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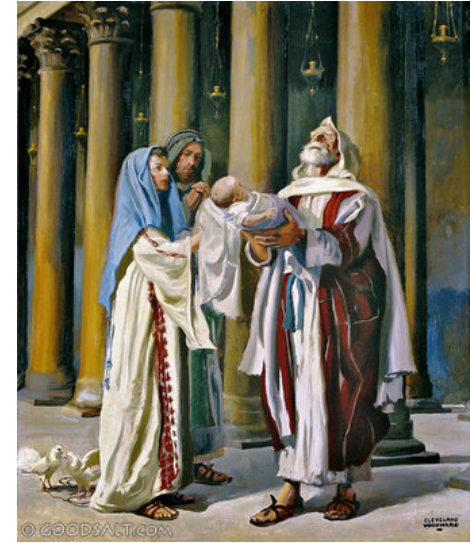
Madagascar Dan and Elizabeth Turk
 Mozambique Sebber Banda

**PLOW, Park Lake on Wednesdays,
 6:00 pm, covered dish, speaker**

- **January 2, No PLOW this week**
- **January 16, Covered dish, please bring a side or dessert to share.**

Wednesday, January 2, Serve dinner at C.W.F., contact John Bowers, jbowers4@cfl.rr.com or Nancy Jones, nancynjones@aol.com for more information.

Friday, January 4, 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm FAVO (Faith Arts Village Orlando)
 Art exhibits, live music, food trucks, children's art project.



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The First Sunday After Christmas
December 30, 2018

This Week at Park Lake

Sunday December 30	Monday December 31	Tuesday January 1	Wednesday January 2	Thursday January 3	Friday January 4
9:00 am Sunday School (SH) 10:00 am Refreshments & Snacks (SH)	NEW YEARS EVE Child Care Center Closed Church Office Hours 9:00 am - 1:00 pm	NEW YEARS DAY Child Care Center Closed Church Office Closed	9:30 am Chapel Time		Church Office Closed
10:30 am Worship (S) 11:45 am Choir Rehearsal	11:30 am College / Young Adults serving at Daily Bread	11:30 am Middle/High School Youth serving at Daily Bread	5:45 pm Serve dinner@ C.W.F.		
		7:00 pm Boy Scouts (SH)	No PLOW this week	6:30 pm Mission Fair Committee Meeting (SH)	5:00 pm - 9:00 pm FAVO (Faith Arts Village Orlando) Art exhibits, live music, food trucks, children's art project.

Calendar Key AL - Art Lab at Faith Arts Village Orlando
 C - Conference Room, church office
 FAVO - Faith Arts Village Orlando
 K - Koinonia Sunday School classroom, downstairs Sanctuary building
 P - Parlor, Education Building
 S - Park Lake Sanctuary
 SH - Struble Fellowship Hall, education Building

Order of Worship

10:30 a.m.

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Silence

Prelude

Creator of the Stars at Night
 Will Benton, Organist

arr. David Cherwien

Call to Worship

Grace to you and peace from him

who is and who was and who is to come. -- Revelation 1:4

And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts.

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly. -- Colossians 3:15-16

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn of Praise No. 22 Angels, from the Realms of Glory

Scripture Reading

Luke 2:25-32 (Pew Bible, NT pg. 55)

Call to Confession

“In Jesus Christ our Lord the grace of God has appeared, bringing light to us all.”
 (Isaiah 9:2) With confidence and joy, let us confess our sin.

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of our living, we are sorry for those times when we have failed to love you with all our heart and to be good stewards of your creation: Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

For the times when we have failed to heed your call to take up our cross of discipleship and to be good stewards of your gospel: Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

For the time you needed us to be your hands and feet to the world, faithful members of your church and good stewards of your spiritual gifts, but we were not: Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

(moment of silent confession)

Declaration of Forgiveness

If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ. (2 Corinthians 5:17-18)

Friends, this is Christ's word of grace even to us:

"Your sins are forgiven."

Thanks be to God!

*Hymn of Response No 66

We Three Kings of Orient Are

*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.

Scripture Reading

John 1:1-14 (Pew Bible, NT pg. 91)

Sermon

**"God's Christmas Gift"
Reverend Doctor Clifford McKay**

*The Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle Creed

pg. 14 The Hymnbook

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer
Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Gesu' Bambino
Ali Molnar, Soloist

Frederick H. Martens
Pietro A. Yon

*The Doxology

SENDING

*Hymn of Commitment No. 44
Charge and Benediction

O Little Town of Bethlehem

Postlude

Fanfare
Will Benton, Organist

William Mathias

***All who are able may stand**

Our guest preacher today is the Reverend Doctor Clifford McKay. Cliff and his wife Betty are residents at Westminster Winter Park and are members of this congregation. Cliff grew up in Florida, attended Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, VA with his PhD from Vanderbilt University. He is a member of Tampa Bay Presbytery.

Assisting in worship is **Elder Jane Callahan.**

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.

December Ushers are Shawn Moloney, Mike Bookhardt, Bob Larr, Larry Welker and Eric Wood and Don DeBevoise.