

*Hymn 649 “Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound”
AMAZING GRACE

Charge and Benediction

Postlude “All Glory Be to God On High” Johann Pachelbel

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Westhampton Presbyterian Church



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SUNDAY WORSHIP AT 10 A.M.
CHURCH SCHOOL FOLLOWING CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE

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

14th Sunday after Pentecost September 14, 2025

**Please stand as able*

Please silence all cell phones

PREPARATION

Silent Meditation Psalm 51:10

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.

Prelude “How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds”

Paul Bauman

Greetings and Announcements

Ring of the Bell

Introit “You Shall Have a Song” Ziegenhals

*Call to Worship

The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance,

that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

Though the strong wind of judgment blows, all is not ended.

God will renew stubborn hearts and soften stiff necks,

for Jesus welcomed sinners and ate with them,

so we boldly come to make an offering of worship to the God

of mercy, who seeks and saves the lost.

Let us rejoice in the grace of our Lord!

Let us worship God!

***Hymn 32** “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” ELLACOMBE

CONFESSION AND PARDON

*Unison Prayer of Confession

Create in us clean hearts, O God, cast out any transgression

you find there—ransack, renovate, redecorate! Deep in our

hearts, remove fearful features and restore your original

design. The old lamps are dim; bring new light into the

darkness. Make your dwelling place deep in our hearts, and

teach us wisdom, so the hearts you transform may rejoice. This

we pray in the name of Christ Jesus, the Lord. Amen.

*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 No. 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

Congregation sings “Jesus Loves me”

(Children are excused to Sunday School)

Christian Education Awards

Eloise Carter

Cindy Campbell

Scott Campbell

Kathy Tureski

Marie Yervasi

Anthem “It is God to Praise the Lord” Drenan

Scripture Readings Exodus 32:7-14, Luke 15:1-10

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

Sermon “The God Who Rejoices!” Rev. Michael Hafele

***Hymn 442** “Just As I Am, without One Plea” WOODWORTH

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer

DEDICATION AND RESPONSE

Thanking God through the Offering

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

OLD HUNDREDTH

Prayer of Dedication

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR September 14-21, 2025

TODAY **14th Sunday after Pentecost**
Rev. Michael Hafele
10:00 AM Sanctuary Service followed by Coffee Hour
5:00 PM Family Night at Rogers Beach

MONDAY
7:00 PM Online Bible Study with pastor Michael

TUESDAY
7:00 PM Trustees Meeting

SUNDAY **15th Sunday after Pentecost**
Rev. Michael Hafele
10:00 AM Sanctuary Service followed by Coffee Hour
4:00 PM Installation Service of Pastor Michael



Summer Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9am-12pm until September 8th. Please call for assistance after hours, 631-288-2576.

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 Tuesday 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!**

If you are visiting this morning, you do not come as a visitor but as a family member in Christ. You are welcome here as you are.

ANNOUNCEMENTS for September 14, 2025

-Please sign the guest book located in your pew so that the church can stay connected with you. Please pass to your neighbor so all are able to sign.

-**LARGE PRINT** bulletins and hymnals are available in the rear of the sanctuary for easy reading. Please ask an usher for assistance.

-**Nursery Care** is available during worship in the West Wing.

Prayer Concerns:

Recent: Jan Vinokour, recovering from a serious fall (friend of Mary & John Hull); Bob Kreiger, healing prayers; Dick Anderson, healing prayers; Linda Rogers, lymphoma; Karen Derryberry, breast cancer; 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; Dana Barrett, friend of Nancy Miller



Sound/Audio/Visual Operator

Richard Childs, Bruce Qua, Leigh Wanamaker

Ushers

Tom & Jane Otis

Flowers

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the Glory of God in loving memory of Marilyn M. Wood.

By Stu & Mimi Wood

Christian Sympathy

We give our deepest Christian sympathy to Kara Bak Lynch and her entire extended family on the passing of her beloved father, grandfather and member of WPC Robert Cheeseman on Thursday, September 4, 2025. A service was held at the Bellmore Presbyterian Church on Friday, September 12. Condolences may be sent to:

Mrs. Kara Bak
21 Jennifers Path
Westhampton Beach, NY 11978

Tonight! Family Night at Rogers Beach

Bring your own picnic supper and join us at Rogers Beach on Sunday, September 14th at 5pm. Don't forget your beach chairs, blankets and cutlery. All are invited, so bring your friends and family too! *Address: 105 Dune Rd. Westhampton Beach. **Parking will be permitted for this event.***

Monday Night Bible On-Line Study with Pastor Michael

September 15, Luke 16:1-13
September 22, Luke 16:19-31
September 29, Luke 17:5-10
Zoom Meeting ID: 989 7751 5413
Passcode: 645951

Installation Service of Rev. Michael Hafele

Please join us for the installation of pastor Michael on Sunday, September 21, 2025 at 4:00 pm in the sanctuary.

Pampered Chef Party!

It's that time again—our Annual Pampered Chef Fundraiser! 🎉
Friday, Sept 26th at 6:30 PM, at the home of Lynne Jones
Come enjoy a fun cooking demo + delicious tasting while supporting a great cause! Can't join us in person? No worries—you can still shop and support here: <https://table.pamperedchef.com/party/2416502epg>
Prefer a catalog? Order forms and catalogs will also be available at coffee hour! Please RSVP to: Lynne Jones: 631-921-5174; Jenny Gillin: 631-682-0265. Feel free to invite a friend and share the link! The more the merrier!

Exploring the Community of WPC

On Sunday, September 21st from 9:00-9:45am pastor Michael will give those that are interested an opportunity to explore what it means to become part of the community at WPC.

Food Pantry Needs

According to the most recent US Census, close to 10 million children Nationally are living in poverty. LI food banks are desperately low. Please donate nonperishable food items, necessary male & female personal products and children's snacks. Thank you for supporting our community." Your donations have been a blessing to our community pantry.

Scrap Metal Drive!

Saturday, September 27th from 9am-2pm

There will be a GIANT Gershow Recycling container in our church parking lot. We will be accepting any and all metals including house hold appliances, bicycles, metal patio sets, pots and pans, grills, washers and dryers... you name it we're collecting! Bring it down or contact the church if you have large items that you cannot get here for the Scrap Metal Drive. All proceeds will be donated to the church operating budget! Volunteers are always welcome during this event.

Presbyterian Women

We meet on the second Wednesday at 12pm each month throughout the year and gather for evening meetings too! Whether a friend or member of WPC, please join us! Look to the calendar for dates and if you are not on the P.W. email list, please contact the church office.

Presbyterian Women: WARM UP FOR WINTER SWEATER SALE

Wanted: sweaters, coats, jackets and even sweatshirts in GOOD condition for the PW's " Warm Up For Winter Sweater Sale" coming in October. While you are putting away your winter clothes and getting out the summer clothes, put aside sweaters and the above that no longer fit, that you are tired of or you just don't want anymore. GOOD condition means no stains, no holes and no one-step away from the rag bag! It would be helpful if they are labeled. Bring them to the church office and Gini and crew will be sorting them out and storing them for the fall.