

***PRESENTATION OF THE BREAD AND CUP**

No. 53

**So bring him incense, gold and myrrh; Come peasant, king, to own him;
The King of kings salvation brings; Let loving hearts enthrone him.
This, this is Christ the King, Whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
Haste, haste to bring him laud, The babe, the son of Mary.**

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord’s Table

The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer

[Hymnal, page 16]

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

Communion Music

Oh, Sleep Now, Holy Babe

Hispanic folk tune
arr. Karl Osterland

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (in unison)

*In this gifting season, O God, we are grateful for the gift of your Son,
our Savior, Jesus Christ. Receive, we pray, these offerings we bring.
May they be used in the service of your grace and truth dwelling among us.
In Christ’s holy name we pray.*

Amen.

***HYMN**

Jesus, the Light of the World

HS No. 9

***BENEDICTION**

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Jesus, the Light of the World

German Chorale
arr. Paul Manz

Following the benediction, it is fine to exit or remain for the Closing Voluntary;
however, everyone is encouraged to go to the Fellowship Hall for refreshment and fellowship.



Westminster Presbyterian Church

Charlottesville, Virginia

SERVICE FOR THE LORD’S DAY

First Sunday after Christmas
The Sacrament of Holy Communion
January 1, 2017

PREPARING TO HEAR GOD’S WORD

**SILENT
PRAYER AND
MEDITATION**
*Gracious God,
your Christmas
love is strong and
bright but our
vision of Christmas
love is already
fading. You are
beginning but we
are weary. Renew
our faith and hope
dear Lord, and
bring new life to
this community,
that we might be
your light and a
sign of hope this
year, through the
grace of Jesus.
Amen.*

OPENING VOLUNTARY *Noel for Flute Stops* Louis Calude D’Aquin

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

This is the day that the Lord has made.

We will be glad and rejoice in it.

This is the year that the Lord has begun.

We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Because of the Lord’s great love we are not consumed.

God’s compassion never fails.

God’s mercy is new every morning.

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***HYMN**

The First Nowell

No. 56

*Congregation may stand. #Latecomers seated.
Please turn off cell phones during the service.