

## GATHERING

Voluntary: Meditation.....Maurice Duruflé

Welcome.....Carol Cavin-Dillon

*Please take a moment to record your attendance in the registration pad found near the center aisle, pass it to your neighbor, and then pass the pad back to the center. First-time guests are encouraged to list your address and telephone number or e-mail address so we may share additional information about our church with you.*

Introit: Christ We Do All Adore Thee.....Theodore Dubois  
Christ we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever.  
For on the holy cross thou hast the world from sin redeemed.

† Processional Hymn No. 60.....Old 113<sup>th</sup>  
I'll Praise My Maker While I've Breath

† Call to Worship.....Brandon Baxter  
Liturgist: *Light of the World, you are present with us.*  
People: **The heavens and earth are full of God's glory.**  
Liturgist: *Light of the World, as sure as the dawn is your faithfulness.*  
People: **Spirit of Light, illuminate what is dim within us.**  
Liturgist: *Light of the World, may we be bearers of your love.*  
People: **Shine in us, that we may be your light to all we meet.**

† Call to Confession

† Prayer of Confession (*in unison*)  
**Gracious God,**  
**you have called us to be salt and light for your world.**  
**Yet, when doubts, fears, and discouragements invade us,**  
**we lose our saltiness and we hide our light.**  
**We see great need in the world,**  
**but we confess our distrust**  
**that anything we could offer might make a difference.**  
**We cut ourselves off from the privilege of service,**  
**the joy of participation with Christ,**  
**and the wonder of experiencing what you will do through us.**  
**Forgive us, we pray.**  
**Amen.**

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

Liturgist: *Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven!*

People: **In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven!**  
All: **Glory to God. Amen.**

† Passing of the Peace

Liturgist: *As a forgiven and reconciled people, let us exchange signs of reconciliation and love. The peace of Christ be with you.*

People: **And also with you.**

† Gloria Patri.....No. 71  
**Glory be to the Father**  
**and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;**  
**as it was in the beginning,**  
**is now, and ever shall be,**  
**world without end. Amen. Amen.**

Anthem: Sing for Joy.....Lois Young

Sing for joy, dance for joy, God loves us.  
All day long, all night long, God loves us.

The Sacrament of Baptism

Renunciation of Sin and Profession of Faith

Liturgist: *Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include this child now before you in your care?*

People: **With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround this child with a community of love and forgiveness, that he may grow in service to others. We will pray for him to be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.**

Thanksgiving Over the Water

Commendation and Welcome

† Liturgist: *Members of the household of God, I commend William Spencer to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase his faith, confirm his hope, and perfect him in love.*

† People: **We give thanks for all that God has already given you, William Spencer, and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant to participate faithfully in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.**

† Musical Response.....No. 611, st. 1  
**Child of blessing, child of promise,**  
**baptized with the Spirit's sign:**  
**with this water God has sealed you**  
**unto love and grace divine.**

## PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Prayer for Illumination.....Hilde Medovich

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit,**  
**that as the Scriptures are read and the Word proclaimed, we may**  
**hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

A lesson from the New Testament: Matthew 5:13-20.....(pew Bible, page 786)

Response to the Lesson

Liturgist: *The Word of God for the people of God.*  
People: **Thanks be to God.**

† Hymn No. 2237 TFWS: As a Fire Is Meant for Burning.....Beach Spring  
*The children are invited to join Carol at the chancel during the last stanza of the hymn for the Children's Moment.*

Sermon: Salt and Light.....Carol Cavin-Dillon

† Affirmation of Faith.....No. 883

Joys & Concerns of the Church.....Nancy Parker

Salutation

Liturgist: *The Lord be with you.*  
People: **And also with you.**  
Liturgist: *Let us pray.*

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (*in unison*)

**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 trespasses,**  
**as we forgive those who trespass against us.**  
**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**  
**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.**  
**Amen.**

Offertory: The Heavens are Telling (from Creation).....F. J. Haydn  
The heavens are telling the glory of God. The wonder of his work displays the firmament. Today that is coming speaks it the day. The night that is gone to following night. In all the lands resounds the word, never unperceived, ever understood. (*based on Psalm 19:1-3*)

† Doxology.....No. 95

## SENDING FORTH

† Recessional Hymn No. 422: Jesus, Thine All-Victorious Love.....Azmon

† Benediction

† Benediction Response: God Be With You Till We Meet Again (all sing)  
**God Be with you till we meet again, loving counsels guide, uphold you,**  
**With his sheep securely fold you, God be with you till we meet again.**

Voluntary: Prelude and Fugue in F.....Vincent Lübeck  
*The postlude is the final Alleluia of our worship.*  
*All are invited to remain for a time of joyful prayer.*

† *The congregation is invited rise in body or in spirit.*

*Livestream and video recording happen during our church services and worship events.*

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The altar flowers today are given in loving memory of Fred Helfer  
by his wife, Judy, and their three children.

A rose on the table celebrates the birth of Charles Baker "Charlie" Morrison  
on January 31 to Sara and Mark Morrison and big brother, Roscoe.

William Spencer Wright, son of Justin John Wright and Laura Hilliard Wright,  
is presented for baptism today.



Everyone is welcome at West End! We seek to be the loving light of Christ in Nashville and beyond. We gather as the people of God with a wide range of religious backgrounds, education levels, political and theological perspectives, and we value that diversity. We welcome and celebrate the gifts God has given to all without regard to gender, race, sexual orientation, economic or family status, ethnicity, or mental or physical ability.  
We believe God loves everyone unconditionally!

**Sunday Activities**

- Service Times.....8:45 and 11 a.m.
- Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
- Youth Choir Rehearsal.....12:15 - 1 p.m.
- Adult Handbells.....1:30 - 2:30 p.m.
- Youth Handbell Rehearsals.....4:15 - 5:00 p.m.
- Youth Small Groups.....5 - 7 p.m.

**Weekly Activities**

- Meal.....Wednesdays, 5:15 - 6:15 p.m.
- Class Offerings.....Wednesdays, 6:15 - 7:15 p.m.
- Children’s Choir.....Wednesdays, 6 - 7 p.m.
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....Wednesdays, 7:30 - 9 p.m.
- Chancel Choir Rehearsal.....Thursdays, 7:15pm - 9:15 p.m.

Children of all ages are welcome in our worship services! However if needed childcare is available during worship for children 5 and under on the 1st floor in the following rooms: infants 105, toddlers 104, twos and threes 110, and fours and fives 112. If you prefer to step out of the service, worship is live-streamed in Bishop’s Parlor.

An accessible, all-gender restroom is available in Bishop’s Parlor. This single-stall restroom includes a diaper changing station and assistance railing.

Building Tours are offered on the 3rd Sunday of each month at 9:30 AM, or immediately following the early service. Meet at the Welcome Center in Reed Hall, through the side doors of the Sanctuary.

For a complete listing and additional information on Sunday and Weekly Activities, please visit [www.westendumc.org](http://www.westendumc.org) or see the bulletin insert.

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Head Usher: Barbara Cragg  
Cover art: Bergpredict [Sermon on the Mount], Emma Schlangenhausen  
Liturgy: Sarah McCain  
The Prayer of Confession is adapted from a prayer used in worship at Bethany Reformed Church.

Music Participants: The Chancel Choir. Minister of Music, Matthew Phelps, director and assisting at the organ. Associate Minister of Music, Andrew Risinger, organist/accompanist. Margy Bredemann, Ken Nelson, and Ben Troxler, trio. The Asbury Choir. Matthew Phelps and Bethany Wilson, co-directors.

Today’s Music: The tune, Old 113th, for our processional hymn is attributed to Matthaas Greiter, who set it to his paraphrase of Psalm 119. In Germany in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries it was set to the penitential text “O Mensch Bewein dein Sünde gross.” The tune entered English repertory by way of the *Anglo-Genevan Psalter*, 1560-1561, set to William Kethe’s paraphrase of Psalm 113, thus the tune’s name. John Wesley included it in his *Foundery Collection*, 1742, and *Select Hymns*, 1765. The latter collection is the first time the tune was used with Watts’ text, “I’ll Praise My Maker While I’ve Breath.” (Carlton Young)

**West End United Methodist Church**

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- Members of West End United Methodist Church..... Ministers
- Carol Cavin-Dillon.....Senior Pastor
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- Stacey Harwell-Dye ..... Pastor of Missions & Outreach
- Nancy Parker.....Pastor of Young Adults & Vandy Wesley

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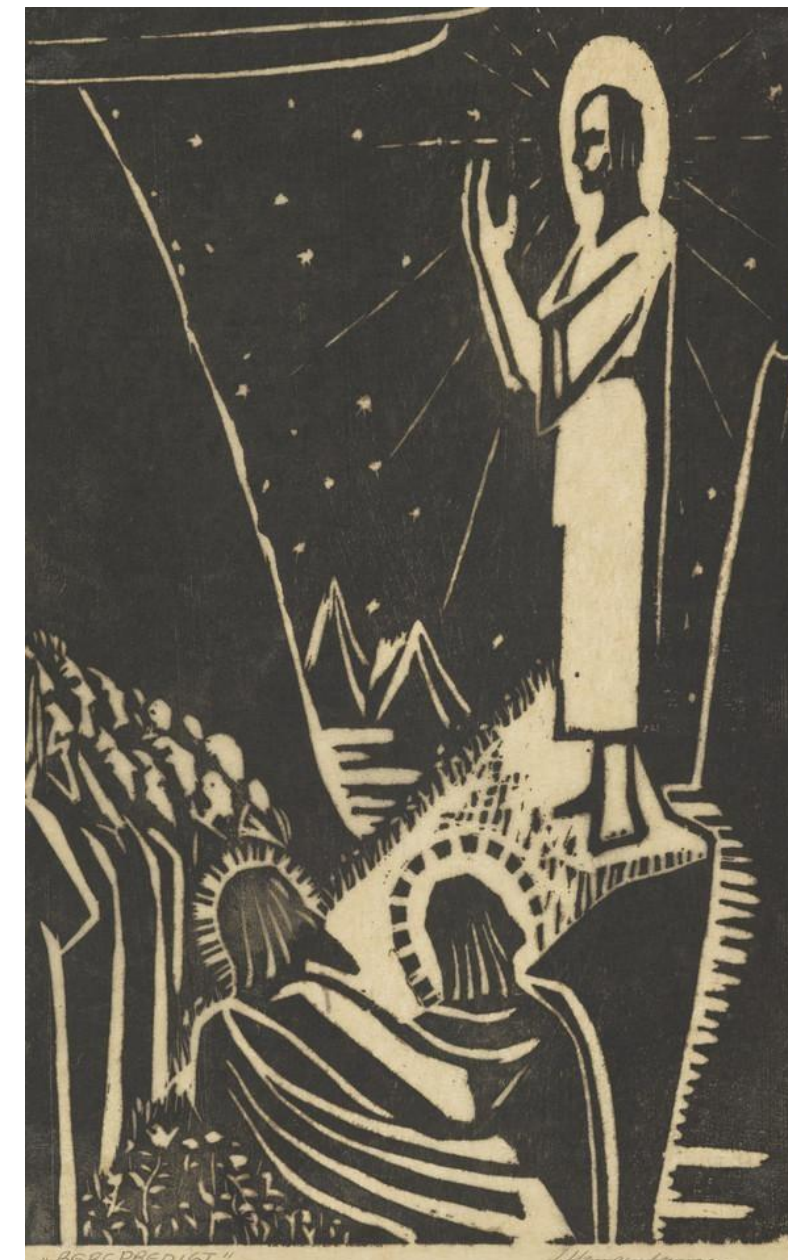
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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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