

**Hymn 623 I've Got Peace like a River PEACE LIKE A RIVER**

*I've got peace like a river; I've got peace like a river; I've got peace like a river in my soul. I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river in my soul.*

*I've got joy like a fountain; I've got joy like a fountain; I've got joy like a fountain in my soul. I've got joy like a fountain; I've got joy like a fountain; I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.*

*I've got love like an ocean; I've got love like an ocean; I've got love like an ocean in my soul. I've got love like an ocean; I've got love like an ocean; I've got love like an ocean in my soul.*

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**Benediction Response**

**Postlude**



**February is Blanket Sunday Month!**

The Blanket Sunday program is sponsored by Church World Service (CWS). CWS distributes heavy and lightweight blankets to people who have lost their homes due to natural disasters, crime, financial duress due to Covid-19, and many other reason. Outlined in the 2020 Blanket Sunday Impact report, CWS distributed over 70,000 blankets and kits throughout the USA last year. On an international level CWS distributed over 37,000 kits to countries including Cuba, Mexico, Haiti, Puerto Rico, The Bahamas, and Romania.

A donation of \$10 will provide a blanket for 1 person, and \$50 will cover an entire family. CWS uses donations to replenish supplies in their warehouse in order to create emergency kits. Visit [CWSblankets.org](http://CWSblankets.org) to donate on-line, or send a check to the church with "Blanket Sunday" written on the memo line. Call Erika in the church office if you need help sending your donation.

Thanks for your help,

Margie Qua

WHP Church Mission Committee

# *Westhampton Presbyterian Church*



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*Join our LIVE streaming service on our website every Sunday morning at 10am.*

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*Faithfully Friendly For All – Always  
Welcome . Include . Involve*

PREPARATION

**Silent Meditation**    *Genesis 17:1-7*

*When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the LORD appeared to Abram, and said to him, "I am God Almighty; walk before me, and be blameless. And I will make my covenant between me and you, and will make you exceedingly numerous." Then Abram fell on his face; and God said to him, "As for me, this is my covenant with you: You shall be the ancestor of a multitude of nations. No longer shall your name be Abram, but your name shall be Abraham; for I have made you the ancestor of a multitude of nations. I will make you exceedingly fruitful; and I will make nations of you, and kings shall come from you. I will establish my covenant between me and you, and your offspring after you throughout their generations, for an everlasting covenant, to be God to you and to your offspring after you.*

**Prelude**            *Lamb of God*

**Greetings and Announcements**

**Call to Worship (In Unison)**

**We gather in the season of Lent, a time to examine our hearts and our lives and journey with Christ through the suffering of the world. Let us pick up our crosses and follow Christ on a path that is lined with God's love. God has marked us as beloved dust and called us together to worship.**

**Historical Reflection—There is a Balm in Gilead & I've Got Peace Like a River**

**Hymn 792**            *There is a Balm in Gilead*            **BALM IN GILEAD**

**REFRAIN:** *There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole; there is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin sick soul.*

*Sometimes I feel discouraged, and think my work's in vain, but then the Holy Spirit revives my soul again.*

**REFRAIN**

*Don't ever feel discouraged, for Jesus is your friend, and if you lack for knowledge, he'll not refuse to lend.*

**REFRAIN**

*If you cannot preach like Peter, if you cannot pray like Paul, you can tell the love of Jesus and say, "He died for all."*

**REFRAIN**

**CONFESSION AND PARDON**

**Unison Prayer of Confession**

**God, you have made us a covenant people, marked us as your own, and charged us for lives of service. Forgive us when we live as if your success were the worthiest aim or independence the highest virtue. Call us once more to take up our crosses, and show us how to follow you. Forgive us, God, and wash us in your mercy. Forgive us and free us to try again. (Time of Silence)**

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Response of Praise No. 581**            *Gloria Patri*

**A Virtual Exchange of Peace**

**L:** The peace of Christ be with you. **P:** And also with you.

**HEARING THE WORD OF GOD**

**Children's Sermon and the Lord's Prayer**

**Solo**            *My Song is Love Unknown*            Eric Wootten

**Scripture Reading**            **Mark 8: 31-38**

**L:** This is the Word of the Lord. **P:** Thanks be to God!

**Sermon**    *Not All Who Wander Are Lost*    Rev. Vanessa Winters

**Pastoral Prayer**

**DEDICATION AND RESPONSE**

**Thanking God through the Offering**

**Doxology No. 606**    *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**OLD HUNDREDTH**

**Prayer of Dedication**

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR February 28-March 7, 2021

**TODAY**                    2<sup>nd</sup> **Sunday in Lent**  
10:00 AM                    Virtual Worship Service  
10:30-11:15 AM            Virtual Coffee Hour via Zoom

**TUESDAY**  
7:00 PM                    Deacons Meeting

**NEXT SUNDAY**        3<sup>rd</sup> **Sunday in Lent**  
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Church Treasurers Email: For all church financial inquiries, please email: [wpctreas@gmail.com](mailto:wpctreas@gmail.com)

Deacon's Medical closet: Please contact the church office to set up a time for pick up or drop off.

**We Are Live!**

Click on "Live Church WebCam" in the right hand corner of the homepage.

**Tidings Articles**

Board members, Committee members, members and friends of our congregation are all welcome to submit an article, pictures, uplifting messages, community news, etc. to be published in our monthly newsletter. Let's stay connected!

Please email your submissions to [admin@westhamptonpresbyterian.org](mailto:admin@westhamptonpresbyterian.org) by the 20<sup>th</sup> each month.

*We welcome you as we would welcome  
Christ Himself!*

ANNOUNCEMENTS for February 28, 2021

The building remains closed at this time, but we are still here for you. Please call or email the church office during regular hours, Monday-Friday, 8:30am-3:30pm.

Out of an abundance of caution and love for the congregation, we will continue to have worship live streamed through to March 9th at which time the Session will meet again and re-evaluate the situation.



**\*Prayer Concerns**

**Recent:** Erica Fernandez, (Hanne Manker's grandson's fiancé); Kayla Reilly, Covid (Gale Seidler's son in law's niece); **Orient Congregational Church family, and the Haley, Bull, and Terry families;** Kim Makowski, organist at the First Presbyterian Church in Southampton; Kathy Mades, half sister to Jess, Siri & Joanna Howard; Inda Lawson, (Diane Perry's niece); Ricco Paraz Johnson Jr., (Diane Perry's great nephew); Ruth Feitl (Karl Feitl, Jr.'s mother & friend of Victoria Hedberg); Frintzilas family (Gale Seidler's nephew's family); Russell Babis; Kathleen Rogers (Kimberly Rogers Murawski's mother); Maureen Nelsen; Bob Wetter (Nancy & Wes Winters brother-in-law), pancreatic cancer; Robyn DeLorenzo, Ruth Duvall's granddaughter; Patrick J Knight, PLI Treasurer; John Lowe & Roberta Williams, friends of Vern Hackworth; Susan Sullivan, friend of Mary & John Hull; Kimberly Rogers Murawski; Dana Barrett, friend of Nancy Miller; Jay Sears  
**Long Term:** Chelsey Carter Collins, Southampton Care Center; Russell Deihl; Brad Carbone; Gene Hubbard; John Comba; Dorothy Evans; Paul & Ellen Pfaff; Rev. John Kloepfer, home

### Lenten Service Project—Baby Kits for Honduras

In 2020, Rev. Vanessa traveled to Honduras on a medical mission trip. Since then, she has been staying in touch with the doctors she met there through the organization KHISH. (Key Humanitarian Initiative of Southern Honduras) She recently heard that there is a great need for baby supplies. The greatest need is for baby blankets. These are used to line their crib or bed, cover them while their one set of clothes is washed, dry them after a bath, and keep them out of the dirt (Most homes have dirt floors).

These kits will be sent to the hospital in San Lorenzo, Honduras which is in the most southern part of the country, it is also the poorest. The hospital does not have the ability to send new mothers home with essential supplies that they need. Many mothers in this area are young and single. We are working with KHISH to see all supplies are sent directly where they are needed. This Lent, we are looking for donations for baby kits. **All donations must be received by Easter, April 4<sup>th</sup>. Donations may be dropped off on the porch of the manse.**

Inside Each Kit:

Crib-size quilt/blanket (not knitted)

-Bottle of baby wash

-3 onesies

-2 pairs baby socks

-4 washcloths

-Brush and comb

-Rattle/teether

-Card or drawing from you

\*Please note: This list does not include diapers. Not only will parents not be able to procure more when they run out, but they also contribute to the garbage issues in country. All garbage has to be burned as there are no sanitation services and diapers make a huge mess! Mothers are capable and able to do without them.

### 2021 Giving Envelope Boxes

For those who have one, you may pick up your 2021 Giving Envelopes on Tuesday mornings from 9:00am-12:00pm. There will be a table set up outside the church office for your convenience, weather permitting. -If you are interested in having an envelope box, please contact the church office and one will be provided to you.

### Check out our Online Directory!

You can view this up to date Directory anytime from your device or home computer! Just use the following link and enter the passcode:

<https://servantkeeper.com/directory/westhampton-presbyterian-church>

**Passcode: WHPChurch90**

### Sunday School Lessons

New Sunday School Lessons available each Sunday at 8:00 am.

Make sure you scroll to bottom of page:

Click here or go to: <https://theparentcue.org/faith/>

### Per Capita

Your 2021 Per Capita apportionment is \$43.08 *per church member*.

This includes the salary supplement of \$5 for Presbytery. All financial inquiries please contact Janet Hann, church treasurer at [wpctreas@gmail.com](mailto:wpctreas@gmail.com).

### Grocery Cards

If you would like to purchase a grocery card, please see Lynne Jones at Lynne's Cards & Gifts on Main Street; Monday-Friday, 12pm-5pm. Make checks payable to the Westhampton Presbyterian Church.