

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 Peter Ellyin, liturgist; Natalie Mann, 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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Staff and Church Leaders:

The Rev. Stuart Barnes Jamieson, Pastor

Clerk of Session - Georgette Joseph

Music Director and Organist - Pat Radosavljevic

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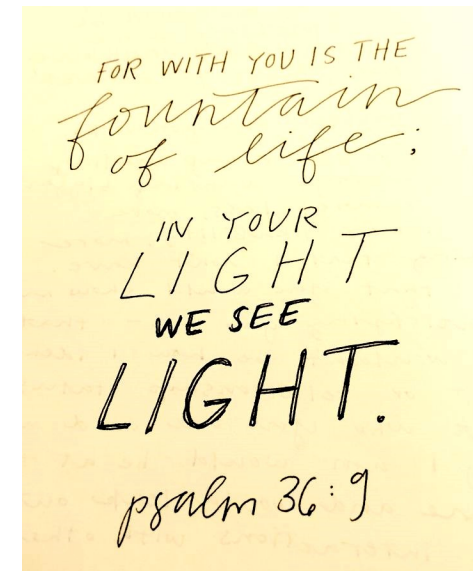
Church Treasurer - John Yonan

Becoming the Beloved Community

**Carter - Westminster United
Presbyterian Church**

Gathered for Worship

Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m.



January 19, 2025

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

Gathering in God's Name

Prelude

Nocturne

Edward Grieg

George Radosavljevic, piano

Greeting, Welcome, and Announcements

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

* Call to Worship

One: How precious is your steadfast love, O God! May all people take
refuge in the shadow of your wings.

**All: We feast on the abundance of your house, and you give us drink
from the river of your delights.**

One: For with you is the fountain of life;

All: in your light we see light.

* Hymn #400

“Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken”

AUSTRIAN HYMN

Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

**You have blessed us with a variety of gifts, Holy God, but we are
reluctant to share. We hoard what is most valuable and make
excuses for ourselves when called to share. The Spirit has blessed
each of us uniquely, but we hide our light under a bushel and fail to
rise to our potential. God, forgive us and embolden us. Help us to
claim our gifts and put them to good use. Amen.**

Time of Silence for Personal Reflection

Assurance of Pardon

One: ...Believe the good news.

All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Response: Glory to God

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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 36:5-9 (p. 510)

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

Time with Young Disciples

Second Lesson: I Corinthians 12:4-11 (p. 174)

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

Message: "...For the Common Good"

* Affirmation of Faith *(see insert)*

* Hymn *(see insert)* “We All Are One In Mission”

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Sharing of Joys and Concerns - Prayers of the People - The Lord's Prayer

Thanksgiving

Time for Generosity

Offertory: Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him arr. Benjamin Harlan

The Chancel Choir

* Doxology # 815 “Praise God”

* Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

**We praise and thank you, Lord God, for the majesty of your
work, the wisdom of your word, and the generosity of your
grace. Let the gifts of our lives bear witness to your goodness
and mercy, your faithfulness and justice, and your steadfast
love for all. Amen.**

Sending

* Hymn #429 “They'll Know We Are Christians”

ST. BRENDAN'S

Charge and Benediction

Postlude:

The Fifers

Francois Dandrieu

Pat Radosavljevic, piano

(You are asked to remain seated for the Postlude)

* Going Forth

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

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