

# West Hempfield Presbyterian Church

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**August 23, 2026**

10:45AM Worship Service



*Where you see the star (\*), you are invited to stand if you are comfortable.*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PRELUDE

### CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 138

Leader: We give thanks to God with our whole heart.

**All: We give thanks for God's steadfast love and faithfulness!**

Leader: Though high above all things, God sees the lowly.

**All: Even when we are in deep trouble, God makes us live again.**

Leader: The love of God lasts forever!

### OPENING PRAYER

### \*HYMN # 664

Morning Has Broken

### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Merciful God, You tasked us to be good stewards of Your creation and we have fallen short. You challenged us to love God and love our neighbor, and we have failed to show that love. You promise to bring all people joyfully together in a house of prayer on Your holy mountain. We find ways to stay apart. Bring us together, O Lord. Empower us with a spirit of love for You and love for all our neighbors. Forgive us when we fall short. Continue to transform Your world, leading us to Your promised kingdom ... (a moment for offering personal confessions in silence) ... in Christ's name we pray, **Amen.****

**\*WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

**\*GLORIA PATRI**

**SCRIPTURE**

Acts 6:1-7

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**MINUTE FOR FELLOWSHIP**

Golf Outing

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS**

The offering plate can be found on the table by the bulletins. It is also possible to give online from the church website ([westhempfieldpc.org](http://westhempfieldpc.org)) or by texting WHPC to 73256. With online giving it is possible to make a one-time gift or set up automatic, recurring donations.

Offertory

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

**SCRIPTURE**

Romans 12:1-8

**SERMON**

Community Helps Those in Need

**\*HYMN # 336**

We Gather Together

**PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY AND LORD'S PRAYER**

**\*HYMN # 546**

Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing

**\*BENEDICTION**

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**POSTLUDE**