

# Worship for the Lord's Day

\* Denotes all may stand if possible

## Greetings & Announcements

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

Prelude – *Joyful Contemplation* by Dan R. Edwards

Carillon Handbell Choir

## Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading – *John 10:22 - 30*

## Gathering Prayer

\*Hymn (on screen) – *You, Lord, Are Both Lamb and Shepherd*

A Unison Prayer of Confession in Response to God's Grace (here and on screen):

*Holy God, we confess that we have strayed from your paths of right relationship and peace, and we have dishonored you, ourselves, and your creation; we repent of these hurtful ways. Forgive us, we pray, as we learn to forgive others, and guide our feet into the way of peace. Amen.*

\*Response (here and on screen) – *Awesome God* by Rich Mullins

*Our God is an awesome God  
He reigns from heaven above  
With wisdom, power, and love  
Our God is an awesome God  
2x  
Our God is an awesome God*

## \*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 – *Followers of the Lamb* arranged by Earlene Rentz

Chancel Choir

Oh, sisters, ain't you happy, ye followers of the Lamb.

**Sing on, dance on, followers of Emmanuel, sing on, dance one, ye followers of the Lamb.**

O brethren, ain't you happy, ye followers of the Lamb!

I'm glad I am a Seeker, a follower of the Lamb.

*(Children are welcome to join Children's Church at this time - Room 213)*

Sermon – *Oneing*

Rev. Dr. Matthew L. Camlin

\*Song of Praise (on screen) – *Living Hope* by Phil Wickham and Brian Johnson

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

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

Response to Grace

Tawnee Hunter

Celebration of God's Generosity

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – *Andante Religioso* by Henry Smith

\*Doxology, Hymn #592

\*Prayer of Dedication

## SENDING

\*Hymn (on screen) -- *Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us*

Postlude – *Where He Leads Me* arranged by Cindy Berry

Charge and Benediction

\*Benediction Response (on screen)

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

*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

May 11, 2025

**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:** large print bulletins are in the bulletin racks; personal audio receivers providing sound amplification are at the “sound booth” at the back of the sanctuary.

## For children:

1. **The Nursery** (infants – age 3) is located through the side doors of the sanctuary to the left of the pulpit area, Room 212. Alasdair Camlin and an adult volunteer will be in the nursery.
2. Families of **4 to 6-year-old children** are welcome to use Room 215, next to the NWPC Preschool classroom, during the service. A parent/guardian must be present at all times. Please feel free to use the toys, games and art supplies in the labeled cupboards. Kindly return everything at the end of the service.
3. **Doodle boards for kids of all ages** to use during the service are located on either side of the transept. Children and/or parents can choose an activity page plus there is a small snack and occasional surprise inside to occupy small hands during the service. We cherish our youth and hope this is one more way that they feel at home amongst their church family.
4. **Children's Church** (ages 4 years – grade four), meets in Room 213 during the middle part of the adult worship service.

**The flowers** are given in honor of Jill Mohr's dedicated service to the church preschool as Teacher Assistant. *Thank you, Jill! Happy Retirement.*

## Daily Lectionary Readings for This Week:

<b>Monday:</b>	Psalm 100; Ezekiel 37:15-28; Revelation 15:1-4
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Psalm 100; Ezekiel 45:1-9; Acts 9:32-35
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Psalm 100; Jeremiah 50:17-20; John 10:31-42
<b>Thursday:</b>	Psalm 148; Ezekiel 2:8-3:11; Revelation 10:1-11
<b>Friday:</b>	Psalm 148; Daniel 7:13-14; Revelation 11:15
<b>Saturday:</b>	Psalm 148; Daniel 7:27; Revelation 11:16-19



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# CHURCH CALENDAR

## SUNDAY, May 11, 2025 – MOTHER'S DAY

9am Men's Bible Class, Lillian Martin Room  
9:20am SALT via Zoom: *How We Learn to Be Brave* by Bishop Marianne Budde  
Contact Jim Hines for a link, [jhines55@hotmail.com](mailto:jhines55@hotmail.com)  
9:30am last Children's Sunday School Classes for the Spring semester  
9:30am "Different Brews \* Different Views", Youth Lounge  
10:30am WORSHIP: here at New Wilmington Presbyterian Church, or via  
LiveStream at [vimeo.com/nwpresby](https://vimeo.com/nwpresby) or Titan radio, at 88.9 FM  
6pm SHYG, Youth Lounge

## MONDAY, 5-12, SHYG Pizza Fundraiser – find coupons at each door!

2pm SOG Alzheimer Support Group, Room 214  
6pm Generosity Steering Committee, Room 206  
6pm Mission Committee, Library

## TUESDAY, 5-13

9:30am Staff Meeting, Room 206  
5:30pm Joybells Handbell Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
6pm JHYG, Youth Lounge  
6:15pm First Fellowship Night to start the 2025 Softball season (*See insert.*)  
7pm Carillon Handbell Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
7pm AA Meeting, Room 214

## WEDNESDAY, 5-14

6:30pm Reconciliation Steering Committee Meeting, Ligo Room  
6:30pm Trustees Meeting, Room 214

## THURSDAY, 5-15

6:15pm Softball: NWPC vs Genesis, Mangino Field (227 S. Liberty St., New Castle)  
7:15pm Worship Team Rehearsal, Sanctuary

## FRIDAY, 5-16

## SATURDAY, 5-17

9am Adult Saturday Bible Study, Church Library  
9am Seed to Feed Garden Planting (*See announcement.*)

## **COMMUNITY CORNER:**

**5K Run & Walk for Life:** Promise of Life Network on May 17<sup>th</sup> at Grove City  
Partner with us by gathering sponsors or sponsoring a walker/runner. Memorial Park  
as we Run & Walk for Life! Afterward there will be food and games for all to enjoy!

## SUNDAY, May 18, 2025

9am Men's Bible Class, Lillian Martin Room  
9:20am SALT via Zoom: *How We Learn to Be Brave* by Bishop Marianne Budde  
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9:30am "Different Brews \* Different Views", Youth Lounge  
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11:30 Seed to Feed Garden Picnic, Social Hall (*See announcement.*)  
6pm SHYG, Youth Lounge

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SALT** has begun conversation based on the book *How We Learn to Be Brave*, by Bishop Marianne Budde. Bishop Budde, who implored Donald Trump to "have mercy," explores the full range of decisive moments, from the most visible and dramatic, to the internal and personal, to brave choices made with an eye toward the future, those born of suffering, and those that come unexpectedly. Drawing on examples ranging from Harry Potter to the Gospel According to Luke, she seamlessly weaves together personal experiences with stories from scripture, history, and pop culture to underscore both the universality of these moments and the call each one of us must heed when they arrive. SALT convenes via Zoom at 9:20am. Contact Jim Hines for a link, [jhines55@hotmail.com](mailto:jhines55@hotmail.com).

## **SEED TO FEED GARDEN:**

**Planting Date** is Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, weather permitting, with Saturday, May 24<sup>th</sup> as the rain date. The Children's Garden will also receive some "TLC". **The Kick Off Picnic** will be in the Social Hall on Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup> following worship. Pulled pork and sloppy joes are the main course. If you are able, please bring a side dish, salad or dessert to share! **If you are interested in helping** – in harvesting, delivering, baking or cooking, please contact Kim Romig, [kim@nwpresby.org](mailto:kim@nwpresby.org), as your help is needed.

**Attention 2025 graduates / parents of graduates:** If you or your son/daughter has received *a post high school degree*, please inform the church office using [office@nwpresby.org](mailto:office@nwpresby.org) by May 27<sup>th</sup>. Provide student's name, degree, major, and school or university attended. *Thank you.*



## May Mission Flag Focus: Dominican Republic

(Updated May 2025)



In 1996, Rev. Bill McCoy, then pastor of NWPC, and Jill Jack, a member of Session, travelled with Rev. Doug Pride, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Clearfield, PA along with several members from that church on a fact-finding trip to Sabaneta de Yásica in the Dominican Republic. Their goal was to establish a partnership with the Evangelical Dominican Church in that village, under the leadership of Pastor Manual Angel Cancú. The idea was for the church folks to work with the Dominican congregation as they shared the news of Jesus Christ with the people of Sabaneta de Yásica. This mission partnership has focused on three areas:

1. Education: Partner congregations provide financial assistance students to help reduce the cost of their education. These students have mostly attended the Christian school in Sabaneta de Yásica, but many have continued to pursue college degrees. During our annual mission trip, group members lead Bible School and also work with our Dominican partners to organize the scholarship program for the coming year.
2. Construction: The construction group has built a church, a three-story school building, and several chapels throughout the area. More recently, our group has helped with the repair of houses and the installation of cement floors in homes with dirt floors, while our partners have been busy raising the church building above the floodplain.
3. Medicine: Each year our mission team brings suitcases full of medicine and medical equipment to Sabaneta de Yásica. Our medical team of doctors, therapists, pharmacists, and other specialists make use of these supplies in clinics and home visits while we are in the DR, while our Dominican partners are able to work with local doctors to distribute this medicine over the course of the rest of the year.

We work annually with our Dominican friends and they look forward to the arrival of “the missionaries” who come for a week each spring. The impact of the financial support our congregations have been able to provide is enormous. We have funded the education of doctors (at least two from the church there have become medical doctors), many teachers for both the Christian and government schools, and many other professionals in a vital church whose ministry in the community is a light in the world for Jesus Christ.

# You're invited to join the



**NWPC**  
**Softball**

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## As a player **TEAM** or a fan!

Season runs mid-May thru July.  
Games are Tuesday and Thursday evenings  
6PM @ COG (West Middlesex)

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Please call or text  
**Coach Janine Stuart 412-478-9542 or Coach Doug Phillips 724-372-4180**  
to share your interest & get details!

**The season begins with the first Fellowship Night  
on Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>.**