

Worship for the Lord's Day

Greetings & Announcements

Refrain: God is good / *All the time* / All the time / *God is good*

Prelude – *Unshakable Faith (medley)* arranged by Marilyn Ham

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading – *Genesis 22:1–14*

Call to Worship

God calls us by name into the presence of holiness as God's holy people.

We answer this call by the grace of God through the power of the Holy Spirit in the name of God's own Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Come, let us worship God.

Hymn (on screen) – *God of Our Life*

Prayer of Confession in Response to God's Grace

O God, on lonely Mount Moriah you put your servant Abraham to the test. We confess that we have failed much lesser tests of our faith. We have allowed sin to run our lives, to shape how we act toward others, and to kill our relationship with you.

[Silent prayer.]

In your great mercy, forgive us. Change even our bodies from implements of destruction to instruments of your peace; for the sake of the Lamb of God, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Response (on screen) – *Change My Heart, Oh God* by Eddie Espinosa

Change my heart oh God, Make it ever true.

Change my heart oh God, May I be like You. (2x)

You are the potter, I am the clay,

Mold me and make me, This is what I pray.

Change my heart oh God, Make it ever true.

Change my heart oh God, May I be like You.

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Passing of the Peace:

Leader: May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: *And also with you.*

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Word in Music – Dan Smith, Pam McNeely and Kristen Phillips

Jesus, words and music by Chris Tomlin and Ed Cash

Sermon – #FAM: *The Tie that Binds*

The Rev. Matthew Camlin

Song of Praise (on screen) –

This Kingdom, words and music by Geoff Bullock

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Prayers of the People

Presentation of Offerings

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – *In Pastures Green* by Wihla Hutson

Doxology, Hymn #592

Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

Hymn (on screen) – *How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord*

Charge and Benediction

Benediction Response (on screen) –

May the Peace of the Lord Christ Go with You by P. Sutcliffe

Postlude – *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing* arranged by Jeffrey Blerch

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JUNE MISSION FOCUS: VBS Projects and the City Rescue Mission

The Mission Committee will display the American Flag for both June and July as we focus on our local mission efforts and partners.

We began in June as close to home as it gets with **NWPC Vacation Bible School** which has always had a mission element to train our young ones to have a heart for missions. One of this year's projects was the collection of canned goods or dry food items like packaged noodles for the new Blessing Box located on Market Street in front of the church yard. It is a small pantry for our community, made by one NWPC family. A sign says "*Leave what you can. Take what you need.*" These food contributions will help to keep the blessing box restocked as needed. The children also have used their artistic skills to color butterflies, symbolizing new life and hope, which will be gathered to create a butterfly garden on the church lawn.

Our second local mission for June is the **New Castle City Rescue Mission**. The City Rescue Mission of New Castle was founded in 1911 to minister to the impoverished in our community and to make disciples for the Lord. Today, the City Rescue Mission serves thousands of people each year through its Men's, Women's, Youth, and Family Care Ministries.

Over the years NWPC has participated with City Rescue Mission through our mission giving, volunteers, and pastoral care and classes. In November, people give generously with food for Thanksgiving Baskets for needy families. Throughout the year, coffee and paper products are collected.

People come to the Mission because they are hurting and hungry. They can find food at daily lunches or needed housing. Lives have been changed. Those who were hopeless find hope in Christ at the City Rescue Mission.

As the summer continues, we will continue to highlight other local mission efforts which NWPC supports. Watch right here to learn about them.



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News and Notes

The flowers this week are given with gratitude to Linda Black and those responsible for making a virtual VBS possible, and who are also keeping us connected and worshipping together via Livestream.

The Flower Calendar for June is full but there are many open dates for the remainder of the summer and into the fall. Please contact the church office via email, office@nwpresby.org, to sign up for any date important to you. The cost is \$30, and the flowers are yours to pick up and take home after worship. The back door is open on Sunday until noon, all day on Monday, or we can arrange a time. *Thank you.*

A MESSAGE FOR OUR CHILDREN: Tune into our Livestream broadcast **at 10:15am** and gather around your computer screen or television to hear one of our own storytellers share a book to help us better understand the morning message. Our story ends before the regular Livestream worship begins. Don't miss it. (<https://livestream.com/nwpresby>)

JOIN THIS STUDY SERIES on Sunday mornings from **9:30-10:15 am** via ZOOM. Rev. Brad Walters is facilitating a discussion of Walter Brueggemann's book *A Glad Obedience: Why and What We Sing*. In this helpful and engaging volume, Brueggemann discusses both why we sing and what we sing. Here are the steps to join the Zoom group by computer, phone or smartTV next Sunday:

- 1) Download the Zoom_Application.
- 2) Request a password *by Saturday* at brad.walters415@gmail.com.
- 3) Also, please indicate your preferred email address for any class communications.
- 4) Shortly before the appointed time, use the password to join the Zoom meeting.
- 5) Study and encourage one another!

If you'd prefer to listen to the lesson at a later time, you can search on YouTube under [Brad Walters NWPC](#).

Money Matters:

1. Online giving is now available. If you would like to donate, either a one-time gift or setup recurring payments, visit nwpresby.org/give. If you would like instructions on setting up the smartphone app or need additional help setting up your payments, find the Instructions link under the Give tab on nwpresby.org. Another option: email Kay Taylor at kay@nwpresby.org for more details about Bill Pay.

2. If you need assistance, or if you know of anyone in our NWPC family that does, please contact Rev. Camlin: matt@nwpresby.org or 724-747-7422.