

Welcome to Worship at Carter-Westminster United Presbyterian Church, located at 4950 W. Pratt Avenue in Skokie, Illinois.

Faith in Jesus Christ is the mark of a Christian and a disciple of Christ, and is therefore the only requirement for membership in this Church. Please prayerfully consider joining this family of faith - talk with our Pastor, and learn more by visiting us at www.cwupc.org and on Facebook: Carter-Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

Assisting us in worship today are Anna Maria Virga; Heidi Musser, piano; Angela De Venuto, soprano; AJ Wester, alto; Leo Radosavljevic, bass and George Radosavljevic, piano; Pat Radosavljevic - Music Director; and Pastor Stuart Barnes Jamieson.

**The Session, Deacons, Trustees, Officers, and Staff of
Carter - Westminster United Presbyterian Church**

Session Ruling Elders: Georgette Joseph, John Yonan, Elizabeth Brown, David Americus, and Peter Ellyin.

Deacons: Phyllis Boba, Irene Ellyin, Helen Oshona, Hilda Karam, and Shirley Rustemeyer.

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The Rev. Stuart Barnes Jamieson, Pastor

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Becoming the Beloved Community

**Carter - Westminster United
Presbyterian Church**

Gathered for Worship

Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m.



November 10, 2024

Stewardship Sunday

Communion

Gathering in God's Name

Prelude

Prelude IV
Pat Radosavljevic, organ

Hermann Schroeder

Greeting, Welcome, and Announcements

One: The Lord be with you. **All: And also with you.**

* Call to Worship

One: As we gather for worship,

All: let us offer praise to God.

One: As we join voices and hearts,

All: we learn the importance of each one of us.

One: As we find unity in the wider body of Christ,

All: we learn that our whole is more than its parts.

Let us worship God.

* Hymn *(See insert)*

Let Us Build a House

TWO OAKS

Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

Giving God, as we share what we have, seeking to further your work in this world, remind us that abundance does not always mean extravagance and that humble offerings are holy. Whether we offer a grand gesture, a simple meal, or two small coins, lead us in the way of generosity. Amen.

Time of Silence for Personal Reflection

Words of Forgiveness

One: ...Believe the good news.

All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Response: “Glory to God”

Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

(Without leaving your seat, share the peace with those around you)

Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Psalm 127 (p. 573)

One: The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God**

Time with Young Disciples

Second Lesson: Mark 12:38-44 (p. 49-50)

One: The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Message:

“Redefining Abundance ”

* Affirmation of Faith *(The Apostle’s Creed—See back of insert)*

* Hymn #426

Blessed Be the Tie That Binds

DENNIS

Sharing of Joys and Concerns - Prayers of the People

Thanksgiving

Stewardship Moment: Elizabeth Brown

Time for Generosity

Offertory

How Beautiful

Paris/Fettke

The Chancel Choir

Doxology # 815

Praise God

OLD HUNDREDTH

Sacrament of The Lord's Supper *(See insert)*

Prayer after Communion *(See insert)*

Sending

* Hymn #597

Take My Life and Let it Be Consecrated

HENDON

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

Traumerei

Robert Schumann

Heidi Musser, piano

(You are asked to remain seated for the Postlude)

* Going Forth

**Please rise in body and/or in Spirit*

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