

**Park Lake Presbyterian Church**  
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May 29, 2016

10:30 a.m.

**GATHERING**

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Mission

Time of Silence

Prelude

Holly Tollers

Choral Introit

Call to Worship (Psalm 96)

O sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth.

**Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.**

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples.

**For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; he is to be revered above all gods.**

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

\*Hymn of Praise No. 483 *Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above*

Scripture Reading

Galatians 1:1-12 (pew Bible, NT pg. 176)

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

**God of the prophets and apostles, we confess that we live scattered lives.**

**We listen to voices other than yours and give our loyalty to whatever seems glamorous, powerful, and confident. We chase after gimmicks and promises that pander to our egos. We are enamored with multi-tasking and abandon the task of seeking you. You alone are God. You alone give life. But daily we give our lives to our lowest impulses, we bind our hearts to our deepest fears, we buy into whatever promotion pushes us to think something is better than what we have.**

**Forgive us we pray.** (silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. May the God of mercy, who forgives you all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

**Thanks be to God! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

\*Passing of the Peace

\*Response

*Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me*

1 Glo - ry to God, whose good - ness shines on me,  
 2 World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

(D) (G) (C) (G) (Em7) (A7)  
 F B<sup>b</sup> E<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup> Gm7 C7

and to the Son, whose grace has par - doned me,  
 World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

(A7) (D) (F#) (Bm)  
 C7 F A Dm

and to the Spir - it, whose love has set me free.  
 World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

(Bm7) (D) (Bdim7) (Em7) (Dm)(A7) (D)  
 Dm7 F Ddim7 Gm7 Fm C7 F

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be. A - men.

**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.**

Scripture

Luke 7:1-10, (pew Bible, NT pg. 61)

1 Kings 18:20-39 (pew Bible, OT pg. 310)

Sermon

Fire From Water

Dr. Dan DeBevoise

\*Affirmation of Faith, page 14

The Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Hallelujah

Holly Tollers

by Leonard Cohen, 1995

arranged by Joel Raney, 2014

**SENDING**

A Litany for Memorial Day

Gracious God, on this Memorial Day weekend,  
we remember and give thanks for those who have given their lives  
in the service of our country.

**When the need was greatest, they stepped forward and did their duty  
to defend the freedoms that we enjoy, and to win the same for others.**

O God, you yourself have taught us that no love is greater than that  
which gives itself for another.

**These honored dead gave the most precious gift they had,  
life itself, for loved ones and neighbors,  
for comrades and country – and for us.**

Help us to honor their memory by caring for the family members  
they have left behind, by ensuring that their wounded comrades are properly cared for,  
**by being watchful caretakers of the freedoms for which they gave their lives,  
and by demanding that no other young men and women  
follow them to a soldier's grave  
unless the reason is worthy and the cause is just.**

Holy One, help us to remember that freedom is not free.

There are times when its cost is, indeed, dear.

**Never let us forget those who paid so terrible a price  
to ensure that freedom would be our legacy.**

Though their names may fade with the passing of generations,  
may we never forget what they have done.

**Help us to be worthy of their sacrifice, O God, help us to be worthy. Amen.**

\*Hymn No. 262

*God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand*

\*Charge and Blessing

Choral Response

Postlude

Hyfyrdol

arranger, Jerry Westenkuehler

**\*All who are able may stand**

**Opportunities for the Week**  
**May 29 - June 5**

**Sunday**

9:00am Sunday School  
10:00am "20s at 10" (C1)  
10:30am Worship

**Monday - Memorial Day**

Office and Child Care Center closed.

**Note:** **NO** Men's Lunch for summer (Men's Lunch resumes in September)

**Tuesday**

5:15-7pm SPARK  
7:00pm Boy Scouts (SH)

**Wednesday**

9:30am - CCC Chapel Time  
(Sanctuary)  
6:00pm - Koinonia Scholarship Dinner (Struble Hall)

**Friday**

5:00 pm - FAVO First Fridays

Park Lake is considering the purchase of an **Assistive Listening System** for those of us who would like to be able to hear the morning service more clearly. We would like to get an idea of how many people would take advantage of it. Please email John Bowers at [jbowers4@cfl.rr.com](mailto:jbowers4@cfl.rr.com) or let him or Woody Reynolds know in person.

Sanctuary flowers this day are given to the glory of God by Dick and Marie Butler in loving memory of their daughter, Lori Ann Butler.

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

***Looking to June Activities...***

**VBS Workshops**

Help create *Surf Shack* for VBS at 6pm in Struble Hall on Wednesdays...

**June 15, 22 and July 6**

Think Beach Party! No prior experience needed. Use your creativity from the creator to work on decorations; your help is appreciated!

**Please Note:**

**VBS Volunteers are still needed;** contact Helen DeBevoise [helen@plpc.org](mailto:helen@plpc.org) or 407-841-6550.

**Annual PW Bible Study Wrap-Up**

This year's wrap-up will be at Westminster Towers (70 W. Lucerne Cr.) on Monday, June 6, at 11:00 am. Helen DeBevoise will conclude our 2015-16 study on *Come to the Waters*. If you would like to carpool (parking at the Towers is limited) please meet at 10:45am in the church parking lot. After the wrap-up, we'll join Tower residents in the dining room for lunch (credit cards only, **no** cash.) We look forward to seeing everyone at this wonderful meeting.