



\*Denotes all may stand if possible

Greetings & Announcements

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

Prelude – *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* arranged by Albin C. Whitworth

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading – *Romans 8:26–39*

Gathering Prayer

\*Hymn (on screen) – *Sing Praise to God, You Heavens!*

Prayer of Confession in Response to God's Grace

*God of mystery, God of life, we imagine that we are capable judges of power and wisdom and goodness. We trust our own standards; we separate and categorize; we mark the performance of others. We fail to trust your power, hidden in all things. We fail to watch for you, working out your purposes. Gracious God, hidden and manifest, transform our withered imaginations until we yield the judgments we trust to a love we cannot control. Amen.*

\*Response (here and on screen) –

*When Peace Like a River (It is Well With My Soul)*  
by Horatio G. Spafford and Phillip P. Bliss

*When peace like a river attendeth my way  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say  
It is well, it is well with my soul.  
It is well with my soul  
It is well; it is well with my soul.*

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 – *What a Beautiful Name*

Worship Team

by Ben Fielding and Brooke Ligertwood

Sermon – *Separation Anxiety*

Rev. Matthew Lloyd Camlin

Song of Praise – *Goodness of God*

by Jenn Johnson, Ed Cash, Jason Ingram, Ben Fielding, and Brian Johnson

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (...sins...)

Presentation of Offerings

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – *In Christ There Is No East or West* arranged by Mark Hayes

**\*Doxology, Hymn #592**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

## SENDING

\*Hymn (on screen) – *When Hands Reach Out and Fingers Trace*, verses 1, 4, & 5

Postlude – *Diapason Dialogue* by Gordon Young

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Benediction Response (on screen)**

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

***May the peace of the Lord Christ go with you wherever he may send you.***

***May he guide you through the wilderness, protect you through the storm.***

***May he bring you home rejoicing at the wonders he has shown you.***

***May he bring you home rejoicing once again into our doors.***

## WORSHIP NOTES

**If you are a guest today**, we pray God will bless you through your presence with us. Please sign the pew pad, including contact information, so we may welcome you.

**Assistance for worship** is available including large print bulletins found in the bulletin racks, and personal audio receivers that provide sound amplification at the “sound booth” at the back of the sanctuary.

### **For children:**

**To protect the health of others using the nursery**, please keep your child with you if he/she has been ill in the last three days. *Thank you.*

1. **The Nursery** for babies & toddlers (infants – age 3) is located through the side doors of the sanctuary to the left of the pulpit area, Room 212. Providing childcare today are Afton Camlin and Nancy Welker.
2. Copies of the **Children’s Worship Bulletin** for ages 3-6 & 7-12 are located at the ramp door.

**Flowers today** are given with thanks to everyone who helped with Bible School by Cathy Smith.

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## TODAY’S MISSION FOCUS: INDIA

The flag of India is displayed today in honor of our friends Chris & Ruth Vaz. We first had the privilege of getting to know them through the “World Christian Partnership” project, the zoom Bible Study on the Book of the Ephesians which included an in-person visit this past March. Most recently they returned to NWPC for our three July Ice Cream Conversations and stayed to participate in the New Wilmington Mission Conference. A brochure about Ruth & Chris Vaz, their Bible translation work and their ministry among the Madia Gond tribe of central India is being distributed this morning.

# CHURCH CALENDAR

## SUNDAY, July 30, 2023 –

- 9am Men's Bible Class discussing Romans, outside - bring a chair!  
9:30am New Adult series, *Taste and See: Discovering God among Butchers, Bakers and Fresh Food Makers*, Lillian Martin Room  
10:30am WORSHIP at New Wilmington Presbyterian Church or via LiveStream (livestream.com/nwpresby or Titan radio, at 88.9 FM)

## TUESDAY, 7-31

- 7pm AA Meeting, Room 214

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2023

- 7pm Trustees Meeting, Balcony Room 309

## THURSDAY, 8-2

- 7:15pm Worship Team Rehearsal, sanctuary

## SUNDAY, August 6, 2023 - Communion

- 9am Men's Bible Class discussing Romans, outside - bring a chair!  
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10:30am WORSHIP at New Wilmington Presbyterian Church or via LiveStream (livestream.com/nwpresby) or Titan radio, at 88.9 FM

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**New Wilmington Kiwanis** is collecting books for their used book sale on August 10, 11 & 12 at Neshannock Presbyterian Church. Books may be dropped off at Neshannock Presbyterian Church, Monday-Friday, 9am-1pm. See their pastor or secretary first. All books and DVDs are welcome. Please, NO textbooks or encyclopedias. *Thank you for your help.*

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