#### **Church Staff**

Co-pastors Dr. Helen DeBevoise

Dr. Dan DeBevoise

Parish Associate

Dr. Linda Wright

Simmons

Organist; Director FAVO Will Benton
Choir Director Robb Ross

Child Care Center Director Barbara Twachtman

Financial Administrator
Church Secretary
Maintenance
Librarian
Nursery Staff
Linda Castle
Carol Bookhardt
Keith Bridges
Alice Schmidt
Barbara Boyce

#### **Church Missionaries**

Madagascar Dan and Elizabeth Turk

Mozambique Sebber Banda

Rev. Carlos Faquione

**September Ushers** are Justin Ingram, Tom Pinnel, Karen Pinnel, Kimo Hyatt, Kwame Aniapam.

Nursery Workers today are Barbara Boyce and Evie Park. Children's Church teachers are Christa Hyatt and Annie Braxton Kiel.



# World Communion Sunday Sunday, October 6, 2019

Sunday September 22	Monday September 23	Tuesday September 24	Wednesday September 25	Thursday September 26	Friday September 27
9:00 am Sunday School (SH) 10:00 am Coffee & Fellowship (SH) 10:30 am Worship (S) 11:45 am Choir Rehearsal	9:45 am PW Moderators Bible Study (C) 12:00 pm Men's Bible Study (SH)	10:00 am Staff meeting	9:30 am Chapel Time (S)	10:00 am Page Turners Book club (K)	Church Office Closed
11:45 am Session Mtg (SH)		<b>7:00 pm</b> Scouts (SH)			

Calendar Kev

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

L - Library



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## **September 22, 2019**

Order of Worship 10:30 a.m.

#### **GATHERING**

Choral Introit Raise a Song of Gladness Jacques Berthier, 1978

Chancel Choir text by Taizé Community, 1978

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Silence

Prelude Sicilienne Maria Theresisa Von Paradis

Will Benton, Organist

Call to Worship (Psalm 113)

Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord; praise the name of the Lord.

Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time on and forevermore.

From the rising of the sun to its setting the name of the Lord is to be praised.

The Lord is high above all nations, and his glory above the heavens.

Who is like the Lord our God, who is seated on high,

who looks far down on the heavens and the earth?

He raises the poor from the dust, and lifts the needy from the ash heap, to make them sit with princes, with the princes of his people.

Blessed be the name of the Lord,

from this time on and forevermore.

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

\*Hymn of Praise No. 327 From All That Dwells Below the Skies

Scripture Reading Jeremiah 8:19-9:1 O.T. page 667

Call to Confession

**Unison Prayer of Confession** 

Lord we confess

that we are very good at ignoring all the ways we turn away from you.

On the surface our lives appear calm and peaceful.

But beneath the facade, we are anxious, distraught, and discontent.

We fill our lives with everything the world says will make us happy - possessions, work, attention, acclaim, money, information, power - and we are just more and more overwhelmed.

You call us to be filled with love for you.

Lord, forgive us for loving everything else more than we love you.

Help us repent.

Help us name the places in our lives where we have put ourselves in your place. Fill us with the healing balm of Jesus Christ.

(a time of silent confession)

Kyrie No. 576

Lord, Have Mercy congregation sings twice



# **Declaration of Forgiveness**

Our God is a God of grace and mercy and love; know that our sins have been forgiven. May we be strengthened in all goodness. Since we have been raised with Christ, let us seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.

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

There Is A Balm in Gilead

#### 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. 748, 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

Luke 16:1-13

N.T. page 74

Sermon

"Who Do You Serve?"

Dr. Dan DeBevoise

The Affirmation of Faith pg. 35 The Apostles Creed

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

arr. Mack Wilberg

Chancel Choir

\*The Doxology No. 606

#### **SENDING**

\*Hymn of Commitment No. 738 O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

Charge and Benediction

Choral Response God Be with You Till We Meet Again

R. V. Williams, 1906

**Gordon Young** 

Chancel Choir text by Jeremiah Eames Rankin, 1860

Postlude Toccata Pontificale

Will Benton, Organist

\*All who are able may stand

**The Sanctuary flowers this day** are given to the glory of God by Dan Johnson and Anne Vercheski in celebration of their 29<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, September 22.

**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.

<sup>\*</sup>Passing of the Peace

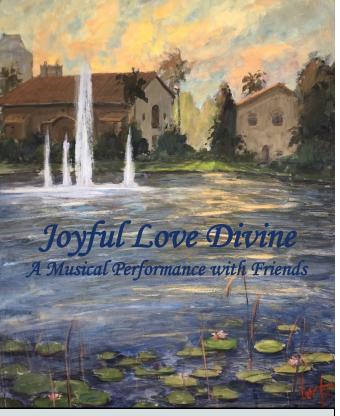
<sup>\*</sup>Hymn No. 792



# Stewardship 2020 Upcoming in October and November Listen for the stories of stewardship in:

- Weekly stewardship stories in worship.
- Stewardship reports sharing the stories of Park Lake ministry and mission.
- A stewardship celebration lunch after church on Sunday,
   November 3, 2019, in Struble Fellowship Hall.
- The 2020 Park Lake Giving Guide which will be mailed to the congregation at the end of October to help you determine your financial pledge to Park Lake for next year.
- A stewardship 2020 pledge card, included in the mailed packet, for you to fill out and return to church on November 17.
- Stewardship Dedication
   Sunday, November 17, when
   2020 stewardship pledges
   presented in worship.
- On Sunday, November 17, after worship is the Annual Youth Thanksgiving Fundraiser Lunch, in Struble Fellowship Hall.
   All are welcome!

Page Turners Book Club,
Thursday, September 26, 10:00
am, the September book
selection is The Orphan Mother
by Robert Hicks. Contact, Anne Gardepe,
annegard64@gmail.com for more information.



September 29, 2019, 6:00 p.m.

Park Lake Sanctuary

All are welcome!

Come and enjoy a celebration of music!

Featuring Will Benton, the Park Lake Chancel Choir, a host of talented musicians and friends of Park Lake.



### MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

Join us for the **Fusion Youth Retreat 2019** at Camp Cedarkirk (Lithia, FL)

Friday, November 8th - Sunday, November 10th

We will be registering our Park Lake group on **Friday, September 27th**to ensure we get the Early Bird registration price and preferred space.

Please let Meredith know if you would like to attend at merewalker@gmail.com

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