Celebration of Worship Music Sunday

June 11, 2023 9:30 A.M.

Gathering in God's Name

Prelude

We are followers of Jesus Christ, living and sharing the love of God through faith and action, welcoming all.

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Introit Come into God's Courts With Praise Michael Helman

Alleluia Bells

Preparing for God's Word

Personal Preparation for Worship

Song Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place

Call to Worship

Leader: Sing to the Lord a new song!

People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth!

Pastor: Sing to the Lord; bless God's Holy Name!

People: Tell of God's salvation from day to day!

Pastor: Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised!

People: Honor and majesty are before God.

Strength and beauty are in the Lord's sanctuary.

All: Let us worship God.

* Song He Has Made Me Glad Insert

* Prayer of Adoration

Prayer of Confession

All: Holy God, we confess that we often miss the melody of Your love and the descant of Your grace. Wrapped up in our own tunes, we create discord where You intend harmony. Taking up our own batons, we lose our place in the symphony only You can direct.

Forgive our stubborn arrogance and foolish pride. Teach us once again to sing a new song to Your glory and lift our voices in the chorus that is sung by those who know Your mercy and Your forgiveness.

Silent Personal Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: There is no one and nothing that can separate you from the

love of God made known to us in Jesus Christ our Lord. The disquieted soul God will comfort. The cast down soul God will raise up. The grace of God is sufficient for our every need.

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

* Gloria Patri Insert

* Extending Christ's Peace

Pastor: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you!

People: And also with you.

Pastor: As Jesus shared His peace with us, let us share His peace

with one another.

Special Music Simple Gifts Thompson

Chimers

Proclaiming God's Word

Children's Time

* **Hymn** When in Our Music God Is Glorified # 264

Scripture Reading Psalm 150

Anthem Sing Joyful Praise Mary Lynn Lightfoot

Chancel Choir

Scripture Reading Acts 16:19-30

The word of the Lord! Thanks be to God!

Meditation Your Song of Faith

Text: "And the prisoners were listening to them..." Acts 16:25

Rev. Robert Heppenstall

Silent Reflection Le Petit Berger Claude Debussy

(The Little Shepherd)
Sally Turner - Flute

Responding to God's Word

* Affirmation of Faith

(Adapted from "A Brief Statement of Faith")

All: In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.

With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Sharing Joys and Concerns - Lighting of the Prayer Candles

Invitation to Prayer

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (Debts/debtors)

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.

Invitation to the Offering

Please place your offering in the plates at the exit doors, mail your gifts to the church, or click the WPC website 'Give' button

Anthem

This Offering of Praise
Chancel Choir, Alleluia Bells

arr. Lloyd Larson

* Doxology Insert

* Prayer of Dedication

All: Holy One, grant us grace to glorify You in our giving as well as our music. Make of us a sacrificial people who delight in generosity. Mold us in the image of Him Who taught that it is more blessed to give than to receive. Please let these gifts and our lives become Your blessing to others, especially to those in need or in pain...for it is in Christ that we pray. Amen.

Go Forth in God's Name

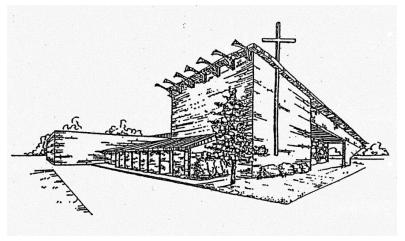
* **Hymn** Praise the Lord, God's Glory Show # 481 John Brocker, Trumpet; Jim Hoffman, Saxophone; Tony Hubbard, Trombone

* Charge and Benediction

Go out into God's world in peace; have courage; hold on to what is good; return to no one evil for evil; strengthen the faint-hearted; support the weak; help the suffering; honor all persons; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Postlude

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We are followers of Jesus Christ,
living and sharing the love of God
through faith and action,
welcoming all.

Almighty God, as You have made Yourself known in stillness; so make Your presence known to us in this sacred place; enable us to see ourselves in the company of the brave saints who have worshipped here in Spirit and in Truth; through human voices lifted in song and prayer let our praise also rise to You; move our hearts to deeper levels of love for Christ and for all those Christ leads us to love. Amen.

Surely the Presence of the Lord is in This Place

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel His mighty power and His grace. I can hear the brush of angel's wings; I see glory on each face. Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

He Has Made Me Glad

I will enter His gates with thanksgiving in my heart;I will enter His courts with praise.I will say, "This is the day that the Lord has made;I will rejoice for He has made me glad."

He has made me glad; He has made me glad; I will rejoice for He has made me glad. He has made me glad; He has made me glad; I will rejoice for He has made me glad.

Gloria Patri

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.

When in Our Music God Is Glorified

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When in our music God is glorified, and adoration leaves no room for pride, It is as though the whole creation cried: Alleluia!

How often, making music, we have found a new dimension in the world of sound, As worship moved us to a more profound Alleluia!

So has the church, in liturgy and song, in faith and love, through centuries of wrong, Borne witness to the truth in every tongue: Alleluia!

Let every instrument be tuned for praise!

Let all rejoice who have a voice to raise!

And may God give us faith to sing always: Alleluia! Amen.

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Christ, all people here below; Praise Holy Spirit evermore; Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

Praise the Lord, God's Glories Show

Praise the Lord, God's glories show, Alleluia! Saints within God's courts below, Alleluia! Angels round the throne above, Alleluia! All that see and share God's love. Alleluia!

Earth to heaven and heaven to earth, Alleluia! Tell the wonders, sing God's worth, Alleluia! Age to age and shore to shore, Alleluia! Praise God, praise forevermore! Alleluia!

Praise the Lord, great mercies trace, Alleluia! Praise this providence and grace, Alleluia! All that God for us has done, Alleluia! All God sends us through the Son. Alleluia!

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LECTIONARY PASSAGES

	Today, June 11th	June 18 th
Old Testament	Genesis 12:1-9	Genesis 18:1-15, (21:1-7)
Psalm	Psalm 33:1-12	Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19
New Testament	Romans 4:13-25	Romans 5:1-8
Gospel	Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26	Matthew 9:35 - 10:23

MEMORY VERSE

"Let the morning bring me word of Your unfailing love, for I have put my trust in you. Show me the way I should go, for to You I entrust my life." Psalm 143:8

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. WELCOME to Webster Presbyterian Church! We are pleased that you are worshipping with us, whether in person or by live-streaming. Sunday services continue to be live-streamed.

You can watch them live at 9:30 or later at your leisure using:

Facebook https://www.facebook.com/Websterpres/ or

YouTube https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzM5thYxua2HQSPF6P71wA

THIS SERVICE IS LIVESTREAMED on YouTube and Facebook. Participation in and/or observation of the service implies acknowledgement that your image may be seen on the stream at the time of the service and in the future, as the services are saved for future viewing.

- 2. A PICNIC will take place following today's worship service. Everyone is welcome to join us for food, fun and fellowship.
- 3. THE PARKING LOT REPLACEMENT begins tomorrow on the north side loop. When visiting the church this week, please park in the large south lot.
- 4. VBS SIGN-UPS have begun. This year's theme "Stellar Shine Jesus' Light" will be an exciting adventure for children in Pre-K through 5th grade on July 24th through 27th. Registration forms are available on the church website, in the Narthex, or by contacting the church office. Call Gayl Galen (872-5154) if you have any questions.
- 5. SUMMER MISSION: Our special opportunity to help citizens in Ukraine during the war there is underway, with collections for both the local ROCMaidan project and for The Yellow Box Project (Cru). Our donations will provide medical supplies and food for those who have been badly impacted by that war. Please prayerfully consider giving a generous donation. The small brown envelopes with the sunflower are in the chair racks for your donations.
- 6. SUMMER BOOK READING "We Make the Road by Walking" is written by Brian McLaren, author, speaker, activist and theologian. He believes that faith was never meant to be a destination, but a road or path, a way out of old patterns and into new ones. He feels that a spiritual community must forever remain unfinished and always open. He has written this book "to help individuals and groups seize the moment and walk wisely and joyfully into the future together. It is also a work of public and practical theology theology that is worked out by 'normal' people in daily life." Copies are available in the Narthex for you to purchase at a cost of \$5.00 for your summer read. Then join us in the fall for a discussion on this timely topic.

- 7. SINGERS AND INSTRUMENTALISTS who are willing to offer special music during the summer worship services are asked to call Lee Ann Daigle at 899-0120.
- THE TECH TEAM would appreciate an occasional break this summer.
 If you would like to advance the slides in the Sanctuary during worship or learn the livestreaming process, contact Jay Petrino 233-0344 or Todd Hall 764-1888 and they would be happy to help you with instructions.
- 9. HOPE HOUSE is grateful for your continued donation of food. Besides their most needed items of canned or bottled fruit juice, applesauce, tuna, pasta, spaghetti sauce, Kleenex, shampoo, body wash and toddler underwear, they always appreciate fresh produce which can be dropped off during their open hours: Monday 5-7 pm, Tues. 10-Noon, Weds. 3-5 pm, and Thurs. 5-7 pm. A collection container for non-perishable items is located in the upper Narthex. Hope House has also begun accepting items for their garage sale on Wednesdays from 3-5 pm during the month of June at the basement of the Knights of Columbus building behind Holy Trinity Church.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, June 11 - All-Music Sunday

- 9:30 A.M. Worship Service in the Sanctuary & Live-streamed
- 10:30 A.M. Church of God by Faith in the Chapel
- 10:45 A.M. Church Picnic on the Church Lawn

Monday, June 12 – 17 - North Loop Parking Lot Replacement

Tuesday, June 13

- 5:00 P.M. TOPS Meeting in Room 9/10
- 6:00 P.M. Girl Scout Service Team in the Social Room
- 7:00 P.M. Trustees' Meeting in Room 9/10

Wednesday, June 14

- 6:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study at Golden Boys' Restaurant
- 12:00 P.M. Naomi Circle at the home of Gay Coler
- 7:00 P.M. Emergency Planning Team in the Memorial Room

Thursday, June 15

- 7:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study on Zoom
- 3:30 P.M. Book Club in Room 1
- 6:00 P.M. Festival Bells Rehearsal in the Sanctuary

Saturday, June 17

9:00 A.M. Prayer Time on Zoom

Sunday, June 18

- 9:30 A.M. Worship Service in the Sanctuary & Live-streamed
- 10:30 A.M. Church of God by Faith in the Chape
- 3:00 P.M. Worship at Cherry Ridge