

Welcome to  
**WOLF RIVER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**November 19, 2023**  
**LORD'S DAY WORSHIP**  
*Preparation for Worship*

Prelude – as the piano begins to play, please prepare your hearts

Welcome and Announcements

*God Calls Us into His Presence*

Salutation

∫ Call to Worship the Lord.....Isaiah 42:10-11

∫ Hymn of Praise.....#340 – There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood

∫ Invocation concluding with the Lord's Prayer

*Repentance and Reconciliation*

The Reading of God's Word..... Matthew 6:25-34

Psalm of Promise.....#1B – How Blest the Man

Prayer of Confession and Supplication

Assurance of Pardon.....Luke 6:37

∫ Hymn of the Month.....#334 – Up to the Mountain Went the Lord

*The Ministry of Word and Sacrament*

Sermon Scripture.....Jeremiah 25:15-29

Sermon by Pastor Tom Champness.....“Take This Cup from My Hand”

∫ Hymn of Response.....#453 – Just as I Am without One Plea

∫ Confession of Faith.....The Nicene Creed (Hymnal, page 852)

∫ = Please stand, if able

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The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Responding in Faith*

Hymn of Response.....#571 – 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.”*

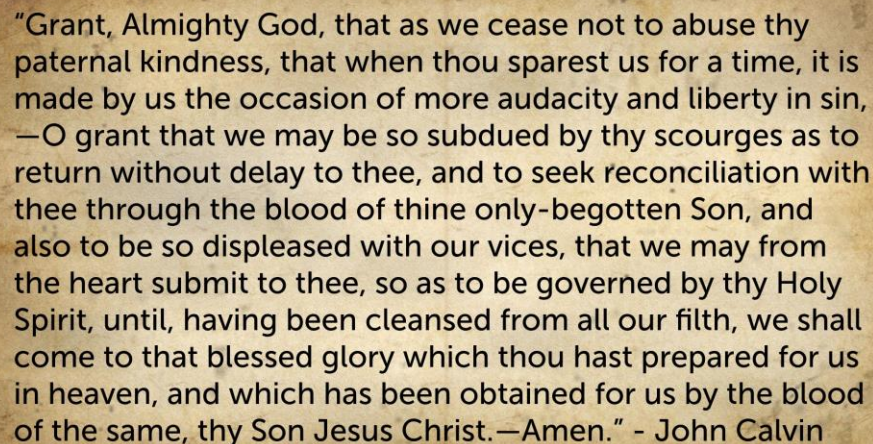
Worshipping God through Tithes and Offerings

Prayer of Thanksgiving

∫ Benediction

∫ Psalm of Response....#134 – Come, Bless the LORD with One Accord

*“The LORD Now bless you from above,  
From Zion in his boundless love;  
Our God, who heav'n and earth did frame,  
Blest be his great and holy name.”*



“Grant, Almighty God, that as we cease not to abuse thy paternal kindness, that when thou sparest us for a time, it is made by us the occasion of more audacity and liberty in sin, –O grant that we may be so subdued by thy scourges as to return without delay to thee, and to seek reconciliation with thee through the blood of thine only-begotten Son, and also to be so displeased with our vices, that we may from the heart submit to thee, so as to be governed by thy Holy Spirit, until, having been cleansed from all our filth, we shall come to that blessed glory which thou hast prepared for us in heaven, and which has been obtained for us by the blood of the same, thy Son Jesus Christ. –Amen.” - John Calvin

Services:

**Sunday School – 9:30am**

**Morning Worship – 10:30am**

**Prayer Meeting – Wednesdays 7:00pm**

## *Announcements*

**Plan now for our annual Christmas Eve program at 7pm** on December 24. We had many folks provide special music for in between Scripture reading last year and would love to see it again! Please see Pastor Mark if you can sign up for that. ALSO, the children of the church will be singing again – please see Jenette Arnold if you can participate in the children’s choir.

**We welcome Pastor Tom Champness to Wolf River’s pulpit** as Pastor Winder is at the Regional Church Extension Conference this week. Pastor Champness is a member of the session of Wolf River Presbyterian Church. He has served as a pastor for over 50 years, in pastorates in New Jersey, California, and for over 35 years at Redeemer OPC in Atlanta.

**Our Wednesday prayer meeting meets here at the church facility at 7pm.** Currently, we are reviewing this week’s catechism, participating in a brief study of Medieval church history, and engaging in a time of prayer.

**Invitation cards on available on the welcome table.** Please take several to put in your wallet, purse, glove box, etc. to invite folks to Wolf River.



“**Orthodox**” (literally, “straight thinking”) signifies our holding steadfastly to the inerrancy of Scripture, not in a thoughtless faith, but one that recognizes God’s Word as the foundation for consistent “straight thinking.” “**Presbyterian**” signifies that we believe the Scriptures to teach that local church elders along with a pastor, form a “session” to care for the spiritual welfare of the members of the **Church**, while not presuming to interfere with their freedom of conscience in matters of Christian liberty.

## *Session*

Ministers: Dr. Thomas S. Champness; Dr. Mark A. Winder

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