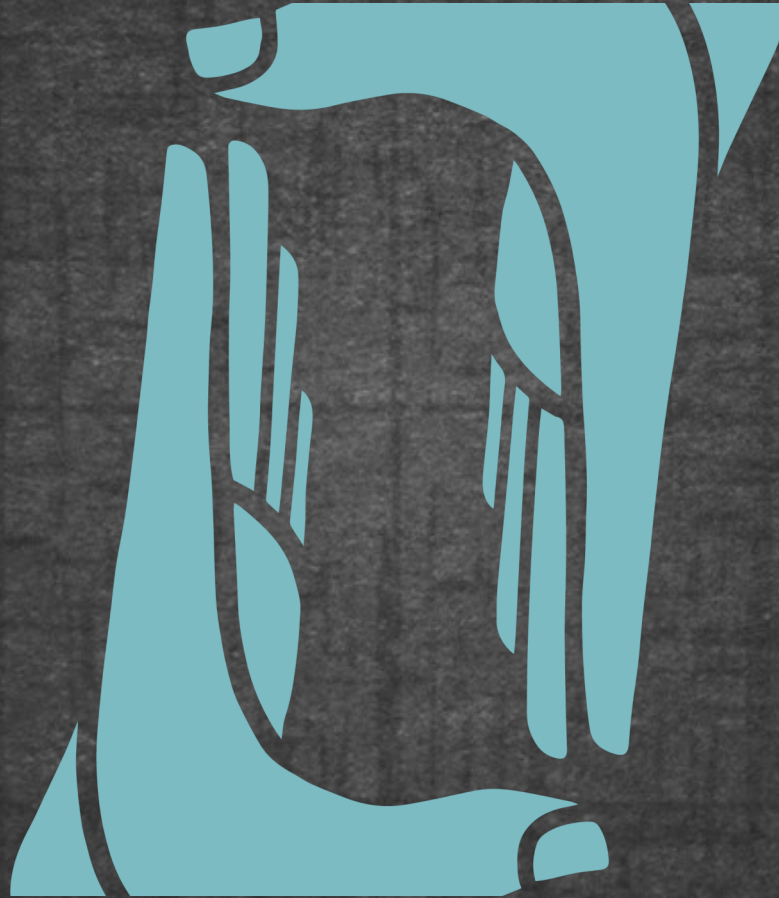




# Welcome to Worship



March 16, 2025

The mission of Westminster Presbyterian Church:  
*Creatively sharing Christ's love; we welcome, we serve, we grow.*

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PRELUDE

Ariana Recher

WELCOME

Pastor Kelly Wadsworth

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bill Faust, Worship Assistant

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Outreach for Social Justice

\*SONG

**Dry Bones**

Worship Team

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Worship Assistant

\*SONG

**Let Us Be Known**

Worship Team

SUNDAY SCHOOL DISMISSAL

Worship Assistant

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Worship Assistant

**God of Grace, we long to do the "right" thing. We long to make the "right" choice. We long to stand on the "right" side of the dividing line. In our earnestness, we sometimes miss the sacred right in front of us. In our earnestness, we sometimes miss opportunities to show love. Show us how to hold our heart's desire for perfection loosely. Show us how to lead with grace and love, over anything else. Even more than our desire to be right, we desire to be close to you. Show us the way. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (SUNG)

**Breathe**

Worship Team

SPECIAL MUSIC

What Wondrous Love

Chancel Choir

BAPTISM & NEW MEMBERS

Pastor Kelly Wadsworth

SCRIPTURE

**Luke 13:1-9, 31-35**

Worship Assistant

SERMON

Pastor Kelly Wadsworth

SONG

**Change My Heart, O God**

Hymnal #695

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Deacons and Pastor Kelly Wadsworth

COMMUNAL PRAYER

Worship Assistant

**Guide us, Lord, to find the wisdom to both sit at your feet like Mary, absorbing your teachings with open hearts, and to actively serve others with the zeal of Martha, tending to their needs with love and compassion. Help us to discern when to be still and listen to your voice, and when to step into action, always seeking to do your will in all that we do. May we embrace the gifts you have given us, using them to build up your kingdom, just as Mary and Martha did in their own unique ways. Amen.**

OFFERING

Worship Assistant

\*DOXOLOGY

**Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me**

Hymnal #582

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Worship Assistant

Dear God, use these gifts, and our lives, to feed and nourish, spreading your love where it is most needed.

\*HYMN

**God Be With You Til We Meet Again**

Hymnal #542

\*BENEDICTION

Pastor Kelly Wadsworth

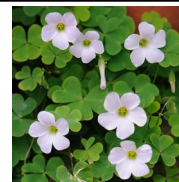
POSTLUDE

Ariana Recher

\*Stand as you are able

Recite words in bold together

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are provided today by Susan Tanabe in joyful recognition of St. Patrick's Day!



#### Core Office Ministries:

- **Hours:** 10a-2pm Monday-Thursday; **Email:** [office@saalemwestpres.org](mailto:office@saalemwestpres.org); **Phone/voicemail:** 503-364-3327
- **Weekly newsletter:** Submissions due Wednesdays @ 12pm; published Fridays. (The office will be able to publish announcements that are submitted in full. During this time, please refrain from forwarding articles needing formatting, PDFs that need extraction, and the like.)
- **Building calendar:** Contact the office for reservations; take a look here: [Westminster Presbyterian Church | Calendar](#)

#### FAQs

##### How do I worship online?

Go directly to the Westminster YouTube page under "Live" [Westminster Presbyterian Church - YouTube](#)

##### How do I receive weekly updates?

Join the email list through the Sign Up button on the webpage [Westminster Presbyterian Church: Mailing List Signup](#) or send your contact information to the office, [office@saalemwestpres.org](mailto:office@saalemwestpres.org).

##### I have a prayer request?

Westminster's Deacons are prayer warriors extraordinaire: [westpresdeacons@googlegroups.com](mailto:westpresdeacons@googlegroups.com)

##### How do I contact a specific ministry?

Westminster has 6 core ministry areas: Worship & Music; Community Life; Building Operations; Next Generation; Administrative Ministry; & Outward Mission. Leadership for each can be found at [saalemwestpres.org](http://saalemwestpres.org) - About Us: Community Bulletin Board. [Committee Bulletin Board](#) | [Westpreschurch](#)

##### How do I contact the elders or deacons?

Sandy McLean is the clerk of Session, [clerk@saalemwestpres.org](mailto:clerk@saalemwestpres.org), and Dianne Greenlee is the head



saalemwestpres.org

Please join us in praying for the family of Alicia Bonesteele, who passed away recently.



Scan the QR code to give online. All gifts are received with gratitude!

If you would like to provide flowers for worship, please sign up in the narthex.

*Teal colored attendance pads are at the center aisle of your row. Please fill the form out and pass the pad down the row, returning it to the center when done. Leave completed sheets on your seat as you leave.*