

## Bulletin Announcements September 20, 2020



The Sanctuary flowers today are given to the glory of God by Anne Vercheski and Dan Johnson in celebration of their 30th Wedding Anniversary on September 22.



### Join us for CHURCH CHAT in September!

There's nothing like the friendliness of visiting with friends at church.

Listen, laugh, support, encourage,

care, cry, catch up. Even though we have to be physically distant it doesn't mean we can't be connected. Join us for virtual Park Lake Church Chat on **September 23, at 7 p.m. via Zoom.** We'll take time to say hello, catch up, and also discuss our church life in a pandemic, now and going forward.

*All are welcome!*

### Page Turners Book Club



For the **September** book selection, we will be reading, The Bright Edge of the World, by Eowyn Ivey.

We will meet via ZOOM at **10:00 am**, on **Thursday, September 24.**

Contact Anne Gardepe, [annegard64@gmail.com](mailto:annegard64@gmail.com) to receive updated information on details to connect to the meeting.

### SEPTEMBER STATED SESSION MEETING

The September stated meeting of the Session will be Sunday, September 27, at 5 p.m. (via Zoom). If you have questions or items of concern for the Session please email Dan or Helen DeBevoise, co-pastors ([danparklake@gmail.com](mailto:danparklake@gmail.com), [helenparklake@gmail.com](mailto:helenparklake@gmail.com)) or Linda Shrieves, stated clerk ([lindashrieves36@gmail.com](mailto:lindashrieves36@gmail.com))



### FOOD DRIVE FOR WASHINGTON SHORES FOOD PANTRY

The Washington Shores food pantry continues to be in need of items at this time. Washington Shores is coordinating with other churches in the neighborhood to meet the growing need of food support to local families during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The next food collection will be:

**Tuesday, September 29**

**Tuesday, October 13**

**Tuesday, October 27**

Please bring donations to Park Lake on those dates between **11:00 am and 1:00 pm.** Bring your food pantry donations to the **circle drive at the West side entrance of the Sanctuary, off of Highland.** When you drop off your nonperishables, please pick up a blessing bag or two to keep in your car to give to someone in need.

### Items Requested by Washington Shores

#### Food items:

Cereal  
Canned corn  
Canned food with pop-tops  
Saltines  
Soups  
Jelly

Canned fruit

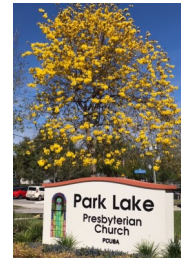
#### Hygiene items:

Diapers  
Disposable razors  
Deodorant  
Toilet paper  
Toothbrushes  
Toothpaste  
Sanitary supplies



**October Worship & Work Newsletter submissions due by  
Monday, September 21, Please send your articles, photos and event information to  
[carolparklake@gmail.com](mailto:carolparklake@gmail.com)**

## Report from the Church Re-opening Committee



From the start, the Re-opening Committee shaped its recommendations seeking to follow the best health and safety practices recommended by governmental and medical agencies at the time. In addition, we recognize the significance of **individuals understanding their personal responsibility** in deciding when to attend in-person worship. In this situation, the importance of both the individual and the collective concerns deserve consideration.

The Session of Park Lake approved the following at its August 23, 2020, stated meeting:

- ◆ Continue 10:30 am live-streaming worship and YouTube service.
- ◆ Continue to monitor the reports regarding the area's COVID-virus numbers,
- ◆ If the Session approves, in-person worship service will be offered beginning World Communion Sunday, **October 4<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30 am**, in the church sanctuary.

### Guidelines for attending in-person worship:

1. Please pre-register that you will be attending—online at [plpc.org](http://plpc.org) or by calling the church office, or email Carol Bookhardt at [carolparklake@gmail.com](mailto:carolparklake@gmail.com).
2. Social distancing begins and ends in the church parking lot.
3. Masks are to be worn by all attending. Masks are available for those who don't bring a mask with them.
4. Hand sanitizer will be available at each entry.
5. Entering and departing the Sanctuary will be directed by the ushers.
6. Congregation will remain seated during hymns, enjoying the singing offered by musicians.
7. Paper bulletins will be available upon entering the church.
8. When possible, exterior doors will remain open for air circulation.
9. No food or beverages will be permitted in the Sanctuary.



### Sunday School Classes and Men's Bible Study

A variety of classes and small groups are using Zoom to meet during this time. If you would like to participate with any of these classes, please contact the individuals below. If you prefer to participate by phone, you may email to connect with a phone number as well.



- ◆ **Disciples Sunday School Class - 9:00 am, Sunday**      **Email Anne Vercheski - [avercheski@cfl.rr.com](mailto:avercheski@cfl.rr.com)**
- ◆ **Fellowship Sunday School Class - 9:00 am, Sunday**      **Email Helen DeBevoise - [helenparklake@gmail.com](mailto:helenparklake@gmail.com)**
- ◆ **Men's Monday Bible Study - 12 pm, Monday**      **Email Dan DeBevoise - [danparklake@gmail.com](mailto:danparklake@gmail.com)**
- ◆ **Koinonia Sunday School Class, Sundays, 9:00 am**      **Email Anne Gardepe - [annegard64@gmail.com](mailto:annegard64@gmail.com)**

### During the Livestream Sunday Worship Service

If you have special prayer requests, we invite you, if you are able, to include them in the comment section of the livestream during the worship or email them to the **Co-pastors**, Dr. Helen DeBevoise, [helenparklake@gmail.com](mailto:helenparklake@gmail.com) and Dr. Dan Debevoise at [danparklake@gmail.com](mailto:danparklake@gmail.com).



**Thank you** to our Live Stream Audio/Visual Team, John DiSalvo, Will DiSalvo, John Bowers, and Matt Cook, and to our music team Robb Ross, Carla Edwards and the Chancel Choir Section Leaders for assisting in worship today.

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

## Church Missionaries

Madagascar	Dan and Elizabeth Turk
Mozambique	Sebber Banda Rev. Carlos Faquione

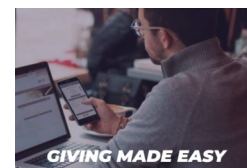
Worship will be "livestreamed" on Facebook and YouTube via the Park Lake Presbyterian Church Facebook page, and recorded video of worship will be on Youtube. Links for video can be found on the Park Lake Presbyterian Church web page. There is no in-person worship until further notice. Currently, status of the coronavirus crisis is being reviewed by Park Lake's Session and a decision regarding future in-person worship will be made.

- The Park Lake prayer chain remains active. If you would like to be added to the prayer chain or add a prayer concern please email [helenparklake@gmail.com](mailto:helenparklake@gmail.com).
- All in-person church meetings, events, classes, and group activities are canceled until further notice.
- Please check the Park Lake Presbyterian Church web page at [plpc.org](http://plpc.org) for more information.

## Please remember your financial contributions

Thank you for your continued faithfulness and generosity as we continue to do ministry in this pandemic time. Your financial support is a big part of our ability to continue to grow in our faith and discipleship in the name of Christ, to reach out in compassion and love to our world.

Please send your regular tithes and offerings by mail to the church office at **Park Lake Presbyterian Church, 309 E. Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32801**



You can also give on-line at [plpc.org](http://plpc.org) and click "Giving" at the top of the Home Page. You can also download the Give+ mobile APP and give via text. Text a \$ amount to Park Lake's Give+ Number 407-634-1303. You will be sent a link where you can complete your text donation, if it is your first text donation you will set up an online profile. Future gifts will be completed simply by clicking the donate button.

## The church office is open to visitors by appointment only.



Reception Desk Office hours are:

**Monday — Thursday, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm**

To make an appointment, please call the church office at **407-841-6550** or email [carolparklake@gmail.com](mailto:carolparklake@gmail.com)

**When visiting the church office please arrive at the main office door located off of Colonial Drive.**

**The back office door is for Church Office Staff or Child Care Center Staff only.**

**When visiting the church office please remember to wear your face mask.**

In case of emergency please call or email the co-pastors: [danparklake@gmail.com](mailto:danparklake@gmail.com) or [helenparklake@gmail.com](mailto:helenparklake@gmail.com).