



# WESTMINSTER

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH • BUFFALO

FEBRUARY 17, 2019

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

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8:15 AM IN THE HOLMES CHAPEL

10:30 AM IN THE SANCTUARY

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THE REVEREND DR. THOMAS H. YORTY  
PASTOR



## Worship in the Sanctuary - 10:30 AM

### Welcome to this Place of Christian Worship

Do not wait for someone else to begin worship. Pray silently for yourself, for those about you, for the poor and the oppressed, for those unable to be present, for those who will shortly lead our common worship. Latecomers may enter the Sanctuary during the singing of the first hymn or during the Response to the Assurance. Ushers are available for assistance. Please turn off all cell phones.

### Opening Voluntary

*Andante tranquillo* from Sonata No. 3

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

*It is the tradition of this congregation to remain silent during the Opening Voluntary as we collectively prepare for worship.*

### Welcome and Announcements

Dr. Yorty

### Order of Worship

#### Chiming of the Trinity

*The sounding of the chimes, invoking Creator, Son, and Holy Spirit, is an invitation to prepare for worship through a time of silent reflection. Please be respectful of those who are praying.*

#### Introit

Psalm 100

Daniel Gawthrop (b. 1949)

Be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands!  
Serve the Lord with gladness,  
Come before his presence with a song.

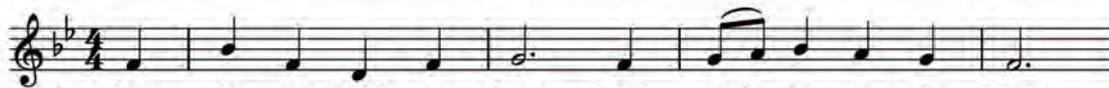
#### Call to Worship

*The people stand and remain standing for the hymn that follows.*

#### Hymn in Procession

Give to the Winds Thy Fears

FESTAL SONG



1. Give to the winds thy fears; hope and be un - dis - mayed.
2. Through waves and clouds and storms, God gent - ly clears thy way;
3. Leave to God's sov - ereign sway to choose and to com - mand;
4. Let us in life, in death, thy stead - fast truth de - clare,



God hears thy sighs and counts thy tears, God shall lift up thy head.  
wait thou God's time; so shall this night soon end in joy - ous day.  
so shalt thou, won - dering, own that way, how wise, how strong this hand.  
and pub - lish with our lat - est breath thy love and guar - dian care.

#### Call to Confession

#### Prayer of Confession

**Merciful God, your call to discipleship is demanding.  
You call us to reorder our lives by the kingdom  
You are bringing in Jesus Christ.  
Yet we still pass by the ones you especially notice:  
People who are poor and hungry; people who weep.  
We have not stood with those who are hated, bullied, and excluded.  
Comfortable with the way things are, we are too complacent,  
Even complicit with injustice and prejudice.  
Forgive us, O God, and turn us back to your gospel.  
We pray this now, for our sake, and for the sake of your world;  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*Time for silent prayer.*





## Gospel Acclamation

*The people stand.*



## Gospel Lesson

*The people stand.*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.  
**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Luke 6:17-26

<sup>17</sup>He came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. <sup>18</sup>They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. <sup>19</sup>And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them. <sup>20</sup>Then he looked up at his disciples and said: 'Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. <sup>21</sup>Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. <sup>22</sup>Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you\* on account of the Son of Man. <sup>23</sup>Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. <sup>24</sup>But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. <sup>25</sup>Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. 'Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. <sup>26</sup>Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## Gospel Acclamation



## Sermon

Whoa and Woe!

## Hymn

Your Ways Are Not Our Own

SCHUMANN

*The people stand to sing.*



1. Your ways are not our own, O gra - cious God most high,
2. Christ teach - es us to bless the ones who curse and harm,
3. Yet, we can - not ex - cuse a - buse in a - ny form,
4. How shall we show your love, your par - don to be - lieve?
5. For - give - ness is our joy, re - ceiv - ing, giv - ing too.



Yet we would fol - low in your paths and on your love re - ly.  
 To turn the oth - er cheek when struck, at - tack - ers to dis - arm.  
 For all are chil - dren of your care, and love must be our norm.  
 You bid us share as we are blessed and give as we re - ceive.  
 Keep us from judg - ments hard and cruel, that we may dwell with you.

## Invitation to the Offering



## Offertory Anthem

*The Deacons receive the gifts, a portion of the blessings God has given us, which we return unto God*

The Beatitudes

Robert Lehman† (b. 1960)

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.  
 Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.  
 Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.  
 Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.  
 Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.  
 Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.  
 Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.  
 Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.  
 Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and  
 Utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.  
 Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven,  
 For so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

## Presentation of the Gifts

*The people stand as the Deacons come forward and remain standing for the Prayer of Dedication.*

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise God, all crea - tures here be - low;  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!  
 Praise Je - sus Christ whose pow'r up - lifts! Praise the Spir - it, Ho - ly Spir - it!  
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! A - men.

## Prayer of Dedication

**Holy One, we give you thanks  
 For your generosity to us.  
 Bless these gifts and multiply them,  
 For the sake of those in need around us;  
 In Jesus' name. Amen.**

## Prayers of the People

Concluding with the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name.  
 Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
 Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,  
 As we forgive those who trespass against us.  
 And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil;  
 For thine is the kingdom and the power  
 And the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

## Sending Hymn, No. 423

Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun  
*The people stand to sing.*

DUKE STREET

## Benediction and Choral Response

God Be In My Head

Daniel Gawthrop

God be in my head, and in my understanding;  
God be in my eyes, and in my looking;  
God be in my mouth, and in my speaking;  
God be in my heart, and in my thinking;  
God be at mine end, and at my departing.

## Closing Voluntary

*Con moto maestoso* from Sonata No. 3

Felix Mendelssohn

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*Immediately following the service, please join us for Meet & Mingle, a time of fellowship in the Holmes Room. Thank you to our host today, Stephen Johnson.*

## Worship Leaders

The Reverend Dr. Thomas H. Yorty, Pastor  
Sherrie Bernat, Liturgist  
Jennifer Shin, Glynda Stephens Taylor Organ Scholar  
The Westminster Schola

## Deacons Serving Today

Wisdom Afealete, Peter Ahrens, Janet Kifner-Arnatt, Candace Marr, Johnpatric Marr,  
Beatriz Nazario, Joan Rice, Roy Stewart

## Chancel Flowers

The flowers at the Lord's Table are given by Sue Adams in loving memory of her parent's wedding anniversary on February 18.

*If you would like to purchase 2019 Sunday flowers in honor/memory of family or friends, please sign up on the Information Table in the Gallery Room. You may also call Sue Adams, 883-7597 or email hugwalker1@gmail.com. Two dates in 2019 (before Lent) are open: February 17 and March 3.*

## Notes on Today's Music

†**Robert W. Lehman**, an American conductor, organist, harpsichordist, and composer, has earned degrees in organ performance, choral conducting, church music, and liturgical musicology. He has served on the staff of several distinguished churches, including the Washington National Cathedral, the Princeton University Chapel, and Saint Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, NYC. For fourteen years he served as organist and choirmaster of historic Christ Church, Connecticut where, under his leadership, the choir and music program gained an international reputation for excellence. At present he serves on the staff of The Church of St. Michael & St. George in St. Louis, Missouri, as Organist and Choirmaster. Maintaining an active career as a performer, Dr. Lehman is featured often as a conductor and solo recitalist both in this country and abroad. His discography includes works of J.S. Bach, French Classical Noëls for Christmas, music for organ and brass with members of the River City Brass Band, and works of nineteenth and twentieth century composers.

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Pledges received as of 02/14/2019

Number of Pledges Received	Total Pledges Received	Dollars to Goal
231	\$521,579	<b>\$93,421</b>

Westminster's Giving 2019 is well underway! Pledge cards have been distributed. There is a basket on the table in the Holmes Room where you can place your completed pledge card. **For your convenience, you may make a pledge or a pledge payment on our secure site at [www.wpcbuffalo.org/giving](http://www.wpcbuffalo.org/giving).** Our goal this year is \$615,000. As you prayerfully think about your pledge, please consider increasing your pledge for 2019 by either increasing your weekly offering by a few dollars, or making an overall 5% increase to insure that we successfully accomplish our goal. Please know that whatever you contribute is greatly appreciated.

# NEWS AND NOTES

## WELCOME TO WESTMINSTER

If you are visiting and would like to learn more about our programming or mission, please fill out a Welcome Card (found in the pews) and return it to a deacon or staff member.

- As a More Light church, we invite all persons of the LGBTQIA+ community to membership and full participation in all ministries of Westminster.
- We light our Peace Candle to pray for peace—both in our own neighborhoods and across the world.
- Bibles and children's worship guides are available at the Sanctuary entrances.
- For the hearing impaired, wireless receivers are available in the Church Conference Room.
- Childcare for children 5 years old and younger is available from 9:30 AM to 11:30AM in the school building (across the garden).
- If you need assistance at any time, please ask a Deacon.
- Please pick up your generosity envelopes, which are available on the table in the Holmes Room.

## CHURCH LIFE

### **INQUIRER CLASS-Sunday, March 31 at 11:30 AM after Worship.**

Friends and visitors interested in learning more about Westminster and the ministries we support are invited to attend a meeting immediately following worship. Dr. Yorty will share details of Westminster's history, discuss current outreach and mission programs in the city and region, and answer any questions. At the conclusion of the meeting, those who so desire will be received into the membership of the church. For more information, please contact Sawrie Becker, 884-9437, ext. 315 [sbecker@wpcbuffalo.org](mailto:sbecker@wpcbuffalo.org)

**Westminster's Alcohol and Drug Education and Referral service** provides support to assist members and friends with issues and questions related to abuse of alcohol or other drugs. If you or someone you love needs help, call for free and confidential advice. Phil Stevens, Chair, 839-3357; Dave Carstensen, 884-5403; Jane Morris, 571-481-1839; Ellen Smith, 882-2064; Elizabeth Stewart, 585-217-7878; Jim Wieland, 523-0217.

**If you are recovering from an illness/surgery**, a caregiver with an ill family member, or have had a new baby, Westminster can provide a simple meal for those in need. Please contact Jamie Adamczyk at [jadamczyk@wpcbuffalo.org](mailto:jadamczyk@wpcbuffalo.org) or 884-9437, ext. 326.

## WEDI AND MISSION

### **WEST SIDE BAZAAR**

Check out The West Side Bazaar, 25 Grant Street, for lunch and shopping. Sunday and Monday: Closed. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 11 AM - 7 PM. Friday: 11 AM - 8 PM. Saturday: 10 AM - 8 PM.

## ENERGY

ENERGY is accepting warm winter socks in youth sizes, books about/featuring animals, and books written by Sarah L. Thomson. ENERGY Store donations are always appreciated! Get involved with ENERGY! Sign up to tutor students, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday afternoons, 4:30-6:30 PM. Contact Alyssa Wojciechowski, Program Coordinator at 507-8216 or [awojciechowski@wedibuffalo.org](mailto:awojciechowski@wedibuffalo.org) Thank you!

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

**Year of the Bible, New Adult Education Course** The Rev. Dr. Skip Ferguson, assisted by Dr. Yorty and Debbie Katz, is leading a year-long Year of the Bible class, providing participants the

opportunity to read through the entire Bible, cover to cover, over the course of the year. Two classes are offered each week: Sunday mornings, 9:15-10:15 AM, and Monday evenings, 7:15-8:15 PM; both classes meet in the Parish Hall. It's not too late to get started, so come join the group of more than 50 who have already begun! 15 minutes of reading each day is all it takes. By the end of the year, you will have read through the entire Bible! More important, you will grow spiritually in countless ways as you deepen your understanding of God's Written Word.

### **CASE LIBRARY**

Sundays, 9 AM - 10:15 AM

Every Sunday, Case Library Conversations provides an opportunity to discuss local, national and global issues. With these conversations, we can examine our life-long adventure in faith.

#### **February 17**

##### *Transformation of a Neighborhood*

The Historic Michigan Corridor: Past, Present and Future  
Former Common Council President and Treasurer of the Michigan Street Preservation Corporation, George K. Arthur will share his many years of experience working to preserve the Michigan street corridor, while highlighting new projects and discussing plans for the future.

#### **February 24**

##### *Groundwork Market Garden*

The Groundwork Market Garden, is a unique, urban farm on Genesee Street. Urban farmers, Anders Gunnensen and Mayda Pozantides will talk about how they serve their community by producing high-quality fruits and vegetables which they sell to farmers' markets, grocers, and our local restaurants.

### **SPIRITUAL LIFE**

Sundays, 9 AM - 10:15 AM in the Heritage Room

Spiritual Life creates opportunities for Westminster members and friends to explore and reflect together upon the interior life of faith.

#### **February 17**

##### *Flourish: A New Understanding of Happiness and Well-being.*

Presenter: Allan Hayes

Martin Seligman begins Flourish with, "This book will help you flourish." Flourish builds on Dr. Seligman's game-changing work on optimism, motivation, and character to show how to get the most out of life, unveiling an electrifying new theory of what makes a good life—for individuals, for communities, and for nations.

#### **February 24**

##### *My Story*

Presenter: Fred Cooley

My Story is an opportunity for us to get to know someone on a deeper level than we would in everyday conversation. Fred Cooley will bring his signature perceptive approach to our topics, and as he celebrates his 80th birthday, he will bring "a special emphasis to some things I'd like the audience to consider." Fred also has a fun challenge for the group as an outgrowth of what he wants us to help him with. Be ready for an interesting and enlightening morning!

## SUNDAY SCHOOL AND YOUTH EDUCATION

- Preschool class meets in the WECF building. After *Time with the Children*, children 3-5 years old leave with their teachers, Debby and Chris LaMendola, and Janet Kifner-Arnatt and walk to the building together. In cold weather, the children need their coats. After worship, the children and their teachers gather in the Holmes Room.
- 1st-2nd grade class meet each Sunday with their teachers in the first classroom before the Parish Hall balcony.

- 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades meet with their teachers in the first classroom on the Parish Hall balcony.
- 6th-7th grade class meet each Sunday in the last classroom on the Parish Hall balcony.
- Confirmation class is made up of 8th graders. They meet with their mentor until January, after which they meet each Sunday from 9:15 AM to 10:15 AM in the classroom on the Parish Hall balcony.
- Senior Highs, 9th-12th grades, meet each Sunday at 9:30 AM in the Parish Hall kitchen for Dialogue Diner.

## FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### KNITTING GROUP

The next Knitting Group meetings will be announced. The group meets on various Tuesdays and works on individual projects, as well as prayer shawls, scarves, and other items for members of the church. Beginners welcome! Contact Fran Holmes, mfranholmes@verizon.net for information.

### WOW BOOK DISCUSSION

WOW will be discussing these books on the following dates. Join us at 7 PM on these Monday nights in the Case Library. Feel free to attend as your schedule permits:

- March 4: *The Women's Hour* by Elaine Weiss
- May 6: *The Alice Network* by Kate Quinn

**PASSAGES** Join us on March 5th, when our speaker, Barbara Nelson will describe her life and experiences in Hawaii. One of her experiences was as Barack Obama's High School Principal. Also, mark your calendar for Tuesday, April 2 when we'll view the documentary on Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg. Lunch begins at 12:30 PM in the Oak Room, and our program begins at 1:30 PM in the Case Library. Sign up at the Information table in the Gallery Room, or call Jamie at 884-9437.

### FOYER DINNER GROUPS

The Foyer Dinner Groups bring new friendships into our congregation! Three groups of folks have been meeting regularly for a few months now, with lots of good food and drink shared by all. The groups are meeting every four to six weeks in the homes of members. Each person brings food to share, with the host choosing the menu and providing the main course. It's a casual opportunity to expand our friendship-horizons! In February you may sign up to join a new group. Watch for sign-up sheets in the Gallery Room and start making new friends at Westminster in 2019. Get in touch with Mindy Airhart with questions 716.866.4370 or mindy.airhart@gmail.com

### MEET AND MINGLE

Sundays, following 10:30 AM Worship  
Enjoy snacks and fellowship in the Holmes Room with friends old and new! **Please consider lending a hand to ensure Meet & Mingle's continued success by shopping, hosting, or sponsoring. For more information, please contact** Sawrie Becker, sbecker@wpcbuffalo.org or 884-9437, ext. 315.

### HEAVENLY GROUNDS CAFE

Sundays, 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM  
Stop by the Oak Room for a cup of coffee or tea as you make your way to Adult Education programs between the worship services, or sit and enjoy with friends after worship.

### LIVE STREAM WORSHIP SERVICES EACH SUNDAY

Can't make it to Worship on Sunday or to a special event/concert? If you're traveling or if weather is preventing you from attending, you can connect to Westminster and not miss out. Simply visit our website: [www.wpcbuffalo.org](http://www.wpcbuffalo.org) and click on the link to LiveStream on our homepage. It's that easy! You will **also** be able to click a link to the Sunday bulletin so you can follow along with the service.

## WORSHIP AND PREACHING SCHEDULE

8:15 AM: Worship in the Holmes Chapel with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper  
10:30 AM: Worship in the Sanctuary

### February 24

The Reverend Dr. Thomas H. Yorty  
"Game-changing Commitment" Genesis 45:3-11, 15; Luke 6:27-38

## THIS WEEK AT WESTMINSTER

### Sunday, February 17

8:00 AM Infant/Toddler Care  
8:15 AM Worship/Communion  
9:00 AM Heavenly Grounds  
9:00 AM Case Library Series  
9:15 AM Spiritual Life  
9:15 AM Year of the Bible  
9:30 AM Schola Rehearsal  
10:30 AM Worship  
10:40 AM Sunday School  
11:30 AM Meet & Mingle

### Monday, February 18

7:00 AM WECP & WPC Closed  
1:00 PM TOY Theater Workshop  
7:15 PM Year of the Bible

### Tuesday, February 19

7:15 AM Wake Up Group  
7:30 AM UPK Closed  
9:00 AM Management Meeting  
1:00 PM TOY Theater Workshop  
3:00 PM Buildings & Grounds

4:30 PM ENERGY Program  
5:30 PM Budget & Finance  
6:00 PM Zen Dharma  
**Wednesday, February 20**  
9:30 AM Worship Planning  
12:00 PM Bulletin Deadline  
12:00 PM Wednesdays @ WPC  
Tim Kennedy  
1:00 PM TOY Theatre Workshop  
1:30 PM Staff Meeting  
4:30 PM ENERGY Program  
5:30 PM Pathways To Peace  
8:00 PM AA Meeting

### Thursday, February 21

7:15 AM Wake Up Group  
12:15 PM WOW Bible Study  
1:00 PM TOY Theatre Workshop  
4:30 PM ENERGY Program  
5:00 PM Church Life Committee  
6:00 PM Handbells  
7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

### Friday, February 22

8:00 AM Ministry of Generosity  
1:00 PM TOY Theatre Workshop  
5:30 PM Centering Prayer

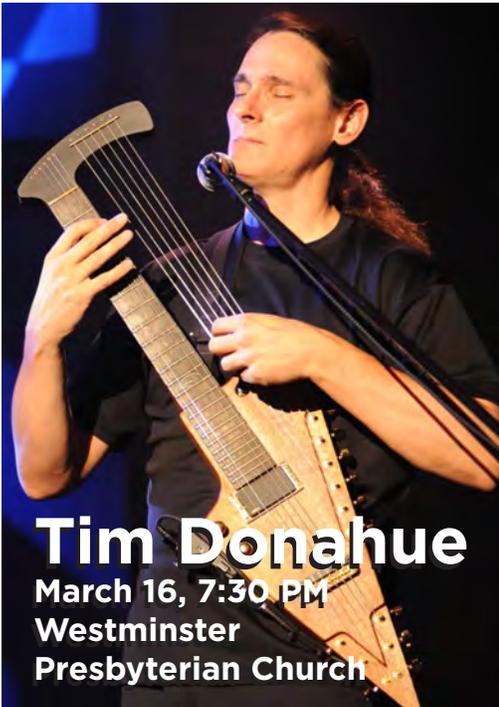
### Saturday, February 23

9:00 AM TOY Theater

### Sunday, February 24

8:00 AM Infant/Toddler Care  
8:15 AM Worship/Communion  
9:00 AM Heavenly Grounds  
9:00 AM Confirmation Class  
9:00 AM Case Library Series  
9:15 AM Spiritual Life  
9:15 AM Year of the Bible  
9:30 AM Dialogue Diner  
9:30 AM Choir Rehearsal  
10:30 AM Worship  
10:40 AM Sunday School  
11:30 AM Meet & Mingle  
2:30 PM Taize rehearsal  
4:00 PM Taize

# WESTMINSTER *Presents*



**Tim Donahue**  
March 16, 7:30 PM  
Westminster  
Presbyterian Church

Tim Donahue brings his harp guitar music to Westminster for a solo concert featuring pieces written especially for this night. He will be performing ethereal, melodic pieces on an instrument he invented, an electric harp guitar, which has an otherworldly quality to its sound. The concert is free; donations are gratefully accepted for the Westminster Friends of Music.



**TRINITY MASS**  
March 29, 2019 | 7:30 PM

## Wednesdays @ Westminster

February 20, 2019, 12 PM  
Tim Kennedy, founder and artistic director of Buffalo Opera Unlimited will be joined by Karen Schmid, pianist. In recognition of Black History Month, Tim will perform popular and unfamiliar spirituals.

**Taizé** | February 24, 2019, 4 PM  
Singers and instrumentalists guide worshippers in this meditative service of song and prayer.

**Ash Wednesday**  
March 6, 2019, 6 PM  
The Westminster Schola leads this service marking the beginning of the solemn season of Lent.

**Tim Donahue in Concert**  
March 16, 7:30 PM  
Tim Donahue brings his harp guitar music to Westminster for a solo concert featuring ethereal, melodic pieces.

**Wednesdays @ Westminster**  
March 20, 2019, 12 PM  
Bill and Beth Hennessy will be joined by banjoist, Peter Zalocham. In celebration of St. Patrick's Day, join us for this lively program featuring Celtic music and art.

**Compline** | March 24, 2019, 4 PM  
The Westminster Schola leads this candlelit service of renaissance music and sung scripture.

**Palm Sunday Evensong**  
April 14, 2019, 4 PM  
The Westminster Choirs present Britten's *Rejoice in the Lamb* to begin Holy Week.

**Wednesdays @ Westminster**  
April 17, 2019 at 12 PM  
Local singers perform *Saturday, 29 AD*, a meditation on the Crucifixion from Pilate's point of view.

**Maudy Thursday**  
April 18, 2019, 6 PM  
The Westminster Schola leads this service marking the night of the Last Supper.

**Improvisations on the Stations of the Cross**  
April 19, 2019 at 12 PM  
Garrett Martin improvises on each station, alternating with readings by Paul Claudel.

**Tenebrae, Service of Shadows**  
April 19, 2019, 8:02 PM  
The Westminster Choirs lead this service at sundown on the day of Christ's Crucifixion.

**Festival Service of the Resurrection**  
April 21, 2019, 10:30 AM  
The Westminster Choirs and Brass Octet celebrate the Resurrection on Easter morning.

**4th Annual Friends of Music Gala at the Saturn Club**  
May 3, 2019, 7:30 PM  
Join us for music, food, friends, and fun, all while supporting Westminster's vibrant music ministry.

**Westminster Handbell Choir**  
May 5, 2019, 4 PM  
Under the direction of Steve Mayo, the group will present favorites from the handbell canon. The Buffalo Gay Men's Chorus will join the Handbell Choir.

**Wednesdays @ Westminster**  
May 15, 2019, 12 PM  
Westminster member, Reid Hefner reads a selection of original short stories to celebrate the arrival of spring.

**Westminster Choir Concert**  
May 17, 2019, 7:30 PM  
The choir will present contemporary, classical, and popular choral anthems.

**Harmonia sings "A British Choral Tapestry"**  
May 19, 2019, 4 PM  
The Harmonia Chamber Choir perform favorite and lesser-known anthems inspired by the Anglican tradition.

For a complete listing of events, visit [wpcbuffalo.org/westminster-presents](http://wpcbuffalo.org/westminster-presents)

## WNY Chamber Orchestra: Mozart's Trinity Mass

WNYCO and the Westminster Choirs join forces to perform this Mozart masterpiece.





## Response

*The people stand to sing.*

Glo-ry to the Cre-a-tor, and to the  
 Son, and to the Ho-ly Ghost, as it was in the be-  
 -gin-ning is now and for-ev-er. A-men.

## Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

*Please share the peace of Christ with your neighbors.*

## Prayer for Illumination

## Scripture Lessons

Jeremiah 17:1-10; Luke 6:17-26

*Text can be found on pages 3 and 4.*

## Meditation

Whoa and Woe!

## Prayers of the People

Concluding with the Lord's Prayer

## Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*We will distribute the elements of communion today by intinction - simply take the bread and dip it in the cup. It is appropriate to say "Amen" or "Thanks be to God" when receiving the bread and the cup as they are gifts of God for the people of God. All of the bread distributed is gluten free. Please take the center aisle to the communion station, receive the elements, and return to your seat by a side aisle.*

## Sending Hymn, No. 423

Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun  
*The people stand to sing.*

DUKE STREET

## Benediction

## Closing Voluntary

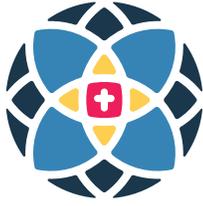
*Con moto maestoso* from Sonata No. 3

Felix Mendelssohn

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## Worship Leaders

The Reverend Dr. Thomas H. Yorty, Pastor  
Jennifer Shin, Glynda Stephens Taylor Organ Scholar



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