ORDER OF WORSHIP

* Please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION (10:30)

PRELUDE • Largo from Concerto in D Minor - Vivaldi/Bach (10:30)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Beloved children of God, in supplication and prayer, with intercessions and with thanksgiving, we come to worship God. In hope and in humility, with joy and with concerns, we come to worship God. In faith and in uncertainty, with questions and with conviction,

let us worship God.

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

O God of our salvation, bring Your compassion to all of us gathered here this morning, that we may be restored and renewed, encouraged and enlivened, as we turn our faces toward You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

* HYMN 792 (GTG Hymnal) • There Is a Balm in Gilead

CALL TO CONFESSION

Jesus Christ gave Himself as a ransom for all who fall short of the goodness of God. Trusting in God's mercy, let us turn to God and make our confession.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we confess that we are too concerned with our own peace. We seek the comfort of silence, and ignore the cries of the oppressed. We are inwardly focused, missing Your call to serve the world in justice and love. Forgive us, O God. Equip us to fulfill Your will for a world in which all know dignity and all know love, as Your beloved children. Amen.

(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God our Judge is also our Savior. The good news is sure: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

* RESPONSE • Gloria Patri (GTG Hymnal 581)

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE • We are One in the Spirit (GTG Hymnal 300, Verse 1)

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"BACK TO BUSINESS" • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

* THE REAFFIRMATION OF FAITH - Adapted from the Presbyterian Church Brief Statement of Faith In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the One triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father. We trust in God the Holy Spirit, every where the giver and renewer of life. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC Dona Nobis Pacem - Joseph Haydn (10:30)

* OFFERTORY RESPONSE **Doxology** (GTG Hymnal 606)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

* HYMN 700 (GTG HYMNAL) • I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • Allegro from Concerto in A Minor - Vivaldi/Bach (10:30)

PASTORAL CARE

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| OFFICIATING MINISTER: | The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor |
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| LITURGIST: | Nancy Galyean (10:30) |
| MUSICIANS: | Sandra Shafer, Piano (8:15) Justin Chase, Director of Music (10:30) Carla Edwards, Organ (10:30) |
| Audio/Visual: | Carole Reece, Doug Reece, and Nelson Roe (10:30 |

WORSHIP MATTERS

ANTHEM TEXT

Sung in Latin. Give us Peace.

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WORSHIP AIDS

Assistive hearing devices are available from an audio/visual technician at the rear of the sanctuary.

8D COMMUNICATION INFORMATION 03

If you (or someone you know) are going through a difficult time, please contact us. Our Deacons and pastoral care staff are available for support, home and hospital visits, and prayer. Please contact Dr. Darren Bess at darrenb@winppc.org or 407-647-1467 x 103. For pastoral emergencies when the church office is closed, call 407-647-1467 x 112.

If you have a church event that needs to be publicized in the church bulletin, newsletter, etc., please fill out the form located at http://winppc.org/publicity-request/.

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WELCOME

We are so glad you are here to worship with us today! Worship services are also available online. Sermons can be found at <u>www.winppc.org/sermons</u>.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A congregational meeting will be held today immediately following the 10:30am service. The purpose of the meeting is to elect an Officer Nominating Committee.

A NOTE OF THANKS

"We would like to express our profound appreciation to the pastor, congregation, and staff for your condolences and support following Mary's death. Thank you for helping with the memorial service, providing music, and hosting a lovely reception." - Jay Van Hook and family

CONTINUED STUDY CLASS

Pastor Darren continues his study into the rest of The Revelation. The class meets on Mondays from 11:30am-12:30pm in room 317 and will conclude on October 17th. The class is a review of the materials covered in the recent sermon series, a survey of the remaining chapters, and an opportunity to receive the blessing God promises to those who read and hear The Revelation.

JOIN A BELL CHOIR!

Are you a Ringer? You won't know until you try it! WPPC has two handbell choirs that each need a few more ringers. The Westminster Ringers is an ensemble of experienced musicians who can read music. They prepare some challenging pieces for the Sunday services. They rehearse on Wednesday evenings at 6pm for an hour. The WPPC Ringers welcomes those who are beginning or less advanced musicians, who want a way to learn and enjoy the process of preparing music for the worship service. That group rehearses for about 45 minutes directly following the Sunday Worship service. For more information, and to volunteer for one of the ensembles, please speak to Justin Chase, Sandra Shafer, or Dana Irwin.

RELATIONSHIPS IN ACTION—SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 9:15 AM IN ROOM 301 September 25th: Spiritual Conversation with Penny Walsh

The Relationships in Action Sunday School class continues its "spiritual conversations" series with a visit from our organist Penny Walsh. Penny writes: "After 40 years in church music ministry, I can affirm that I have always felt God's guidance. There were many times that I was amazed at how things lined up. It has been interesting where and how I've landed jobs including how I ended up at WPPC. I'll tell you more about that music journey and more on Sunday, September 25th!" It will be a treat to hear Penny's story and spiritual journey.

FLOWERS

If you would like to donate flowers for the weekly worship service in honor of/in memory of someone special or of a special occasion, please pick a date and put your name on the sign-up chart located in the narthex. When you sign up, please take a form and turn it into the front office with all the information filled in.

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