#### Thank you for worshiping at Westminster Church

#### Children

Supervised care for children under 3 years old is available in the nursery which is located in the Little Lambs room (on the 2nd floor, next to the Sunday School). If your children become restless during today's service, please feel free to use the crying room, where the service is received through closed-circuit television.

An usher will be pleased to direct you to either location.

#### **Hearing Assistance**

Sennheiser headsets are available in the entrance lobby. Please ask an usher if you wish to use one.

#### **Electronic Devices**

Thank you for turning all electronic devices off or to mute during the service.

#### **Washrooms**

The entrance lobby has two washrooms, which are wheelchair accessible and have change tables for infants.

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#### **Office Hours**

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#### Westminster Church

## "We love because God loved us first" 1 John 4:19

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#### We Are All Members of the Body of Christ!

1 Corinthians 12:27

If you're looking for a way to get involved at Westminster Church, we'd love to hear from you!

Please contact us at getinvolved@westminsterchurch.org or talk to one of the ministers.

Choir
Small Groups
Bell Tower Community Garden
Bell Tower Community Cafe
Sunday School, Youth
Book Club
Annual Kids Christmas Sale

Committees (budget and management, communications, fellowship, finance, fundraising, membership and pastoral care, ministry and personnel, outreach, presbytery, property, worship)

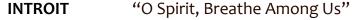
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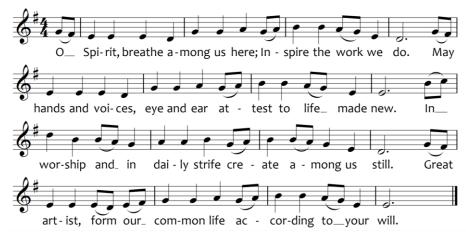
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Sunday, November 23, 2014 Reign of Christ 10:30 a.m. Nathan Poole is today's Lay Liturgist.

Our service begins with the Prelude, inviting us to prepare for worship.

#### **ORGAN PRELUDE**





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#### GREETING

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

#### WORD OF WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness, come into God's presence with singing!

Know this! The Lord is God.

Know this! We belong to the Lord who made us. Know this! We are God's people, and the sheep of God's pasture.

So, enter God's gates with thanksgiving,

Come into the holy courts with praise.

Give thanks to God and bless God's holy name.

For the Lord is good;

God's steadfast love endures forever,

God's faithfulness is for all generations.

**HYMN** "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

VU 211

#### PRAYER OF APPROACH

#### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

O God of our salvation, you bless us with abundant grace, but often we are unwilling to let our lives be governed by the love which reigns through Christ from his cross. Though it is your nature to forgive, we bear grudges against our neighbour.

While Christ blesses the poor, we hold tightly to our possessions.

In him you have spoken peace, yet we live in turmoil.

In him you have redeemed the creation, yet we care not enough for this world.

In your mercy forgive us, and help us to amend our ways.

We ask it in the name of the One you have sent to be our Way, our Truth, and our Life. Amen.

Moment of silence for personal confession.

Leader: Lord, have mercy.

People: Christ, have mercy.

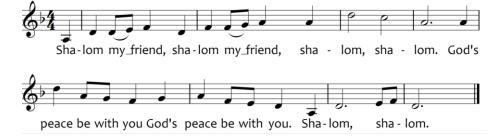
Lord, have mercy.

#### WORDS OF ASSURANCE

**ANTHEM** "When in Our Music" by Austin C. Lovelace

#### **COMMUNITY TIME**

At the end of the community time, the congregation sings



**SCRIPTURE READING** Matthew 25:31-46 NRSV, p.29 read by Lynn E. Soens

At the conclusion of the reading ...

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

**HYMN** "One More Step Along the World I Go" VU 639

**SERMON** "Where Is Jesus?" given by Robert Campbell

**PSALM** Psalm 100, PfAS 100B, read responsively. p.630

#### **WESTMINSTER NEWS**

#### WESTMINSTER HOUSING SOCIETY NEWS

given by Charles Huband

#### THE PEACE

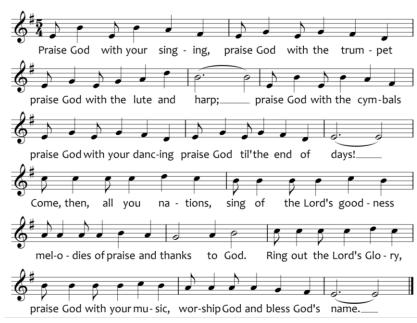
Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

#### **COLLECTION OF OFFERINGS AND OFFERTORY**

After the offering is introduced, an offertory will be played by the organist and the collection taken. Thank you for your gift, whether given today or through other means of supporting ministry at Westminster Church.

#### OFFERING DEDICATION



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#### PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Spoken

**HYMN** "Rejoice, the Lord is King"

VU 213

#### **SENDING FORTH AND BENEDICTION**



#### ORGAN POSTLUDE AND HYMNS ON THE CARILLONIC BELLS

If departing before the end of the postlude, please do so quietly for the benefit of those remaining to enjoy the music.