

# Westminster

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

AND I WILL GIVE  
YOU PASTORS  
ACCORDING TO  
MINE HEART,  
WHICH SHALL FEED  
YOU WITH  
KNOWLEDGE AND  
UNDERSTANDING.

JEREMIAH 3:15

MAY 7, 2016  
SERVICE OF ORDINATION  
JENNIFER KIRBAS

# WORSHIP AT WESTMINSTER

**Prelude:** “*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*” Nettleton

Arr. Clay Christiansen

## Time of Welcome

Rev. Abbey Walker

## \*Sharing of the Peace of Christ

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

## Call To Worship

Kay Ludwig

Leader: There is one body and one spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

People: **Each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ’s gifts.**

Leader: Christ appointed some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers.

People: **Christ did this to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, and for serving a broken world.**

Leader: And so we come together in oneness of faith and in certain knowledge of the Son of God.

People: **We come to bring glory to God only, and to celebrate his gracious gifts to all of us.**

**\*Processional Hymn: #15** *All Creatures of Our God and King*

Laast Uns Erfreuen

## Time of Confession

### Invitation to Confession

Rev. Ron Fike

### Prayer of Confession

**Mighty and merciful God, you have called us to be your people and claimed us for the service of Jesus Christ. We confess that we have not lived up to our calling. We have been timid and frightened disciples, forgetful of your powerful presence and the strength of your Spirit among us. O God, forgive our foolish and sinful ways. As you have chosen us and claimed us in our baptism, strengthen us anew to choose Christ’s way in this world. Give us your Holy Spirit that each one in ministry may be provided with all the gifts of grace needed to fulfill our common calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. Amen.**

## Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of God’s grace.

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

**\*Response to Forgiveness: #581** *Glory Be to the Father*

Gloria Patri

## Prayer for Illumination

Cindy Duke

## Reading from the Old Testament

Psalm 138:1-8, p. 577

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

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**Anthem:** *My Eternal King*

Jane Marshall

My God, I love Thee; not because I hope for heav’n thereby, nor yet because who love Thee not must die eternally,  
Thou, O my Jesus, Thou didst me upon the cross embrace; for me didst bear the nails, the nails and spear,  
and manifold disgrace. Why, then why, O blessed Jesus Christ, should I not love Thee well?  
Not for the hope of winning heav’n, or of escaping hell; not with the hope of gaining aught,  
not seeking a reward; but as Thyself hast loved me, O ever-loving Lord!

E’en so I love Thee, and will love, and in Thy praise will sing; solely because Thou art my God, and my Eternal King.

*Chancel Choir; Steve Thompson, Organ*

## Reading from the New Testament

Acts 2:14-21, p. 119

Bob Rogers

## Sermon: “THE SOURCE OF TRANSFORMATION”

Rev. Dr. Paul J. Kirbas

**\*Hymn of Discipleship: #688** *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart*

Morecambe

**\*Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles’ Creed** (*Traditional*)

Hymnal p. 35

Bobbie Heimbach

## Invitation to Offering

Rev. Abbey Walker

### Offertory: *Consecration*

Frederick Chatfield

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee. Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.  
Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of Thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for Thee.

Take my voice, and let me sing always, only, for my King. Take my lips, and let them be filled with messages from Thee.  
Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold. Take my intellect, and use every power as Thou shalt choose.

Take my will, and make it Thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is Thine own; it shall be Thy royal throne.  
Take my love, my Lord, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store. Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for Thee.

*Chancel Choir; Steve Thompson, Organ*

If you would like your offering today to go to the *Presbytery’s Candidate Scholarship Fund*, please notate this on your check.

**\*Doxology: #606** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Old Hundredth

## Prayer of Thanksgiving

## The Ordination

## Introduction by the Moderator

Dr. Alvin Turner

## The Constitutional Questions to the Candidate

## Laying on of Hands

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**The Prayer of Ordination**

Rev. Dr. Dan Junkin

**Declaration of Ordination**

Dr. Alvin Turner

**Welcome into the Ministry of Word and Sacrament**

**Presentation of Symbols of Ministry**

**The Charge to the Chaplain**

Rev. Michelle Junkin

**\*Recessional Hymn: #761 *Called as Partner's in Christ's Service***

Beecher

**\*Charge and Benediction**

Rev. Jennifer Kirbas

**Choral Benediction: *The Lord Bless You and Keep You***

Peter C. Lutkin

*Chancel Choir*

**Postlude: *Laast uns erfreuen***

Arr. John Longhurst

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\*This sign is an invitation, to all who are able, to stand as they offer God thanks and praise.

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***Please join us in the Payne Garden Court for a reception immediately following the service.***

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