

## Prayer of Dedication

\*Hymn 326                      “For All the Saints”                      SINE NOMINE

*\*Please Proceed to the Memorial Garden for the final part of our service\**

**\*A Time for Remembrance of Members and Friends**

**\*Memorial Prayer**

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Choral Response to Benediction**    “Seven Fold Amen”  
John Stainer

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### In Remembrance

Do not stand at my grave and weep.  
I am not there, I do not sleep.  
I am a thousand winds that blow,  
I am the diamond glint on snow,  
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,  
I am the gentle morning rain.  
And when you wake in the morning's hush,  
I am the sweet uplifting rush  
of quiet birds in circled flight.  
I am the soft stars that shine at night.  
Do not stand at my grave and cry,  
I am not there, I did not die. - Anonymous



***WESTHAMPTON PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH***

***MEMORIAL SUNDAY  
MAY 25, 2025***

Faithfully Friendly For All – Always  
Welcome . Include . Involve

*Please silence all cell phones.*

*\*Please stand as able.*

**PREPARATION**

**Silent Meditation**

*Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. -John 14:27*

**Prelude**                      “Humbly I Adore Thee”                      Myron Casner

**Greetings and Announcements**

**Ringling of the Bell**

**Introit**                      “Behold a Host”                      Grieg

*Behold a host like mountains bright!  
Lo! Who are these arrayed in white.  
A glorious band, with palms in hand  
Around the throne of light?  
Lo, these are they who overcame  
Great tribulation in His name.  
And with His blood the Lamb of God  
Hath washed away their shame.  
Before God's face they sing and pray,  
Their voices blend with angels' lay.  
And all conspire, a joyous choir,  
To laud Him night and day.*

**\*Call to Worship**

Be gracious to us and bless us; O God, show us favor.  
**May your way, O God, be known upon the earth; may your deliverance be known among the nations.**  
Peoples will praise you, O God; all peoples will praise you.  
**Nations will exult and shout for joy, for you rule the peoples with equity; you guide the nations of the earth.**  
The peoples will praise you, O God; all people will praise you.  
**Let us worship God!**

**\*Hymn 1**    “Holy, Holy Holy! Lord God Almighty!”    NICAEA

**CONFESSION AND PARDON**

**\*Unison Prayer of Confession:**

Light of the world, you have given us your commandments because you love us, but we cannot keep them on our own. We give thanks for your Holy Spirit, who teaches us to follow. We praise you for these gifts, O Lord. Help us to live in response to your steadfast love until the time of your coming glory. Amen.  
(Time of Silence)

**Assurance of Pardon**

Hear the Good News! The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. Be at peace, beloved for it is in Christ that we all are forgiven. **Amen!**

**\*Response of Praise 581**                      “Gloria Patri”

**Exchange of Christ's 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**

*(Children remain in worship. Nursery care is available.)*

**Anthem**                      “In Remembrance”                      Daley

**Scripture Reading**                      Psalm 67; John 5:1-9

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

**Sermon**    “The God of Wholeness”                      Rev. Michael Hafele

**\*Hymn 375**    “Shall We Gather at the River”    HANSON PLACE

**Pastoral Prayer**

**DEDICATION AND RESPONSE**

**Thanking God through the Offering**

**\*Doxology 606**    “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”  
OLD HUNDREDTH

*Members & friends who have joined the Church Triumphant, remembered by memorial gifts during the past year and those whose Memorial/Funeral Services were conducted under the auspices of Westhampton Presbyterian Church.*

*May 26, 2024 – May 25, 2025*

***Jane Busking***

***John & Ella Comba***

***Ralph Downs***

***Helen Fitzsimons***

***Raymond Hann***

***Vernon & Elenor Hann***

***Charles Hedberg***

***Anjele Kalfayan***

***David LeBleu***

***Patricia Lutz***

***Margarette Quinn***

***Joyce Reaver***

***James Sperber***

***Phyllis Styrzo***

***Joan Thornton***

***Chase Van Saun***

***Ruth Lawrence Wittmer***

*Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. Psalm 23:4*

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

May 25-June 1, 2025

**TODAY**                      **6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter - Memorial Sunday**  
**Rev. Michael Hafele**

9:15 AM                      Choir Rehearsal  
10:00 AM                      Worship followed by Coffee Hour  
11:15 AM                      Choir Rehearsal

**MONDAY**                      **Memorial Day – Office Closed**

**WEDNESDAY**

9:30 AM                      Membership Committee Meeting

**THURSDAY**

11:00 AM                      Funeral Service: Ralph Downs

**SATURDAY**

8:00AM-5:00PM              Preschool Graduation Ceremony - Field

**SUNDAY**

**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter - Communion**  
**Rev. Michael Hafele**

9:15 AM                      Choir Rehearsal  
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**After hours:** If you are in need of pastoral care, you may contact  
Rev. Michael Hafele: 929-777-1497

-A.A. Meetings: Sat. 10am (parking area or choir room); Wed. &  
Sun. 6:30pm Parish Hall; Sun. 12pm classroom

-**Bulletin announcements must be received to the office by  
Wednesday each week to be included in the Sunday bulletin.**

-**Tidings Articles are due by the 20th each month to be  
included in the monthly newsletter. All are welcome to  
participate!**

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS for May 25, 2025

-Please sign the guest book so that the church can stay  
connected with you.  
-**LARGE PRINT** bulletins and hymnals are available in the rear  
of the sanctuary for easy reading. Please ask an usher for  
assistance.

**Prayer Concerns:**

**Recent:** John Cesario, recovery; Karen Derryberry, breast  
cancer; Tom Cuffari, cancer (friend of Stu & Mimi Wood);  
Sarah Waite, healing prayers (niece of Mary & John Hull);  
Carolyn Manker Smith, breast cancer (Hanne & Bill Manker's  
daughter); Mariko Pichardo, healing prayers; Lenny Rempe,  
(longtime member of WPC); Susan Sullivan, friend of John and  
Mary Hull; Leslie Johnson, cancer (Stephanie Miller's mother);  
Pat Bebon; Libby Hirsch, cancer (Tom Rogers' cousin)  
**Long Term:** Ralph Neubauer; Chelsey Carter Collins,  
Hamptons Center for Rehab; Kimberly Rogers Murawski;  
Ralph Downs, Florida; Dana Barrett, friend of Nancy Miller



**Sound/Audio/Visual Operator**

Richard Childs, Will McDaris, Bruce Qua, Leigh Wanamaker

**Ushers**

Donna & Korey Williams

**Flower Dedication**

*The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the Glory of God,  
in memory of those who have joined the church triumphant.*  
By the Williams Family

### **Christian Sympathy**

We extend our deepest Christian sympathy to siblings Kevin Downs and Susan Akhoondan and their entire extended family on the passing of their beloved father and long time member of the Westhampton Presbyterian Church, Ralph Downs on May 15, 2025 in Clearwater, FL. If you wish to send condolences, please contact the church office.

### **Service arrangements:**

Thursday, May 29, 2025

11:00 AM

Westhampton Presbyterian Church

90 Meeting House Road

Westhampton Beach, NY 11978

Following the service, all are welcome in the Parish Hall for a brief reception of refreshments and artwork and burial at the Westhampton Cemetery.

### **Food Pantry**

Our community food pantry desperately needs assistance. Please help by donating nonperishable food items, personal care items (such as shampoo, soap, diapers, toothpaste, etc.) and household cleaning supplies. All donations should be unexpired and unused. Please leave your donations in the basket located in the church entryway or in the church office. Thank you for supporting our community.

### **Hike with Janet! May 31<sup>st</sup>**

Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup>: Red Creek Park in Hampton Bays to Squiretown Park overlooking Peconic Bay. See Janet Hann in coffee hour.

### **DUE! Memorial Scholarship Applications**

Applications are available to eligible high school seniors and college level students who will be attending an accredited academic institution in the Fall. Applications are available in the Church office, the Youth table after worship and can also be requested by contacting Ellen Campbell at [ecampbell18@optonline.net](mailto:ecampbell18@optonline.net). **Application deadline is June 1<sup>st</sup>.**

### **Sunday Audio Volunteer needed**

Dear Friends, as many of you know, we livestream our Sunday services to reach those in our church community who are unable to attend in person. Each week, a small team of dedicated volunteers

manages the video and audio equipment and ensures the stream goes live on our YouTube channel. Because the team is quite small and not always available, we are looking for a committed volunteer to join and support this important ministry on a more regular basis. If you are interested—or know someone who might be—please reach out to Bruce Qua, who leads the team. Thank you for your continued support! Blessings, Maik Jornitz Elder, Communication & Tech

### **Church Picnic: Sunday, June 8th!**

The Annual Church Picnic will be taking place immediately following worship on Sunday, June 8th. Join us on the back field to enjoy an afternoon of fun and fellowship. Hamburgers and hot dogs, beverages and children's activities will be provided. Be sure to add your name to the sign-up sheet located in the Parish Hall and let us know if you would like to bring a side dish or dessert. Volunteers for set-up (especially those with a truck!), grilling and clean-up are needed and most appreciated. See contact Elder Ellen Campbell (631-255-9307) if you would like to help in any way.

### **Paint Night!**

Join us on **Friday, June 6th from 7-9pm** in the Parish Hall for a spring themed Paint Night! Cost is \$40 which covers the cost of materials and refreshments. There will also be a number of basket raffles! Look for the sign-up sheet in the Parish Hall. If you have any questions, you can speak to any member of the Fundraising Committee. *About the Artist:* At the age of 8 years old, Ginger Baer knew she was an artist. She attended Long Island University at C.W Post receiving a Bachelor of Fine Arts and a Master of Science in Education. She has been teaching art in public schools for over 30 years while working as an exhibiting artist. Creating art makes her whole and she has made it her life's mission to offer the gift of creating art to others.

### **Children's Activity Bags available during worship!**

Parents: please take a moment to grab an activity bag for your child. There are multi-colored tote bags in the rear of the sanctuary that your child can explore during worship, designed just for them by our wonderful librarian and Christian Ed department. Please return them to the same space after worship. Thank you.