



**NORTHWOODS  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**Matthew 8:18-27**

**June 25, 2023**

**Prelude** - *The prelude is a call of consecration for the worship of the Almighty God. During this time, let us prepare our hearts in reverence and silent prayer.*

*As you prepare for worship, consider:*

Westminster Shorter Catechism, Question #15

Q. What was the sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created?

A. The sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created, was their eating the forbidden fruit.

**Welcome**

## **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Call to Worship**

Psalm 148:7-14

Praise the LORD from the earth, You great sea creatures and all the depths; Fire and hail, snow and clouds; Stormy wind, fulfilling His word; Mountains and all hills; Fruitful trees and all cedars; Beasts and all cattle; Creeping things and flying fowl; Kings of the earth and all peoples; Princes and all judges of the earth; Both young men and maidens; Old men and children. Let them praise the name of the LORD, For His name alone is exalted; His glory is above the earth and heaven. And He has exalted the horn of His people, The praise of all His saints-- Of the children of Israel, A people near to Him. Praise the LORD!

**Hymn 170\***

*Fairest Lord Jesus*

**Invocation\***

**The Law of God**

Ephesians 5:15-21

See then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise, redeeming the time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be unwise, but understand what the will of the Lord is. And do not be drunk with wine, in which is dissipation; but be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord, giving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, submitting to one another in the fear of God.

## **Confession of Sins**

### **The Promise of the Gospel**

John 3:16-17

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved."

### **Hymn 40\***

*God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength*

### **Tithes and Offerings**

Supporting the Work of the Church

### **Hymn 731\***

*Doxology*

### **Pastoral Prayer**

### **Sermon Text\***

Matthew 8:18-27

### **Sermon**

What Kind of Man Is This?

### **Hymn 689\***

*Be Still, My Soul*

### **Benediction\***

### **Postlude**

\*Indicates Congregation Standing

### **Our Traditional Worship**

Northwoods believes that a traditional worship service reflects the reverence suggested by Scripture. You will notice that we differ from many evangelical churches who practice a contemporary form of worship, because of our simple accompaniment and use of the historic hymns of the faith. We believe that "worship" includes the entire service, not just the music, and therefore we distribute our hymns of praise throughout the service. May God bless us as we worship Him together.

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## Serving in the House of the Lord Today

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**June 25, 2023**

**Ushers** – Ken Tunnickliff, Justin Manning, Alex Davison, Harry Nemetz, Seth Gildemaster

**Serving Next Week (July 2, 2023):**

**Ushers** – Ken Tunnickliff, Justin Manning, Alex Davison, Harry Nemetz, Micah Gildemaster

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## Cry Room/Nursery

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We desire children to join us in worship, and do not mind their sounds. However, as a parent, if you feel the need to step out with your child we have both a cry room (upstairs near the main doors) and a nursery (downstairs) available. Both are unattended. The sermon is broadcast into both as well.

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To submit prayer requests or announcements for the email chain or the bulletin email [prayer@northwoodspca.org](mailto:prayer@northwoodspca.org).

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