

**Welcome to Worship** on this 7th 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.

**Today we welcome** our guest organist, Elizabeth A.S. Brown. A practicing attorney, Elizabeth is also an accomplished church musician, active in the American Guild of Organists. Elizabeth and her husband Gene are active member of First Presbyterian Church of Evanston. Please give Elizabeth a warm welcome, and thank her for leading us in worship today. Pat Radosavljevic is on vacation and will be back next Sunday.

**Also assisting us in worship today** are Afua Akompong and Ken Hockenberry

**Next Sunday** is the 8th Sunday after Pentecost, and the scripture lessons are Colossians 3:1-11 and Luke 12:13-21. **You and yours** are most welcome.

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*The Community of*

## **Carter - Westminster United Presbyterian Church**

*Gathered for Worship*

*During the Season after Pentecost - 2019*

*Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 AM*



**July 28, 2019**

The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

### **Gathering in God's Name**

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Gathering of the People

Prelude “Vater Unser im Himmelreich (Our Father in Heaven)”

Greeting, Welcome, and Announcements

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

\*Call to Worship

Come, O God, and fill this space.  
Come, Holy Spirit, and fill our hearts.

Come, Lord Jesus, and lead the way.  
Teach us to worship the living God.

\*Hymn # 790 "We Gather Together"

KREMSER

Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

Holy God, hear our prayers.

Your love is constant and your grace abundant.  
Forgive us of the help we have not given,  
the hospitality we have not offered,  
the prayers we have not spoken,  
and the faithful steps we have not taken.

Forgive us, God,  
and through your forgiveness  
embolden us to be your servants  
in your reign of peace. 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: Genesis 18:20-32 (p. 14-15)  
Holy Wisdom, holy Word. - Thanks be to God

Offering of Music "The Lord's Prayer" - Congregational Song # 631

Second Lesson: Luke 11:1-13 (p. 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 # 640 "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

SWEET HOUR

Sermon "Lord, Teach Us To Pray"

Affirmation of Faith - The Apostles' Creed *(On screen)*

Sharing of Joys and Concerns - Prayers of the People

## Thanksgiving

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Offering

Offertory "Beautiful Savior"

Arr. Dale Wood

\*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 # 237 "Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

SICILIAN MARINERS

\*Invitation to Discipleship

\*Charge and Benediction

Postlude "Prelude and Fugue in E minor"  
*(You are invited to remain seated for the Postlude.)*

J.S. Bach

\*Going Forth

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

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