



# Westminster Presbyterian Church

## Email Newsletter for May 24 - 30, 2010

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### This Week at Westminster

#### Monday, May 24

5:30 p.m. Men's Recreational  
Basketball

7:30 p.m. Men's Softball Game

#### Wednesday, May 26

11:30 a.m. Staff Meeting

6:15 p.m. [ChristCare](#) Parenting  
Group

6:30 p.m. [ChristCare](#) SEA Group

6:30 p.m. [Senior Highs](#)

#### Thursday, May 27

5:30 p.m. [Stephen Ministry](#) Meal

6:00 p.m. [Stephen Ministry](#) Leaders

6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministers

#### Sunday, May 30

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

### Dear Wendy,

Let the summer begin! Last Sunday, we began our Summer worship schedule. One 10:00 a.m. service (followed by Krispy Kreme donuts) gives our 9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. "congregations" a wonderful opportunity to worship and fellowship together.

Yet, this change in schedule does not signify a lull in the church calendar. Forty-eight senior high youth and advisors will be travelling to the Dominican Republic to help pour concrete, paint, and teach Vacation Bible School. Our middle school youth will participate in local mission work from July 12-16. Vacation Bible School runs from June 20 to June 24. Our summer fun days for elementary children are July 7, July 14, July 21, July 28 and August 4. New member and baptism classes and planning for the fall will all proceed at their usual pace.

This summer we invite you to participate in various church activities and when in town to make a real effort to be in worship. Plus, I hear that if you sit near the front of the sanctuary, you can be first in line for the donuts.

*Ludwig Weaver*

### Readings from Church Music Sunday

There have been numerous requests for the source of texts used during Church Music Sunday worship services. All readings were taken from "Joyful Choir," one chapter in a book by Susan Palo Cherwien, which is highlighted in the [Library Resource](#) below.

### Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School is a wonderful week for rising K4-6th graders. The children learn about God's Word and share God's love through songs, storytelling, games, crafts, science activities, and field trips (5th and 6th graders). This year, VBS will be June 21-24 with a kickoff dinner on Sunday, June 20. [CLICK HERE](#) to register.

If you are able to serve as a teacher, leader, or helper, contact [Janet Schultz](#) or [Stephanie Morgan](#). If you have any questions, contact [Elizabeth Clark](#).



## Newsletter Deadline

If you have an announcement for the Monday, May 31 newsletter, submissions are due in to [Wendy Waldrop](#) on or before Tuesday, May 25.

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## Youth

### Junior Highs and Sixers

If you are completing the 5th grade this year, you will be an official member of the Sixers/Junior High group this summer. Our first summer activity will be lunch and a movie on Thursday, June 10. Watch *The Harbinger* for additional information.

### Senior Highs

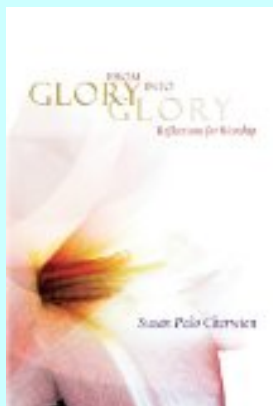
The Senior High girls will be getting together for their last breakfast of the school year on Wednesday, May 26, at 9:15 a.m. The guys' last breakfast will be on Friday, May 28, at 9:15 a.m. Our last Wednesday Senior High meeting will be on May 26 at 7:00 p.m. Beginning Tuesday, June 8, we will get together most Tuesdays for lunch, Bible study, and gym time from 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

If you are going on the upcoming Dominican Republic mission trip and have not received your packet, contact [Steve Phillips](#). On Sunday, June 13, we will be commissioned for our trip during the worship service. Please make plans to be there.

## Westminster Presbyterian Church Featured

The Presbyterian Association of Musicians website is currently highlighting Westminster as a featured congregation. A banner across the top of the homepage includes pictures from our sanctuary and links users directly to our website. [Check out](#) how other people see our church on their computers!

## Library Resource



### *From Glory into Glory: Reflections for Worship* by

Susan Palo Cherwien.

Readings from the chapter "Joyful Choir" were used during Church Music Sunday worship services at WPC on Sunday, May 16, 2010.

"...these short meditations were originally written to be read aloud in hymn festivals, a form of worship in which the singing of specifically chosen hymns is juxtaposed with readings related to the hymn texts. I have always attempted to compose these reflections in such a way that we who then sing the hymns will see their words and hear their truths in a new way." - Susan Cherwien

The [WPC Library Catalog's](#) description contains a link to a PDF with selected text from the book and a complete table of contents.

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