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Park Lake Church Picnic, Join us on **Sunday, March 11** at Langford Park, 1808 East Central Blvd., Orlando (changed from Blue Jacket Park) After worship 12noon - 3:00 pm, bring your lunch and beverage, the Pavilion has been reserved but bring your own picnic blanket, chairs and outdoor games if you would like.



Join us for Fellowship and fun! All are Welcome!

Congregational Meeting today, February 18 after worship.

**Park Lake
 Presbyterian Church**
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February 18, 2018

Order of Worship

10:30 a.m.

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements
 Minute for Mission
 Time of Silence
 Prelude

largo in G
 Will Benton, Organist
 G.F. Handel

Introit *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying*
 Chancel Choir words and music
 by Ken Medema, 1970

*Lord, listen to your children praying. Lord, send your Spirit in this place.
 Lord, listen to your children praying. send us love; send us power; send us grace.*

Call to Worship
 God calls us away from the upheaval and commotion of the world, so that we may focus our thoughts on things that are lasting.

In God's presence we see our lives more clearly; our broken pieces are put back together.

God calls us out of loneliness into a life of community.
When we worship together, care about one another, we find out what it means to be truly human.

Let us be called together to worship as this Body of Christ.

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn of Praise (insert) Jesus, Savior, Lord, Now to You I Come

This Week at Park Lake

MISSION FAIR WEEK, Wednesday-Sunday, FEBRUARY 21-25

Sun. Feb 18	Mon. Feb 19	Tues. Feb 20	Wed. Feb 21	Thurs. Feb 22	Fri. Feb 23	Sat. Feb 24
9:00 am Sunday School (Educ. Bldg)		10:00 am Staff Meeting	9:30 am Chapel		Church Office Closed	
10:00 am Refreshments & Snacks (SH)	12:00 am Men's lunch (SH)					
10:30 am Worship (S)			6:00 pm PLOW, Dinner, Guest speakers from Grace Medical & Zebra Coalition (SH)		5:00 pm Silent Auction 6:00 pm International potluck dinner, Guest speakers Berry & Elizabeth Long (SH)	
		7:00 pm Boy Scouts				

Scripture Reading

Mark 1:9-15 (NT, p. 33)

Unison Prayer of Confession

Lord God – Like Jesus, you call us into the wilderness, into those places where we must rely totally upon you for our survival. Each time we have entered those places we have been tempted and tested. We are tempted to turn back before the time is right for turning back; tempted to panic and turn to our own resources rather than have patient confidence in your presence and will. Help us, Lord, should this be a time in our lives when we feel alone, a time in which we feel oppressed by the evil one, help us to cling to you and the blessings that you have prepared for us in the middle of the wilderness. Lead us on our journey, and bring us safe to the other side.

(time of silent prayer)

Assurance of Forgiveness

Remember that Christ died for sins once and for all, so that he might bring us to God cleansed of unrighteousness. “Baptism...now saves you, not as removal of dirt from the body but as an appeal to God for a clear conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ.”

In our baptism, we claim a new life, assured of forgiveness and wholeness in Jesus Christ, who intercedes with God on our behalf. Thanks be to God.

*Passing of the Peace

*Response No. 363

I Want Jesus to Walk With Me

THE WORD

Welcoming the Children

Following Welcoming the Children, age 3 yrs - 1st Grade, will proceed downstairs for a Bible lesson. The children will return after the sermon.

Blessing of Children

tune - Hymn No. 535, Tallis Canon

***Go with them, Lord, and guide their way, through this and every coming day,
That in Your spirit strong and true, their lives may be a gift to You.***

Scripture Reading

1 Peter 3:13-22 (NT, p. 220)

Sermon

“In Step with Jesus”

Dr. Helen DeBevoise

The Affirmation of Faith p. 14

The Apostles’ Creed

The Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Offertory

Lonesome Valley

Folk song arranged by George Lynn, 1949

Maeghin Mueller soprano

Chancel Choir

*Jesus walked this lonesome valley; he had to walk it by himself.
Oh, nobody else could walk it for him; he had to walk it by himself.*

*You must walk this lonesome valley; you have to walk it by yourself.
Oh, nobody else can walk it for you; you have to walk it by yourself.*

*You must go and stand your trial; you have to stand it by yourself.
Oh, nobody else can stand it for you; you have to stand it by yourself.*

*The Doxology No. 592

SENDING

*Hymn No. 81

Lord Who Throughout These 40 Days

Charge and Benediction

Choral Response

God Be with You Till We Meet Again

Chancel Choir

Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

Words by Jeremiah Eames Rankin, 1880

*God be with you till we meet again; loving counsels guide, uphold you,
with a shepherd’s care enfold you: God be with you till we meet again.*

Postlude

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William Matthias

Will Benton, Organist

*All who are able may stand

There are elders who meet for prayer in the East transept of the sanctuary following worship. You are invited to ask for special prayer by meeting them there or placing a prayer card in the offering plate.

February Ushers are John Gardepe, Anne Gardepe, Marie Butler, Frank Kaney, John Rachey, Eleanor Hummert and Bill Chamberlain.

789 Jesus, Savior, Lord, Now to You I Come

Saranam, saranam

Refrain

Je - sus, Sav - ior, Lord, now to you I come. Sa - ra -
 You're my rock, my ref - uge, my heaven - ly home. Sa - ra -

Fine

1 From the earth wher-ev-er I may be,
nam, sa-ra-nam, sa-ra - nam. 2 In your heart give me a hid-ing place,
 3 Then with joy to you my vows I'll pay,

out of des - per - a - tion and through ag - o - ny, I cry in
 and be - neath your wings let me find shel-tering grace; O let me
 and give thanks for all your mer - cy ev - ery day. I'll hum - bly

to Refrain

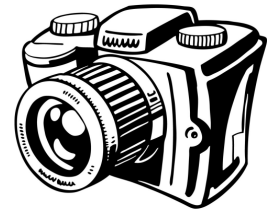
help-less-ness: O an - swer me. Sa - ra - nam, sa-ra-nam, sa-ra - nam.
 see the sun-shine of your face. Sa - ra - nam, sa-ra-nam, sa-ra - nam.
 fol - low in your per - fect way. Sa - ra - nam, sa-ra-nam, sa-ra - nam.

Claimed by both Pakistanis and Indians, this is one of the most popular South Asian hymns. The text represents a Christian adaptation of Psalm 61, and the psalm's theme is reinforced by the mantra-like repetition of the word "saranam," meaning "I take refuge" or "surrender."



Church Directory Photos

Appointments for photo sessions will be taken on:
Wednesday, March 7



3 Options for making an appointment:

- Go to: plpc.org, scroll down to **Sign-Ups at the bottom of the Home page to Church Directory Photo**
- If you don't have access to a computer, on **February 18** we will have a sign up table in the Sanctuary after worship to make your photo session appointment.
- **Call the church office** at 407/841-6550, Mondays- Thursdays, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Scheduling will need to be completed by **February 22**

Every person or family group photograph will receive:

- **1 free**, 8x10 photograph
- **1 free**, copy of the directory
- You will also be given a chance to purchase additional photos from your session at the time of check out the day of the photo event.



We really hope all Park Lake church members will participate in this effort to give us a complete membership directory!