

West Hempfield Presbyterian Church

Sunday, August 17, 2025

Where you see the star (), please stand if you are comfortable.*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Joshua 1:9 says “The Lord your God is with you wherever you go.”

All: God is with us on the journey!

Leader: God is with us when we go off course!

All: God is with us when we’re joyful!

Leader: God is with us when we’re lonely!

All: God is with us near and far!

OPENING PRAYER

***HYMN # 664**

Morning Has Broken

***THE APOSTLES’ CREED**

SCRIPTURE

Hebrews 12:1-2

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

MINUTE FOR CHRISTIAN ED

Sunday School KickOff

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

The offering plate can be found at the main entrance of the sanctuary before and after worship. It is also possible to give online from the church website (westhempfieldpc.org) or by texting WHPC to 73256.

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

SCRIPTURE

Luke 12:32-38

SERMON

Be Prepared

***HYMN # 839**

Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!

BACK TO SCHOOL BLESSING PRAYER

— brief moment of silent prayer after each section —

When you hear the music, we will sing together

Hymn # 469

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

We will close the time of prayer together with these words:

We pray for all those who learn—children, youth, young adults, and adults. Keep them from being discouraged when facing the trials of the day. Instill in them a desire to grow in wisdom and understanding. Grant them the discipline of study and the ability to concentrate. We pray for all of us as learners, O God. We know that we never stop learning about your love and faithfulness. We thank you, O God our Creator, for teaching us through Your Word and through Your Son, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

***VBS SONG**

Wherever You Go

***BENEDICTION**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

POSTLUDE