#### Visitor Information

Westminster Presbyterian Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) and a member of the Central Indiana Presbytery. For more information about Westminster, visit westminpca.com. To join our email list, send an email to Colleen in the office at cwolowski@westminpca.com.

Guests: We are so glad that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. We hope that we lead you well in worshiping our great God and celebrating the incredible salvation that we have in Christ. We hope, also, that we love you well today and make you feel welcome. Please give us the opportunity to meet you today by joining us for coffee in between services or at the welcome desk out front. Also, please help us by filling out the Welcome Pad when it is passed during worship. This allows us to get to know you a little better.

**Assisted Listening Devices** are available at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary.

**Sermons are recorded** and are available on our website and also at Sermonaudio.com.

## **Sunday Schedule**

8:30 a.m.	First Worship Service
9:45 - 10:00 a.m.	Coffee in the Fellowship Hall
10:00 - 10:45 a.m.	Sunday School
11:00 a.m.	Second Worship Service
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Youth Group (at New Life)
6:30 – 7:15 p.m.	Evening service*

\*Small groups meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday evenings of the month and there is no Evening Service.

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#### **Children and Nursery**

At Westminster, we believe that children are an important part of our community, and we want them to learn to worship with us. Please feel free to keep your children of any age with you in the service, and please do not be uncomfortable with their cooing and whispering. They are learning to worship! Additionally, to help them worship, crayons, clipboards with sermon notes and coloring pages, as well as copies of *The Jesus Storybook Bible*, are available right outside the doors to the sanctuary.

We also offer a fully staffed nursery for children under three years old.

#### **Sunday Evenings**

**YOUTH GROUP:** We collaborate with two other area churches for youth ministry, creating a more dynamic and engaging experience for our youth. Our youth gather at New Life Presbyterian Church in Yorktown Sunday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. To learn more or to get on the youth group email list, contact Colleen in the church office.

**SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:** Sunday evenings, we come back together from 6:30 to 7:15 for a casual worship service to end the day together. We sing a little, pray for each other, and have a short teaching time.

**SMALL GROUPS:** the second and fifth Sundays of the month, instead of a Sunday Evening Service, small groups meet in homes throughout the area to help foster authentic community. To connect with a small group, contact Colleen in the church office.

# **January 8, 2023**

We strive to be a Christ-centered community that advances the gospel by worshiping joyfully, making disciples, and serving others.

#### This Week at Westminster

### Sunday, January 8

Small Groups Meet

#### Monday, January 9

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (Larry Williamson)

7:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting

#### Wednesday, January 11

4:00 p.m. Children's Choir (Nate Shockey)

5:00 p.m. Kidz Root (Jone Holroyd) | Westminster

6:45 p.m. Sanctuary Choir (Nate Shockey)

#### Thursday, January 12

6:00 p.m. Worship Team Rehearsal (Nate Shockey)

### Friday, January 13

5:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship (Jim Wegener)

# **Upcoming Events**

January 21 Congregational Dinner January 23 Congregational Meeting

February 18 Remember Your Joy Ladies' Bible study lunch

February 24 Missions Conference Dinner

February 25 Missions Conference Prayer Breakfast

March 4 Dinners for Eight

## This Week's Missionary

Emad and Michelle Mikhail, serving in a sensitive location

## This Week's Birthdays

January 8, Claire Bilger, Heath Sprague; January 9, Mary Ann Chechowich; January 12, Todd Gordon; January 14, Leland Haraszti, Nate McCashland, Cole Shockey; January 16, Hudson Gowen, Gretta Michael

#### Order of Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Reflecting on Our Baptism

Remembering our sins have been washed away and we've been united to Jesus and to each other

\*Call to Worship: Psalm 33:1-12

Hearing God's invitation to enter his presence and worship him

\*Song of Praise: O Father, You Are Sovereign (Hymn #75)

Entering God's presence with thanksgiving and praise

Call to Confession: Psalm 33:13-17; Silent Confession of Sin and Prayer of Confession *Recalibrating our hearts away from our failures and wanderings back toward Jesus* 

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 33:18-22; This Is Amazing Grace

Celebrating God's forgiveness through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Remembering all we have comes from God, belongs to God, and is to be used for God's glory

Special Music: You've Already Won

Pastoral Prayer

Giving our cares and burdens to the Lord and finding mercy and grace for our times of need

\*Scripture Reading: Isaiah 34 (page 594)

Morning Message

Confessing our Faith: Philippians 2:5-11; Nothing but the Blood (Hymn #307)

Reminding ourselves and each other what we believe about God, Jesus, ourselves, and our world

The Lord's Table

Feeding our faith and union through the weekly practice of sharing bread and juice together

\*Song of Response: *Doxology* (Hymn #733)

Thanking God for all his gifts to us

\*Benediction

Receiving God's blessing as he sends us out to live and love like Jesus