesis; Capitol CMG Paragon; Scott Cash Publishing Designee; We The Kingdom Music

Confession of Sin

From John Chrysostom

O Lord, receive me in repentance; O Lord, leave me not; O Lord, save me from temptation; O Lord, grant me pure thoughts; O Lord, grant me tears of repentance, remembrance of death, and the sense of peace; O Lord, grant me mindfulness to confess my sins; O Lord, grant me humility, charity, and obedience. Amen.

Song of Confession

“Good And Gracious King”

James Ferguson | Jonny Robinson | Michael Farren
2016 CityAlight Music; Farren Love And War Publishing; Integrity's Alleluia! Music

Assurance of Pardon

Galatians 3:13-14

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree”— so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

Pastoral Prayer

(During this time kids age 5 - 2nd grade are invited to join us for Children's Worship.)

Worship In Giving

Song of Assurance

“Beautiful Scandalous Night”

Derald Daugherty | Steve Hindalong
1995 Never Say Never Songs; New Spring

Scripture Reading

Matthew 13:24-43

The grass withers and the flowers fade.

But the word of our Lord stands forever. Amen.

Sermon

“The Hidden Work Of The Kingdom” | Matthew 13:24-43

Pastor Ryan Broadhurst

Sermon Notes:

Works Cited/For Further Study:

- “Matthew: All Authority in Heaven and on Earth” *Preaching The Word Commentary* by Douglas Sean O’Donnell
- “Matthew-Luke” *ESV Expository Commentary* by Daniel M. Doriani
- “Episode 368 Matthew 13:24-43” *30 Minutes in the New Testament* Podcast by 1517
- “Tares Among Wheat: Told and Explained | Matthew 13:24-30; 36-43” Sermon by Ligon Duncan
- The CSB Study Bible*

The Lord's Supper

All believers in Jesus Christ who are members in good standing of a Gospel-preaching church are invited to join us in communion. Children and others who this does not describe are asked to abstain and consider the promises of the Gospel during this time.

(1 Cor. 11:27-29; Romans 10:9-10)

Westminster Confession of Faith 1.2

2. Under the name of Holy Scripture, or the Word of God written, are now contained all the books of the Old and New Testament, which are these:

Of the Old Testament: Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy, Joshua, Judges, Ruth, I Samuel, II Samuel, I Kings, II Kings, I Chronicles, II Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther, Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, The Song of Songs, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel, Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi.

Of the New Testament: The Gospels according to Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, the Acts of the Apostles, Paul's Epistles to the Romans, Corinthians I, Corinthians II, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, Thessalonians I, Thessalonians, II, to Timothy I, to Timothy II, to Titus, to Philemon, the Epistle to the Hebrews, the Epistle of James, the first and second Epistles of Peter, The first, second, and third Epistles of John, the Epistle of Jude and the Revelation of John.

All which are given by inspiration of God to be the rule of faith and life.

Song of Celebration

“In Christ Alone”

Keith Getty | Stuart Townend © 2001 Thankyou Music Ltd | Music by Shane & Shane

Benediction

From 1 John 5:20-21

Know that the Son of God has come and has given us understanding, so that we may know him who is true; and we are in him who is true, in his Son Jesus Christ. He is the true God and eternal life. Little children, keep yourselves from idols.

Prayer Requests

- For the Children – Pray that our Westminster Kids would come to know God's love through Jesus Christ, grow in faith, and feel safe, welcomed, and valued in the church community.
- For Families – Pray for our Westminster parents as they nurture faith at home, that God would strengthen families, provide wisdom, and draw them closer together and to Christ.
- For the Children's Ministry Director – Pray for wisdom, creativity, and spiritual renewal as Traci leads, plans, and disciples others, trusting God's guidance in all decisions.
- For Volunteers and Teachers – Pray for joyful and faithful servants, patience and energy, and that God would equip them to reflect Christ's love in their words and actions.
- For the Ministry as a Whole – Pray that the Holy Spirit would guide the ministry, foster unity, and use it to build a strong foundation of faith for the next generation.
- Please continue in prayer for Debbie Ringdahl-Mercer as she grieves the passing of Randy Mercer asking the Lord to comfort and sustain her in this time of loss.

MISSIONS SPOTLIGHT



THE SINCLAIRS

PAM AND BRUCE

Uganda



Bruce and Pam continue their long-term ministry connected to Uganda, now serving with the Trinity Center for World Mission after many years with MTW. Their work remains focused on training pastors and church leaders across Africa, with Bruce teaching, coaching seminary leaders, and supporting church planting efforts that have already led to over 100 churches. They are encouraged by ongoing growth, including new students in Rwanda and graduates being sent into ministry. Pam remains deeply involved in prayer, faithfully supporting the work through multiple prayer groups.

Pray:

- Pray for continued faithfulness and fruit in all they do.
- Pray for continued expansion of training programs and successful accreditation efforts in Rwanda.
- Pray for God's provision of health, strength and funding as they seek to serve well and finish faithfully.

General Offering Giving

Faith Promise Giving

<u>YTD Giving</u>	<u>YTD Budget</u>	<u>Annual Budget</u>	<u>YTD Giving</u>	<u>YTD Budget</u>	<u>Annual Budget</u>
\$232,952.19	\$231,138.90	\$785,000.00	\$37,307.33	\$23,555.57	\$80,000.00

We extend our heartfelt appreciation to all those who contribute online. If feasible, kindly consider including the associated fees in your donations when prompted. Your extra generosity will have a significant impact, allowing us to save several thousand dollars annually. Thank you for your kind support.

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