

Coming Soon....

For our Visitors

Did you know that we have Godly Play / Children's Church available for children age 3 through 3rd Grade, during Worship Service? Children are welcome to attend after the "Time with Children" in the Worship Service. We also have a Nursery available for children under age 3.

WRPC Walking Group



Every Tuesday, weather permitting! We will gather at 9:00 am at the Netherland Inn Road entrance. If there is a change in plans, we will send out an email to let you know where we will be walking.

Nominating Committee



The Nominating Committee is asking for you to please pray for us as we seek candidates for our Session. The Session is the governing body of Waverly Road Presbyterian Church and its decisions are necessary and important to keep our church running smoothly. Filling these positions could be a challenging task, especially after the Pandemic.

The positions we seek to fill are elders for the following five committees: Stewardship, Personnel, Children and Youth Ministry, Mission, and Congregational Care.

SMILE for November



NOVEMBER is the month for donating gently used pajamas (all sizes) and NEW Christmas Stocking Stuffers. Thanks for your support!



Indoor Fundraising Yard Sale for SMILE

Saturday, November 19, 8:00am – 2:00pm, Fellowship Hall
If you have items you would like to donate for the sale you can bring them on Friday, November 18 and leave them in the Fellowship Hall. These items do not have to be clothing. It can be housewares, decor, or anything else you have laying about that you no longer need. Thank you!



WRPC Weekly Calendar

Sunday 11/13	9:45am In-Person Sunday School, Preschool through Grade 12 11:00am Sunday Worship Service (Godly Play Children's Church in Room 102)
Tuesday 11/15	9:00am Walking Group, Meet at Netherland Inn Road Entrance 10:30am Memorial Service for Jackie Britton, Asbury Place 6:00pm Has Beens Practice, FH 7:00pm Personnel Committee, Library
Wednesday 11/16	1:00pm ZOOM Bible Study 6:00pm Handbell Practice 7:00pm Chancel Choir Practice
Friday 11/18	10:00am Food Pantry, FH
Saturday 11/19	8:00am SMILE Indoor Fundraiser Yard Sale, FH

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Waverly Road Presbyterian Church

Love God Love Others Make Disciples

Service of Worship

November 13, 2022, 11:00 am

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Welcome to our Visitors

This church welcomes all who come within its walls or within its influence. Whatever the reason for you being here today, we hope that you find light, peace, direction and friendship.

If you would like more information about Waverly Road Presbyterian or if you are interested in becoming a member, you can fill out one of the yellow cards placed behind the pews, contact our minister at 423.247.5121, or visit our website at www.waverlyroadpc.org.

Please note the following details concerning the bulletin format:

*When you see **bold italics**, we all read aloud together.*

*An * invites those who are able to stand.*

TIME OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE “All Things Bright and Beautiful” arr. J.B. Taylor

GATHERING PRAYER

Karen Carman

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

(Based on Psalm 98)

We give thanks to you, God,
For you have done marvelous things.
Let the waters clap their hands.
Let the trees dance.
Let the birds sing for joy.
May we remember together,
Today and every day,
That you have done marvelous things.

***HYMN 738** “O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee”

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, we have fallen short. We have harbored hate. We have celebrated the pain of others. We have chosen what is easy instead of what we know is right. Empower us that we may not grow weary. Teach us that we may know what is right. We silently name our failures and lay them at your feet now.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Beloved, we do not have to be perfect. Christ’s love and God’s grace covers us. All God asks is that we love the Lord. This love changes us. It defines us. In Jesus Christ, know that you are forgiven, and your slate is wiped clean.
Thanks be to God!

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Suzanne Huron

Children ages 3 years - 5th grade may now be dismissed to attend Godly Play (Children’s Church) in Room 102.

ANTHEM

“Create in Me a Clean Heart” Victor C. Johnson

*Create in me a clean heart, O God;
and renew a right spirit within me
Cast me not away from Thy presence, O Lord,
and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation;
and uphold me with Thy Spirit, O Lord.*

SCRIPTURES

Luke 21:5-19 & 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

SERMON

“Getting to Work” Rev. Collin Adams

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

(From The Confession of 1967)

The life, death, resurrection, and promised coming of Jesus Christ has set the pattern for the church’s mission. His life as man involves the church in the common life of men. His service to men commits the church to work for every form of human well-being. His suffering makes the church sensitive to all the sufferings of mankind so that it sees the face of Christ in the faces of men in every kind of need. His crucifixion discloses to the church God’s judgment on man’s inhumanity to man and the awful consequences of its own complicity to injustice. In the power of the risen Christ and the hope of his coming, the church sees the promise of God’s renewal of man’s life in society and of God’s victory over all wrong.

PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. AMEN

MISSION MOMENT

Susan Lodal

OFFERTORY

“O God Beyond All Praising”
Gustav Holst arr. Mark Hayes

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*Holy God, we give you these gifts. May they work in the hearts of those who give and those who receive them.
AMEN*

*HYMN 353

“My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”

*BENEDICTION & CHORAL BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

“Blessed Assurance” arr. Patti Drennan

738 O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

1 O Mas - ter, let me walk with thee
 2 Help me the slow of heart to move
 3 Teach me thy pa - tience, still with thee
 4 In hope that sends a shin - ing ray

in low - ly paths of ser - vice free;
 by some clear, win - ning word of love;
 in clos - er, dear - er com - pa - ny,
 far down the fu - ture's broad - ening way;

tell me thy se - cret; help me bear the
 teach me the way - ward feet to stay, and
 in work that keeps faith sweet and strong, in
 in peace that on - ly thou canst give, with

strain of toil, the fret of care.
 guide them in the home - ward way.
 trust that tri - umphs o - ver wrong.
 thee, O Mas - ter, let me live.

In honestly admitting the limits of human ability, this prayerful hymn does not seek a sense of God's presence for self-comfort but for strength and companionship in pursuing the tasks that God sets before us. The author specifically chose this tune to accompany his words.

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less 353

1 My hope is built on noth-ing less than Je-sus' blood and
 2 When dark-ness seems to hide his face, I rest on his un-
 3 His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood sup - port me in the
 4 When he shall come with trum-pet sound, O may I then in

righ - teous-ness; I dare not trust the sweet-est frame, but
 chang - ing grace; in ev - ery high and storm - y gale, my
 whelm-ing flood; when all a - round my soul gives way, he
 him be found, dressed in his righ - teous - ness a - lone, fault -

Refrain

whol-ly lean on Je - sus' name.
 an - chor holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id Rock, I stand; all
 then is all my hope and stay.
 less to stand be - fore the throne.

oth-er ground is sink-ing sand; all oth-er ground is sink-ing sand.

This hymn develops the imagery of Jesus' remark (Matthew 7:24–27/Luke 6:47–49) that those who believe in him and act on that belief are like someone who builds a house on a rock. The text is set to a tune created for it by a prolific 19th-century American composer and editor.