

"You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem ...

Park Lake Presbyterian Church

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Order of Worship

May 15, 2016

10:30 a.m.

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Silence

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1-4 (NT page 111)



and to the ends of the earth."
Acts 1:8, NRSV

Call to Worship

Holy Spirit, Lord and Giver of life,
in the beginning of time, you moved over the face of the waters;
you breathe into every living being the breath of life.

Come, Creator Spirit, and renew the whole creation.

Holy Spirit, voice of the prophets:
you enflame men and women with a passion for your truth,
and through them, call your people to ways of justice and compassion.

Come, Spirit of Righteousness, and burn in our hearts.

Holy Spirit, Spirit of Jesus: By your power Jesus came to bring good news to the poor and
release to those held captive;

Holy Spirit, Advocate, Teacher: You speak to us of our Lord, and show us the depth of his
love.

**Come, liberating Spirit, and free us from the power of sin and death. Come, Spirit of
Truth, dwell in us and lead us in the way of Jesus Christ.**

Holy Spirit, Wind and Flame: You filled disciples with joy and courage, empowering them
to preach your Word and share your good news.

Holy Spirit, Spirit of Peace: You break down barriers of language, race, and culture, and
heal the divisions that separate us.

Holy Spirit, Lord and Giver of Life: At the close of the age, all creation will be renewed to sing your praise.

Come, Spirit of Power, make us bold witnesses of your redeeming love.

Come, Reconciling Spirit, and unite us all in the love of Christ.

Come, Creator Spirit, and make us new creations in Jesus Christ.

All sing:

Come all you people, come and praise your Maker;

come all you people, come and praise your Maker;

come all you people, come and praise your Maker;

come now and worship the Lord.

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn of Praise No. 126

Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove

Scripture Reading

Genesis 11:1-9

Pew Bible, OT page 8

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of all hope and joy,

we confess that we continue to live in fear.

You send your Word to enliven us, yet we remain dry bones.

You send your Spirit to empower us, yet we fail to dream new dreams.

Forgive us, God of grace.

Lead us according to your way, guide us into your truth,

and deliver us from death to life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

(time of silent prayer)

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the great good news of our faith: The Spirit is alive!

Breathe, children of God, breathe the fresh winds of the Spirit.

Taste, children of God, taste the quenching waters of God's love.

Those who are in Christ are a new creation: everything old has passed away;

see, everything has become new! (2 Cor. 5:17-18)

*Response

O Holy Dove of God Descending
Choir sings verse 1, All sing verses 2-4

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:5-21

Pew Bible, NT page 111

Anthem

Sermon

“We’ve Got Spirit, Yes We Do!”

Dr. Dan DeBevoise

*Affirmation of Faith (from A Brief Statement of Faith PCUSA)

We trust in God the Holy Spirit,

everywhere the giver and renewer of life.

The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith,

sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor,

and binds us together with all believers

in the one body of Christ, the church.

The same Spirit

who inspired the prophets and apostles

rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture,

engages us through the Word proclaimed,

claims us in the waters of baptism,

feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation,

and calls women and men to all ministries of the church.

In a broken and fearful world

the Spirit gives us courage

to pray without ceasing,

to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior,

to unmask idolatries in church and culture,

to hear the voices of peoples long silenced,

and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.

In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,

we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks

and to live holy and joyful lives,

even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,

praying, Come, Lord Jesus!

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

“Fill-a Me Up”

Pepper Choplin, 2002

Chancel Choir

Fill-a me up, come-a Holy Spirit, fill-a me up to the top-a my soul.

Fill-a me up, come-a Holy Spirit, fill-a me up now and take control.

So many things try to fill me up, so many things try to weigh me down.

Fill-a my heart now until you stay and chase the other things away.

Now my heart is an open door. Here your Spirit is welcome, Lord.

Fill-a my heart now and let it grow and change my life so all will know.

*Doxology

SENDING

*Hymn of Response (next page)

Let It Breathe on Me

Charge and Benediction

Benediction Response

Amen

Peter Lutkin

Postlude

Postlude

Wm. Mathias

***All who are able may stand**

Ushers for May are Susan Gantt, Jane Callahan, Maria Larr, Katherine Kelley, Susan Frith and Nancy Jones.

Opportunities for May 15 - 21

Sunday Food Drive

11:45am Choir Rehearsal

5:00pm Hotel Meeting (C1)

Monday

12:00pm Men's study/lunch (SH)

Tuesday Worship & Work Deadline

10:00am Staff (C1)

4:00pm CCC Committee (P)

7:00pm Scouts (SH)

Wednesday

6:00pm PLOW (SH) menu: Chicken Tetrizzini

Thursday

6:00pm Park Lake Gay Straight Partnership (Clark's)

Next Sunday, May 22

9:00am Sunday School - Jim Atwood, guest speaker
(see announcement below)

10:30am Worship

11:45am Luncheon (SH) - Jim Atwood, speaker

Guest Speaker on Gun Violence

Jim Atwood - Next Sunday, May 22

Our guest will **speak in Sunday School at 9 am** and **lead a discussion at lunch** in Struble Hall following worship.

The Rev. Dr. James E. Atwood is the author of "America and its Guns: A Theological Expose." He is one of the writers of the PCUSA's study on "Gun Violence, Gospel Values", a longtime board member and former Chair of the Coalition to Stop Gun Violence, which he joined following the death of a church member by a teenager with a gun. A former Missionary to Japan and Pastor Emeritus of Trinity Presbyterian in Arlington, VA, Jim is a hunter, gun owner and was Interfaith Chair of The Million Man March in 2000.

Jim, a friend of Nancy and Bill Warlick and Peggy Howland, was one of the speakers at this weekend's Compassion Peace and Justice Florida Symposium held at Maitland Presbyterian church.

PLOW - Wednesday, May 18

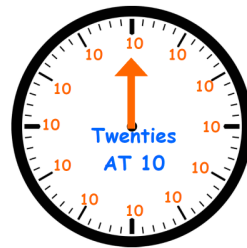


Help create *Surf Shack* for VBS this Wednesday – think beach party! No prior experience needed. Use your creativity from the creator to work on decorations; your help is appreciated!

VBS Volunteers still needed; contact Helen DeBevoise helen@plpc.org or 407-841-6550.

Menu: Chicken Tetrizzini

"20s at 10"



Here's a shout out to our post high school grads and you in your twenties!

You've wondered where your 'place' is when you come back to PLPC? Just for you there will be morning coffee/tea/juice and donuts at 10am each Sunday morning in Conference Rm. #1. Meet us there to catch up on each other's life and then meander to church at 10:30.

We want to see your smiling faces!

Let It Breathe on Me

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Magnolia Lewis-Butts, 1941; alt.

Job 33:4; Ezek. 37:1-14; John 20:19-23

1 Let it breathe on me, let it breathe on me, let the breath of the
 2 While I'm work - ing, God, in your vine - yard here, I can - not
 3 When the path - way, God, I can - not see, when the way is

Spir - it breathe on me. Let it breathe on me, let it
 serve with - out you near; O come, blessed Spir - it, so
 hard, O breathe on me; Give me grace to know when

breathe on me, let the breath of God now breathe on me.
 close to me that I may feel you breathe on me.
 you are near, then, I pray, O Spir - it, breathe on me.

Songwriter Magnolia Lewis-Butts helped form the National Convention of Gospel Choirs and Choruses in 1932, which was the model for all subsequent gospel music conventions.

Tune: BREATHE ON ME Irr.
 Magnolia Lewis-Butts, 1941

O Holy Dove of God Descending

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Bryan Jeffery Leech, 1976

Unison

1 O ho-ly Dove of God de - scend-ing, you are the love that knows no end - ing,
 2 O ho-ly Wind of God now blow-ing, you are the seed that God is sow - ing,
 3 O ho-ly Rain of God now fall - ing, you make the Word of God en-thrall-ing,
 4 O ho-ly Flame of God now burn - ing, you are the power of Christ re-turn - ing,

All of our shat - tered dreams you're mend-ing: Spir-it, now live in me.
 You are the life that starts us grow-ing: Spir-it, now live in me.
 You are the in - ner voice now call - ing: Spir-it, now live in me.
 You are the an - swer to our yearn-ing: Spir-it, now live in me.

*Passing of the Peace

THE WORD

Welcoming the Children

Following Welcoming the Children, age 3 yrs - 3rd 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.**

Join us for a Magical Evening...

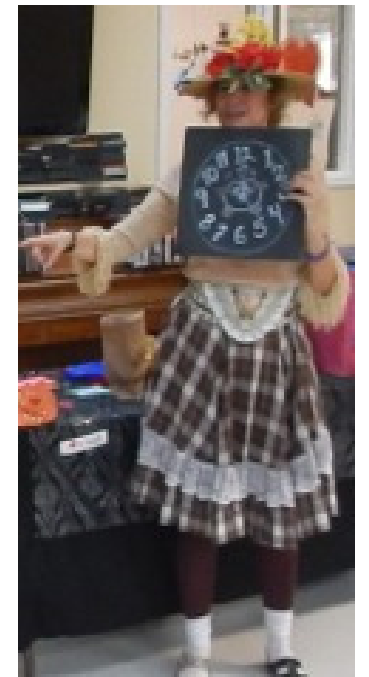
Annual Koinonia Scholarship
Fundraising Dinner
Wednesday, June 1, at 6pm
In Fellowship Hall



Entertainment by Maybelene the Fun Magician!



Amazing menu
includes:
Honey Baked ham,
Sweet potatoes,
Macaroni and cheese,
Fresh green beans,
Magic apple pie,
and
Disappearing
ice cream.



Bring family and friends to dine, donate, and be dazzled.