

Welcome to Worship on this 8th 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 and www.pcusa.org and on Facebook: Carter-Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

Assisting us in worship today are Leo Radosavljevic, John Yonan, Pat Radosavljevic, and Ken Hockenberry

Next Sunday is the 9th Sunday after Pentecost, and the scripture lessons are Isaiah 1:1. 10-20 and Luke 12:32-40

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



August 4, 2019

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering in God's Name

Gathering of the People

Prelude “Something for Thee”

Jack Goode

Greeting, Welcome, and Announcements

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

*Call to Worship

Come worship the God who creates us,
who breathes life into dust and water into the earth.

Come worship the God who challenges us,
who calls the poor blessed and makes the hungry full.

Come worship the God who calls us,
who binds us in community and beckons us to follow.

*Hymn # 788 "Now Thank We All Our God" NUN DANKET

Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

God of mercy, hear our prayer.

When your desert people cried out to you in hunger and in thirst,
you gave them bread from heaven
and brought water from the rock.

When your desperate people cry out to you in humility and in faith,
you wash us in abounding grace
and bring peace from our chaos.

Move us, O God, to deeper faith and faithful action.
Fill us, O God, with deeper love and loving trust. 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

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Hosea 11:1-4, 8-9 (p. 842-843)
Holy Wisdom, holy Word. - Thanks be to God

Offering of Music "August (from *The Seasons*)" Tchaikovsky
Leo Radosavljevic, pianist

Second Lesson: Luke 12:13-21 (p. 74)
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 # 713 "Seek Ye First" LAFFERTY

Sermon "On Being Rich"

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

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Thanksgiving

Offering

Offertory "For the Mountains Shall Depart (from *Elijah*)" Mendelssohn
Leo Radosavljevic, bass-baritone

*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.

Celebration of The Lord's Supper (*See insert*)

Sending

*Hymn (*See insert*) "Let Us with a Gladsome Mind" MONKLAND

*Invitation to Discipleship

*Charge and Benediction

Postlude "Piano Duet" Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
(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!*