

**Welcome to Worship** on this 5th Sunday after Pentecost. Also known as “Ordinary Time” - we are now between the two major holy seasons of the Christian Year (Easter and Christmas). The readings for each Sunday are from the Revised Common Lectionary, and we are currently in Year C, where the Gospel of Luke is our primary gospel.

**If you are here today for the first or second time**, we hope you feel welcome as a guest of this community of faith. Faith in Jesus Christ is the mark of a Christian and a disciple of Christ, and is therefore the only requirement for membership in this church. Please prayerfully consider joining this family of faith! Please talk with our pastor, and learn more by visiting us at [www.cwupc.org](http://www.cwupc.org) and [www.pcusa.org](http://www.pcusa.org) and on Facebook: Carter-Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

**Assisting us in worship today** are Heidi Musser, Pat Radosavljevic, and Ken Hockenberry

**Next Sunday** is the 6th Sunday after Pentecost, and the scripture lessons are Colossians 1:15-28 and Luke 10:38-42.

**You and yours** are most welcome.

**The Session, Deacons, Trustees, Officers, and Staff of  
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**Session Ruling Elders:** (2019) Sam Bakou, Carolyn Kapteyn, Lisa Novel, John Serritella; (2020) Georgette Joseph; (2021) Najeba Badal, Ken Jacobs, Doris Nadder.

**Deacons:** (2019) Neena Ishu, Helen Oshona; (2020) Phyllis Boba, Irene Ellyin, Rita Witzgall; (2021) Hilda Karam, Kathy Solomon, Stacey Ross.

**Trustees:** (2019) Donald Rustemeyer; (2020) Hugh McBride, Mac McClendon, Robert Rustemeyer.

**Staff and Church Leaders:**

Pastor - Ken Hockenberry

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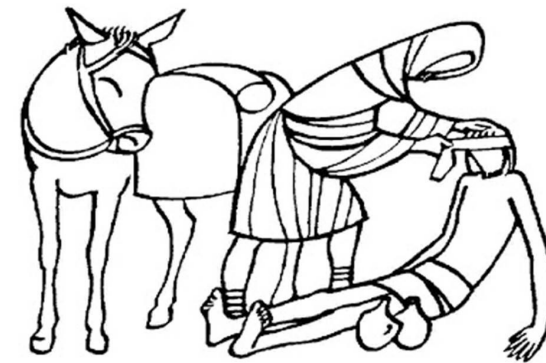
Worship Technician - Elliott Nott

Nursery Attendants - Michelle Nano & Melinda Nano

*The Community of*

**Carter - Westminster United  
Presbyterian Church**

*Gathered for Worship  
During the Season after Pentecost - 2019  
Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 AM*



**July 14, 2019**

The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

**Gathering in God's Name**

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Gathering of the People

Prelude “Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ” arr. John Behnke

Greeting, Welcome, and Announcements

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

### \*Call to Worship

We serve the Creator, who loves us into life.  
**We follow Christ, who loves us unto death.**

We listen for the Spirit, who loves us into transformation.  
**We worship God, whose love knows no bounds.**

\*Hymn (*See insert*) “God of Grace and God of Glory” CWM RHONDDA

### Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

**Holy God, we have heard your command to love you,  
to love our neighbor, and to love ourselves.  
Yet we still fall into patterns of shallow devotion,  
false kindness, and self-doubt.**

**We have heard your call to do justice,  
to love kindness, to walk humbly with you.  
Yet we are drawn to safety, not justice;  
apathy, not kindness; pacing, not walking.**

**Hear our prayers, O God.  
Forgive us for what we have done and for what we have left undone.  
Hear our prayers, O God,  
and move us to deeper trust and more faithful action. Amen.**

### Words of Forgiveness

One: ...Sisters and brothers, believe this good news.  
All: **In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Amen.**

\*Act of Praise “Glory to God” GLORY TO GOD (Vasile)

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me.  
And to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me.  
And to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.**

### \*The Peace

One: ... The peace of Christ be with you. All: **And also with you.**  
*(Please share the peace of Christ with one another.)*

## Word Proclaimed

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### Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Colossians 1:1-14 (p. 199-200)  
Holy Wisdom, holy Word. - **Thanks be to God**

Offering of Music “Prelude in E Minor” Frederic Chopin  
Heidi Musser, pianist

Second Lesson: Luke 10:25-37 (p. 71-72)  
Holy Wisdom, holy Word. - **Thanks be to God**

Time with Young Disciples  
*(Children are invited to come to the chancel steps, and then go to child care.)*

\*Hymn (*See insert*) “For the Fruit of All Creation” AR HYD Y NOS

Sermon “Drawing Near”

Affirmation of Faith - from “The Confession of Belhar” (*See insert*)

Sharing of Joys and Concerns - Prayers of the People

## Thanksgiving

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### Offering

Offertory “Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus” arr. Lloyd Larson

\*Response # 815 “Doxology” OLD HUNDREDTH  
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures,  
here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father,  
Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*Prayers of Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer (*On Screen*)

## Sending

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\*Hymn (*See insert*) “Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love” CHEREPONI

\*Invitation to Discipleship

\*Charge and Benediction

Postlude “Radetzky March” Johann Strauss  
Heidi Musser, pianist *(You are invited to remain seated for the Postlude.)*

\*Going Forth  
*(You are most welcome to coffee hour downstairs - follow the crowd)*

*\*Please rise in body and/or in spirit!*