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### Sermon Notes

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# WESTMINSTER WEEKLY

## MARCH 8, 2026



### Welcome to Westminster!

No matter who you are, we're glad you're here! We pray that you will experience the welcoming, healing, and transforming love of God.

You can learn a lot more about Jesus Christ and about Westminster by stopping by the Welcome Center in the lobby, by visiting [rcwestminster.com](http://rcwestminster.com), and/or by speaking with one of our pastors or staff members.

Please consider filling out a Connection Card (enclosed) and place it in the offering collection so we can connect and follow up with you!

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## Welcome & Announcements

### Bells: *What Wondrous Love*

arr. by Martha Lynn Thompson

### Call to Worship (see screen)

### Bells: *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded / O Love Divine, What Hast Thou Done*

arr. by Martha Lynn Thompson

### Worship Music

### Prayer of Confession

### Worship Music

### Proclaiming the Gospel

Children's Message

Paul Birnbaum

Scripture: Genesis 11:1-9

Sermon: The Problem with Pride

Pastor Bob Jacobs

### Worship Music

### Community Prayer

### Offering Ourselves to God

### Worship Music

### Blessing

### Closing Song

### BIRTHDAY THANK YOU

The McDougall/Gill family would like to thank everyone for the birthday cards and wishes sent for Don McDougall's 90th birthday!!

### LIFE GROUPS!

Life Groups (small group that meet to grow in friendship and faith) are the best way to grow within our congregation. Today is a great time to start. **If you're interested in learning more, contact Scott Kenner at [skenner@rushmore.com](mailto:skenner@rushmore.com) or sign up Sunday mornings at the welcome center.**

### MEXICO MISSION TRIP FUNDRAISER

Please plan to come have dinner **at Blaze Pizza on Mountain View on Tuesday, March 17 from 5-8pm**. Mention the Westminster fundraiser (even better, show a picture of the flyer -- see the kiosk) and our team will receive a percentage of the proceeds, helping us go to represent Westminster in the Yucatan in April as we learn and help build cisterns to collect clean water.

### BAPTISM SEMINAR

Ever since the 1st century church, Easter is a traditional time for baptism. If you (or your children) haven't been baptized, consider attending the **Baptism Seminar held after worship on Sunday, March 29**. You'll learn what baptism means, and how to talk about it with friends and family. The Seminar will be held in the Chapel from 11:30 to noon.

### PER CAPITA

Part of being in the Presbyterian Church (USA) means we have the opportunity to bless rural congregations as well as other ministries. One of the ways we do that is through the "PER CAPITA" offering. The suggested offering amount this year is **44.00 per person**. Please **write Per Capita on the MEMO LINE of your check or on the envelope**.

### PALM SUNDAY CHOIR

Natalie and Tori are planning a special musical treat to be performed during the Palm Sunday church service. The children will be singing and will be joined by the adult choir, who will sing an echo part. Please join the Worship Team for this neat event. The choir will have a short **practice right after church on March 8th and March 15th and then with the kids at 9:00 a.m., March 22nd**. We will also meet to practice with the children at 9:00 a.m. on Palm Sunday. The children love to sing with the "big choir", and we will need a lot of adult voices so that kids don't put us to shame. **Please contact Tori at [tori@rcwestminster.com](mailto:tori@rcwestminster.com) if interested.**

### HOLY WEEK PASSOVER (SEDER) DINNER

The Last Supper that Jesus shared with his disciples before his death was a special meal called the Passover (see Exodus 12). As Christians, we can participate in a similar meal called the Seder that shows in a fun and interactive way how the death and resurrection of Jesus is part of a much larger biblical story. **Join us on Thursday, April 2 at 5:30pm. All are welcome!**

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