

# Fourth Sunday in Lent

March 30, 2025

*Party on!*

## GATHERING

*(Silence during the Prelude is requested in preparation for worship.)*

### *About the Prelude*

The Prelude is a musical offering to help move the hearts and minds of the gathering community from the daily struggles of life to the worship of God.

### PRELUDE

John L. Bell arr. Karen K. Thompson  
Reflections from Iona

arr. Cathy Moglebust  
God of Amazing Grace

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Let us worship God!

*(Those who are able may stand.)*

Happy are those who are honest with God.  
**Happy are those whose sin is forgiven.**  
Therefore, let all who are faithful  
offer prayer to the Lord in times of distress.  
**For God is our refuge  
and protects us in times of trouble.**  
Be glad in the Lord and rejoice!  
**Let us shout for joy! Let us worship God!**

### \*PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

**Loving God,  
like the prodigal son,  
we have recognized the error of our ways.  
In this season of Lent,  
we have reflected on our deep need for you,  
and we are seeking to return to you.  
We give thanks that you run out to meet us  
as a loving parent would.  
Help us to trust your love enough  
to continue returning. Amen.**

### \*HYMN 774

STUTTGART

There Is Now a New Creation

### *About Hymn 774*

At the center of this text stands a reference to the well-known parable of the Prodigal Son (Luke 15:11-32), and the fourth stanza forms an effective bridge between that gospel story and the celebration of the Lord's Supper. The first and last stanzas draw on 2 Corinthians 5:17. TEXT: David Gambrell, 2009; MUSIC: Witt's Psalmodia Sacra, 1715.

## CALL TO CONFESSION

We cannot earn God's grace or favor.  
It comes to us, not as something owed,  
but as a gift freely given.

Confident in God's love for us,  
even when we are ungodly,  
together we confess our sins in faith.

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess  
that we have sinned against you.  
We take your blessing for granted  
and squander our inheritance.  
We boast of our good works  
and resent your great mercy to others.  
Forgive us, God of grace.  
Let us no longer be lost in our sin.  
Help us to find our way home to you,  
where you welcome us with open arms;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*(Silent confession)*

## Kyrie

James MacMillan

*(Sung responsively by the choir and congregation)*

The musical score for the Kyrie is written in 3/4 time and consists of four staves. The lyrics are: "Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy." The score is divided into sections for the Choir and the Congregation. The first staff is for the Choir, the second for the Congregation, the third for the Choir, and the fourth for the Congregation and Choir. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words underlined to indicate phrasing.

## *Call to and Prayer of Confession*

A call to confession expresses God's initiative in calling for repentance and promising forgiveness in Christ. As members of Christ's body, we confess the reality of sin, captivity, and brokenness in personal and common life and ask for God's saving grace.

About the Kyrie  
The Kyrie (Greek "kyrios" [Lord]) is a corporate musical prayer for grace.

*Assurance of Pardon*

A declaration of forgiveness proclaims the good news of God's mercy and offers the assurance of pardon in Jesus' name. The liturgist pours water into the font, which reminds us of the grace and cleansing of our Baptism, and the baptismal call to new life in Christ.

Children's Time will happen at both services when we do not have communion or baptisms.

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Believe the Good News:  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

**\*The Peace**

Since God in Christ has forgiven us,  
let us also forgive one another.

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

*(Please exchange the peace with the words,  
"The peace of Christ be with you.")*

**CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH**

*(Everyone is asked to sign the Friendship pad,  
which is located on the center aisle end of each pew.)*

**THE WORD**

**CHILDREN'S TIME**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**SCRIPTURE**

Hear the Word of God! **Our ears are open.**

**2 Corinthians 5:16-21**

*(New Testament, page 181 in your pew Bible)*

Create in me a clean heart, O God.  
**Create in me a clean heart, O God.**

Psalm 51:10

Renew a right spirit within me.  
**Renew a right spirit within me.**

**Psalm 32, Hymn 446 (All sing)**

MEIRIONYDD

**Luke 15:11-32**

*(New Testament, pages 78-79 in your pew Bible)*

Create in me a clean heart, O God.  
**Create in me a clean heart, O God.**

Psalm 51:10

Renew a right spirit within me.  
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**SERMON**

Party on!

Donovan Drake

*(A moment for meditation)*

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

We trust in God,  
whom Jesus called Abba, Father.  
In sovereign love God created the world good  
and makes everyone equally in God's image,  
male and female, of every race and people,  
to live as one community.  
But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator.  
Ignoring God's commandments.  
we violate the image of God in others and ourselves,  
accept lies as truth,  
exploit neighbor and nature,  
and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care.  
We deserve God's condemnation.  
Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation.  
In everlasting love,  
the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people  
to bless all families of the earth.  
Hearing their cry,  
God delivered the children of Israel  
from the house of bondage.  
Loving us still,  
God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant.  
Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child,  
like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home,  
God is faithful still.

*from A Brief Statement of Faith*

**ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF ELDERS**

**Statement on Ordination and Installation**

**Presentation of Elders**

Assisting with Service

8:30 AM  
Rev. Stephanie Boaz

11:00 AM  
Rev. Ashley Higgins

## Constitutional Questions

To the Elders-elect  
To the Congregation

### The Laying On of Hands

#### Prayer of Ordination and Installation

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Eternal God, we give you thanks for your steadfast  
faithfulness to us...

**Gracious God, through the waters of baptism,  
you have claimed us as your own  
and called us to share in Christ's ministry.  
Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us,  
that we may discern the gifts you have given,  
calling them forth from one another,  
and together use these gifts for the good of all.  
In obedience to Christ, and in the unity of his Spirit,  
may we proclaim good news,  
make disciples, be light and leaven,  
share our bread, offer a cup of cold water,  
and wash one another's feet.  
Make us strong in Christ to live as your people  
and show forth your saving love in the world,  
by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

#### Declaration of Ordination and Installation

Welcome

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

# THANKSGIVING

## OFFERING

Anthem  
(8:30 AM)

Jay Althouse

Lord, I Stretch My Hands to You

Lord I stretch my hands to you; no other help I know.  
If you should leave me all alone, where, then, shall I go?

Oh, Lord, I give my soul to you; I seek your care and love.  
No other blessings do I need but those from you above.

Lord, I ask you: give me faith, and help me understand.  
And, Lord, when I this life shall leave, just hold me in your hand.

Lord, I stretch my hands to you; no other help I know.  
If you should leave me all alone, where, then, shall I go?  
Oh, Lord, I stretch my hands to you.

(11:00 AM)

The Road Home

Stephen Paulus

Tell me where is the road I can call my own,  
That I left, that I lost, So long ago?  
All these years I have wandered, Oh when will I know  
There's a way, there's a road that will lead me home?  
After wind, after rain, When the dark is done,  
As I wake from a dream In the gold of day,  
Through the air there's a calling From far away,  
There's a voice I can hear that will lead me home.

Rise up, follow me, Come away is the call,  
With the love in your heart As the only song;  
There is no such beauty as where you belong,  
Rise up, follow me, I will lead you home.

## \*DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Christ, all creatures here below;  
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;  
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen**

## *Offering*

The collection of tithes and offerings takes place as a response to the Word. These actions are signs of our gratitude for the grace of God proclaimed in the gospel.

To give, please scan the QR code below:



## *Doxology*

A short hymn of praise to the triune God (God, Jesus Christ, Holy Spirit).

*Prayer of  
Thanksgiving*

God's grace elicits our heartfelt gratitude. We respond to the good news of forgiveness with joyful acclamations of praise!

*About the Postlude*

The Postlude is considered the final Alleluia of worship.

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**Almighty and merciful God,  
from whom comes all that is good,  
we praise you for your mercies,  
for your goodness that has created us,  
your grace that has sustained us,  
your discipline that has corrected us,  
your patience that has borne with us,  
and your love that has redeemed us.**

**Help us to love you, and to be thankful for all your gifts  
by serving you and delighting to do your will,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**\*THE LORD'S PRAYER** (*Singing together*)

*(Please refer to the inside back cover of your hymnal  
for words and music to this hymn.)*

**SENDING**

**\*HYMN 649**

**AMAZING GRACE**

Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

Create in me a clean heart, O God.  
**Create in me a clean heart, O God.**

Renew a right spirit within me.  
**Renew a right spirit within me.**

**POSTLUDE**

Josef Gabriel Rheinberger

Fugue from Sonata 8 in E minor, Op. 132

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**\*(Those who are able may stand.)**



## Today @ Westminster

### Worship Leaders

#### Preaching

Rev. Dr. Donovan Drake  
Pastor and Head of Staff

#### Liturgist

Jessie King  
Adult Education Intern

#### Lay Liturgists

8:30 AM Richard Lane  
11:00 AM Tom Wyllly

#### Music

Harvard Handbells  
8:30 AM Laudate Choir  
11:00 AM Westminster Choir

Dale Nickell  
Organist and Associate Director of Music Ministries

Ally Hard  
Substitute Laudate Choir Director

Jennifer Barnes  
Substitute Harvard Handbells Director

### Red Rose

The red rose in the Chancel gives glory and thanksgiving to God for the birth of a daughter, **Zoe Hudnut Tanabe**, on March 13, 2025, to Julia Hudnut-Tanabe and Kenji Tanabe. Heidi and Jim Hudnut-Beumler are thrilled grandparents.

The red rose in the Chancel gives glory and thanksgiving to God for the birth of a son, **Charles Anthony Reeve**, on March 25, 2025, to Candace and Teddy Reeve. William is an excited big brother.

#### Mask Policy

Westminster Presbyterian Church, Nashville is mask optional.

#### Hearing Assistance

We offer personal FM Receivers with an earpiece, located in the Narthex and in the Parlor on the Welsh dresser. Instructions can be found at each location.

#### Large Print Hymns

Looking for large-print hymns? They can be found in the Narthex at the Sanctuary entrance or in the Parlor on the Welsh dresser.

#### Recorded Worship Services

To watch a service at a later time, go to [www.nashvillewpc.church](http://www.nashvillewpc.church) and scroll down to the Worship Service Archive. Click on the service you would like to view.

#### Dial-a-Sermon

Dial 629.206.1073 after 10:15 AM each Sunday morning to listen to the sermon. The sermon will be available all week.

#### Childcare

Childcare is available on Sundays from 8:15 AM to 12:00 PM.

Nursery - Room 146

Toddlers - Room 152

2s and 3s - Room 151

#### Copyright Information

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#### Our Mission

Ordinary people testifying to the extraordinary light found in our Lord Jesus Christ.

"For it is the God who said, 'Let light shine out of darkness,' who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. But we have this treasure in clay jars, so that it may be made clear that this extraordinary power belongs to God and does not come from us."

(2 Corinthians 4:6-7)



# TODAY @ WESTMINSTER



**LIVING  
OUT THE  
WORD**

LOVE  
RECONCILE  
SHINE  
TRANSFORM

...for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!' And they began to celebrate.

Luke 15:24

Have there been times when you felt like the prodigal son of this story? The father? The older brother?

Why is God's grace difficult for us to accept for ourselves and for others?

How will you begin to bridge the divides in your life, church and community?

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## Welcome

Westminster Presbyterian Church welcomes you to share our common journey to become more faithful disciples of Christ. Any who are interested in joining us in this journey are invited to contact Rev. Heidi Hudnut-Beumler by email at [hhudnutbeumler@nashvillewpc.org](mailto:hhudnutbeumler@nashvillewpc.org) or 615.292.5526 in the church office.

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## Ordination and Installation of Elders, Class of 2028

### 8:30 AM Service

Thomas Bernstein  
Houston Estes  
Katherine McElroy  
Nicole Oeser  
Bobby Veach

### 11:00 AM Service

Jennifer Anderson  
Lisa Atkinson  
Doug Berry  
Susan Carey  
Jennifer Corbett  
Ward DeWitt  
Fred Lowrance

## Thank you Class of 2025

Kathy Billings  
Rhea Bucy  
Emily Coleman  
Bob Cooper  
Greg Cornish  
Nan Holland  
Ken Larish  
Virginia Reynolds  
Jackie Shrago  
Kathleen Simcoe  
David Wyckoff



## Time to Order Lilies

Lilies will grace our Sanctuary on Easter Sunday, April 20, 2025. If you would like to purchase a lily (\$10) in memory or in honor of a friend or family member, please scan the QR code.





# TODAY @ WESTMINSTER

Adult Education Classes start at 9:45 AM

## Covenant Class • Fellowship Hall



### Keeping Sacred Time: An Exploration of Life's Rhythms.

What rhythms are driving your life? This Covenant Class series is an invitation to look closely at this question and explore the sacred rhythms woven into the world today. The Lenten season offers a unique opportunity to examine one's practices, habits, and daily routines, and to shift focus toward deeper alignment with God. Together, we'll examine how these rhythms—both individual and collective—can guide us toward deeper connection with God and towards lives of deeper compassion for ourselves and others.

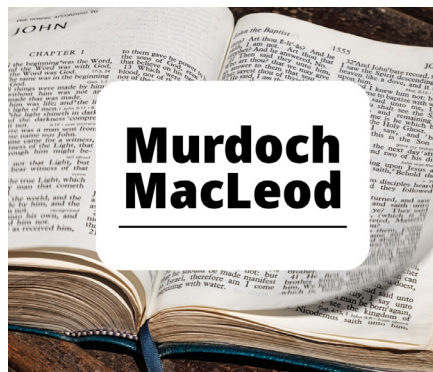
**Today**, we will ask the questions: How can we shape our lives to recognize and embrace the sacredness of our everyday moments? Can things like preparing a meal or sending an email help become spiritually forming for us? As we explore the use of liturgy, we will look for ways to transform mundane daily tasks into acts of worship. Led by Dr. Christy Ridings, Associate University Minister at Belmont University.



### Faith & Fellowship • 214

The History of Popes: Church of Man or Church of God?

For more info, please contact Donna Schwaber, [dkschwaber@gmail.com](mailto:dkschwaber@gmail.com).



### Murdoch MacLeod • Library

We will discuss this week's gospel lesson.

For more info, please contact Paul DeWitt, [pdewitt@comcast.net](mailto:pdewitt@comcast.net).



### Young Families • Overlook Room

Round table discussion: Ever wish you had more time to talk with other parents about their faith journeys and parenting practices? Join us as we tackle these questions together in small groups and learn from each other.



# TODAY @ WESTMINSTER



## Sunday School

**9:45 AM • Koinonia Youth Café**

Please see class description below.

**6:00 PM • Youth Group - Grog Night**

Last Grog of the '24 - '25 year!



## Practicing Together

**March 30 - April 13 • Koinonia Youth Café**

Wondering what to do this Lent? Tired of just giving up chocolate? Wonder no more. Join us this Lent for an intergenerational Sunday School class exploring spiritual formation. This class will learn about a variety of spiritual practices across four Sundays, including Lectio Divina, Sabbath, Anam Cara, the Examen, and Visual Prayer. Not only will we be introduced to these disciplines and practice

them in class, but we'll also discuss how they can help us meaningfully engage in Holy Week and prepare us for the world-changing good news of Easter. This class is intentionally intergenerational, and all ages youth group and up are welcome! Don't just give up chocolate this year, add our intergenerational spiritual formation class as your Lenten practice this year. Invite an (intergenerational) friend to join you! Led by Adam DeVries and Will Wellman.



## Children & Youth Choirs

4:00 PM Rehearsals

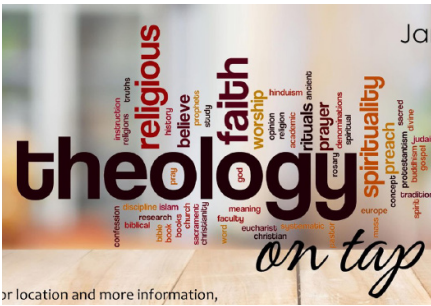
Gloria  
Alleluia  
Jubilate  
Tintinnabulation

5:00 PM Rehearsals

Laudate Choir  
Chiming Children



# YOUNG ADULTS



**April 1**  
**Theology on Tap**  
**7:00 PM • Location TBD**

For more info, please contact:  
Michael Drake, drakerduck@gmail.com  
Lane Russell, lrussell7942@yahoo.com



**April 5**  
**Potato Drop**  
**8:00 AM • North Parking Lot**

Please help us bag up potatoes (more info on page 18) and join us for lunch afterwards.



**April 13**  
**Volunteer at the Ronald McDonald House**  
**3:00 - 6:00 PM**

For info please contact:  
Michael Drake, drakerduck@gmail.com  
Lane Russell, lrussell7942@yahoo.com



# CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**8:30 & 11:00 AM • Worship Services**

## Children and Worship

Childcare is available for children who are infants through kindergarten during both services. While childcare is available, children are always welcome in worship. There are quiet toys and worship bags for children. They may be found in baskets in the Parlor and in the back of the Sanctuary. The bags have plain paper, crayons, a pencil and a children's bulletin.

**9:45 AM • Sunday School**

**2s are in room 149**

**3s are in room 161**

**4s are in room 163**

**Godly Play/Kindergarten in 183**

**4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade in room 292**

**1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Chapel first and then will be picked up in rooms.**



## LIVING OUT THE WORD

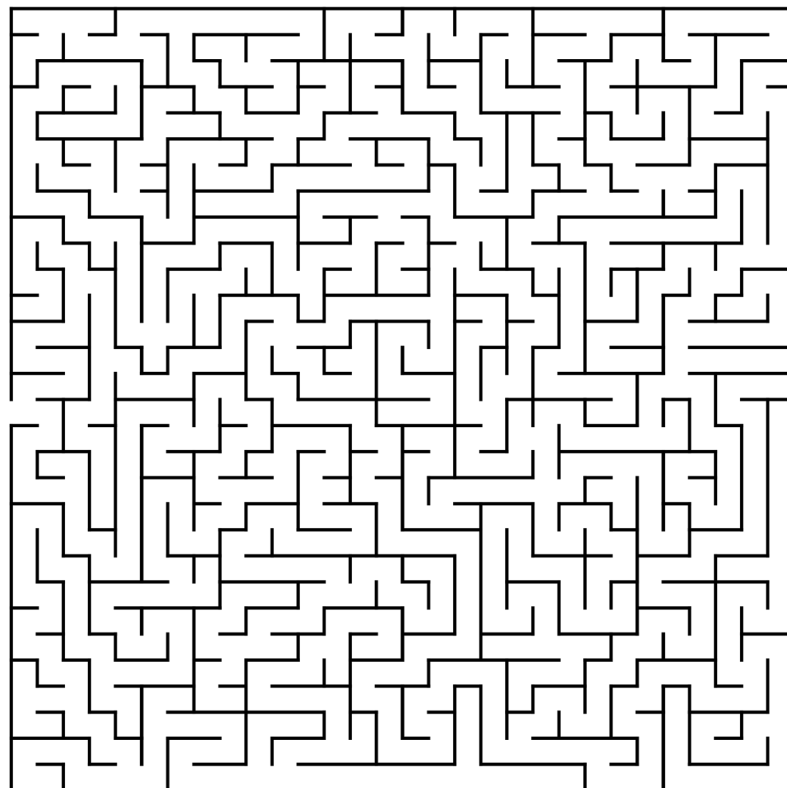
### QUESTIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES:

Today we ask some adults several questions. These are adults who have been elected to serve our church and guide us. One question we ask is will you serve with energy, intelligence, Imagination and love.

These are all God given gifts we ALL have.

How can we use our gifts to spread God's love?

Draw a picture of someone spreading God's love.



**START**



**FINISH**





# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## April 5, 6 NaCoMe All-Church Weekend

Join us for a fun-filled weekend that includes a duck race, good food, dancing, a campfire, and s'mores. Jump in the creek, talk to new and old friends, and join us for worship on Sunday.

Sign up for the day or spend the night. We stay in the cabins, where families have a room with several beds and their own bathroom. It is a great way to get to know other families in the church. **We have a blast.**

Scan QR code to register.



## Thursday Morning Theology Group *Dogmatics in Outline*

9:30 AM • Overlook Room

We will be reading through Karl Barth's *Dogmatics in Outline*. Karl Barth was a Swiss Reformed theologian and one of the most influential theologians of the 20th century. This will be a great class for folks interested in learning more about Christian theology and the Reformed tradition in particular. All are welcome! Contact Will Wellman if you have any questions, [wwellman@nashvillewpc.org](mailto:wwellman@nashvillewpc.org).

## April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

### Pottery

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

\$50 per person

Limit: 10 participants

All skill levels are welcome!

Scan to register.



## April 22

### Book Group

*The Warmth of Other Suns*  
by Isabel Wilkerson

Presented by Ken Hande

## June 2-8

### Music Camp

**Auditions on April 27.**

Scan the QR code to register and for more info.





# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**April 2**  
**Wednesday Night Dinner**  
**5:30 - 6:30 PM**  
**Westminster Café**  
**Coco's Italian**

Please scan the QR code to register.



**April 2**  
**Life Together Series:**  
**Creating a Family Mission Statement**  
**Overlook Room**  
**6:00 - 7:30 PM**

How are you cultivating a way of life for your family? Why does it matter anyway? Join us for a deeply rich and deeply practical workshop centered around family values and the gift of creating a vision/mission statement(s) for you and yours.

WPC values the ways in which we might help center our families around an anchor that holds (our faith in Christ) and we are excited to do so in community. Come join the conversation and leave with a blueprint unique to you and your family.

For more info, please contact Ashley Higgins, ahiggins@nashvillewpc.org.

Childcare provided.  
Registration required.  
Please scan the QR code to register.



## Would you like to learn how to fly fish?

WPC is looking to see if any members would like to start a Fly-Fishing Club. This is a call for all levels of experience to learn and enjoy fly fishing and nature.

If you would like to know more about fly fishing, please contact Parker Brown at rbrown14@gmail.com. Please write Westminster Fly Fishing in the subject line.

## New Women's Bible Study

**April 3 • 7:00 PM**

Join us for a new women's bible study twice a month through May! WPC member, Keith Maddin has graciously agreed to host us at her home near church. This is a space for women in their late 20s-40s looking for community and time together with scripture. Ashley is leading a series called Mercy, where we'll look at stories from scripture and the many ways God shows mercy - and the ways we're called to show the same.

For more information, please contact Ashley Higgins, ahiggins@nashvillewpc.org.





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**April 10**  
**Music Box**  
**Goodpasture Hall**  
**11:00 AM • Fellowship**  
**11:15 AM • Program**  
**12:00 PM • Lunch**

Please join us as we welcome Isabel Bartles, Nashville Symphony Orchestra violinist.

If you would like to stay for lunch, please make your reservation with Sherri Givens, [sgivens@nashvillewpc.org](mailto:sgivens@nashvillewpc.org).  
Cost: \$10

**April 12**  
**Easter Egg Hunt**  
**North Parking Lot**  
**Playground**  
**10:00 AM • Arrive**  
**10:15 AM • Hunt**

Enjoy an Easter Egg hunt for two-year-olds through fourth graders. We will have a wonderful time of hunting eggs and playing together.

***We will provide bags to gather eggs, you will NOT need baskets.***

Refreshments and time to play after the hunt will be fun.

## **Want to build a garden?**

Westminster is partnering with our neighbor, Hillwood Presbyterian, to start a community garden! We are in the initial phases and looking for volunteers who would like to be a part of dreaming, planning, and creating this garden on Hillwood's property. We plan to meet with folks from Hillwood in late April or early May to begin the process!

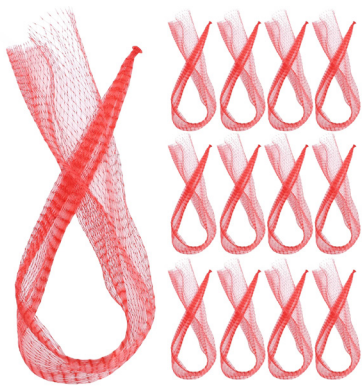
If you're interested in helping out, please email Will Wellman, [wwellman@nashvillewpc.org](mailto:wwellman@nashvillewpc.org).



# ANNOUNCEMENTS



**GLEANING** is the act of collecting leftover crops in the field after harvest. During harvest, there is food that is left or missed often because it does not meet store standards for uniformity. The vegetables aren't "pretty" enough. Gleaning is used to provide fresh foods to those in need. The vegetables are perfectly fine for consumption and are used by local food banks. ***As part of our Hands On Mission Lenten experience, please join us in the Café to make bags for these vegetables.***



**Choose any date: April 3, 4**  
**Making Vegetable Bags**  
**9:15 – 10:00 AM**  
**Westminster Café**

**This is a super easy service project!** If you can cut and tie a knot, we need you! We will be preparing bunches of mesh bags for folks who will glean various fields in the area. Come one day or a couple of days! Scan the QR code to let us know you are coming.



**April 5**  
**Sweet Potato Drop**  
**8:00 AM - 12:00 PM**  
**North Parking Lot**

Join us as we distribute 40,000 pounds (or 20 tons) of sweet potatoes to our hungry neighbors in Middle Tennessee. Partnering with the Society of St. Andrew, we keep this food from going to waste and share it instead with people in need. Plan to work outdoors: dress for the weather and bring water bottles and sunscreen! For more information, please contact Will Wellman. [wwellman@nashvillewpc.org](mailto:wwellman@nashvillewpc.org). Want to volunteer? Scan the QR code.



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# MINISTRY TEAM



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## **Holy Week Schedule**

### **April 13 – Passion | Palm Sunday**

Procession of Palms

Alleluia, Gloria, and Jubilate Children's Choirs

Laudate Youth Choir

Westminster Choir

### **April 17 – Maundy Thursday**

Service of Holy Communion | Stripping of the Chancel

7:00 PM

Laudate Youth Choir

### **April 18 – Good Friday**

Choral Service of Darkness

7:00 PM

Westminster Choir

### **April 20 – Easter Sunday**

7:30 AM Worship Service

Holy Communion

Brass Ensemble

Laudate Youth Choir

9:15 AM Worship Service

Brass Ensemble

Westminster Choir

11:00 AM Worship Service

Brass Ensemble

Westminster Choir

# THIS WEEK @ WESTMINSTER

## Sunday, March 30

- 8:30 AM Worship
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship
- 4:00 PM Children's Choir Rehearsal  
Tintinnabulation
- 5:00 PM Laudate Choir Rehearsal  
Chiming Children
- 6:00 PM Youth Group

## Monday, March 31

- 10:00 AM Tai Chi
- 11:45 AM Centering Prayer
- 5:00 PM Pickleball

## Tuesday, April 1

- 7:00 AM Daybreak Believers
- 7:30 AM Bible Study
- 8:00 AM Westminster Café
- 9:00 AM Harvard Handbells
- 11:30 AM Tuesday Lunch Bunch
- 7:00 PM Theology on Tap

## Wednesday, April 2

- 7:00 AM Men's Bible Study
- 8:00 AM Westminster Café
- 9:30 AM Westminster Bells

## Wednesday, April 2

- 10:00 AM Tai Chi
- 5:30 PM Wednesday Night Dinner
- 6:00 PM Creating A Family Mission Statement
- 7:00 PM Men's Basketball  
WPC Choir Rehearsal

## Thursday, April 3

- 8:00 AM Westminster Café
- 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
- 9:30 AM Thurs Morning Theological Group
- 10:00 AM Knitting & Crocheting

## Friday, April 4

- 7:00 AM Men's Bible Study
- 8:00 AM Westminster Café
- 10:00 AM Tai Chi
- 5:00 PM Pickleball

## Saturday, April 5

- 8:00 AM NaCoMe
- 8:00 AM Sweet Potato Drop
- 11:30 AM AA



**April 4, 2025**

**Bossa Nova to Bluegrass:**

**An Evening with Steve Leslie & Special Guests,  
Andrea Crisalli and Kyle and Essie Tupper**

**CANCELED**

**DUE TO MANDATORY VOCAL REST**

If you have purchased tickets, we will contact you.



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# 774 There Is Now a New Creation



1 There is now a new cre - a - tion through the grace of Je - sus Christ,  
2 Call the lost and found to - geth - er; tell the news to ev - ery - one:  
3 Wrap the prod - i - gal in wel - come; run to greet the way - ward child.  
4 Come and join the cel - e - bra - tion; come and join this hap - py feast;  
5 There is now a new cre - a - tion through the grace of Je - sus Christ.



peace and rec - on - cil - i - a - tion with the God of end - less life.  
now the past is gone for - ev - er and a new life has be - gun.  
All is fin - ished and for - giv - en; let us now be rec - on - ciled.  
Je - sus makes an in - vi - ta - tion to the great - est and the least.  
Sing, with thanks and ad - o - ra - tion, to the God of end - less life!



# 649 Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

1 A - maz - ing grace, how sweet the sound, that  
2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and  
3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I  
4 The Lord has prom - ised good to me; his  
5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but  
grace my fears re - lieved. How pre - cious did that  
have al - read - y come. 'Tis grace has brought me  
word my hope se - cures. He will my shield and  
shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to

now am found, was blind, but now I see.  
grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!  
safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.  
por - tion be as long as life en - dures.  
sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

