



The Sanctuary flowers today are given to the glory of God, in memory of Betty Anne Staton, who joined the church triumphant on Sunday, December 27, 2020, by her loving family.



SOUPER Bowl of Caring, today, Sunday, February 7, 11:30 am - 1:30 pm, after worship, in the circle drive. The Park Lake Middle and High School youth will be collecting non-perishable food and hygiene items which will benefit [Washington Shores Presbyterian Church](#) food pantry. The youth will also be collecting monetary donations to benefit the Youth Blessing Bag Ministry. Additionally, youth will be handing out blessing bags to hand out to neighbors in need.

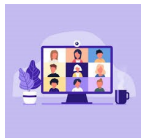


5 Cents Per Meal Offering (1st Sundays at Park Lake) today, Sunday, February 7. Each month, Park Lake participates in an offering to support the **Presbyterians' Answer to Hunger Program (PATH)**. The first Sunday of each month, Park Lake asks members to contribute 5 cents for each meal during the month. The offering on the 1st Sunday of each month on Communion Sundays, as a reminder that as we have been fed at the Lord's table we are called to feed others. Central Florida Presbytery voted this year to change this offering, formerly 2 cents per meal, to **5 cents per meal**. We encourage you to continue to send your 5 cents per meal offering to the church during this time.

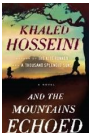
One day = 15 cents
One week = \$1.05
One month = \$4.20



Christian Service Center, Monday, February 8th - Friday, February 12th, 11:15 am - 11:30 am. Park Lake serves Daily Bread during the month of February each year. Volunteers are needed to help serve the noontime meal each day from **11:15 am to 1 pm**. The Christian Service Center has revised how the meal is served to practice social distancing. Volunteers, all masked, stay in the kitchen and package the meals in styrofoam containers. The containers are then distributed by CSC staff to clients who receive the meals outside in the courtyard. 7 volunteer servers are needed each day. Please sign up to serve if you can! Look for sign-up in the Park Lake Up2Date emails or go to [plpc.org](#). **If you have any questions call the church office 407-841-6550.**



GayStraight@Park Lake, Gay Straight @ Park Lake will hold its monthly meeting on **Thursday, February 18**, at 7:00 PM. We will gather via Zoom to convene treasured fellowship and topical discussions. For more information about this meeting and this group's mission and program, please contact Sue Thompson at sthomp0708@aol.com or Tony Boada at luis.boadadavila@gmail.com.



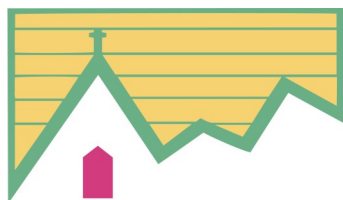
Page Turners Book Club, Thursday, February 25, February's book: [And the Mountains Echoed](#) by Khaled Hosseini. **Contact Anne Gardepe annegard64@gmail.com for meeting details.**

PARK LAKE FINANCES THRU DECEMBER 2020

<u>PLPC OPERATIONS</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>ACTUAL</u>
INCOME	\$ 614,636.00	\$ 653,538.17
EXPENSES	\$ 582,948.00	\$ 549,580.10
**SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	\$ 31,688.00	\$ 103,958.07

PARK LAKE PLEDGED INCOME THRU DECEMBER 2020

BUDGET	\$ 521,964.00
ACTUAL	\$ 499,256.38
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	\$ (-22,707.62)



Church FINANCES



Upcoming Youth Events:

February 7th: 11:30am -1:30pm Souper Bowl of Caring -- Youth will be in the circle drive to collect items for the food pantry at Washington Shores Presbyterian Church as well as money for the Blessing Bag ministry at Park Lake. Youth are encouraged to wear a jersey and lunch will be provided.

February 21st: Following Worship, we will have a picnic and games in the park! Bring your own lunch and meet us at Lake Minnehaha Park, 1011 East Horatio Ave, in Maitland. Parent pick up will be 1:15pm.

We look forward to seeing everyone but as we continue to be mindful of social distancing, please let us know when a youth is joining. Please contact Meredith Hampton, at merewalker@gmail.com.



Items Requested by Washington Shores Food Pantry

Food items:

- Tuna
- Green beans
- Food with pop-tops
- Sweet peas
- Rice
- Spaghetti sauce
- Canned fruit

Hygiene items:

- Socks (especially women's)
- Soap
- Diapers
- Disposable razors
- Deodorant
- Toilet paper
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Dental floss
- Shampoo
- Sanitary supplies

Next Collection day:

**Tuesday,
February 23,
11:00 am - 1:00 pm**



ASH WEDNESDAY begins the season of Lent, Wednesday, February 17.

Lent is a season of repentance and renewal of our faith. Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on which we remember with prayer, and with the tangible

symbol of ashes, our earthly nature, our place in the cycle of life, and our dependence on God. This season of reflection and simplicity spans 40 days, not including Sundays. This

commemorates the 40 days of Jesus fasting and praying in the desert at the beginning of his public ministry, as told in the synoptic gospels. Though this season is solemn and reflective, it is also a time of preparing our spirits for all that is to come; a "spring cleaning" for the soul. It is said that Lent is a time spent "getting ready to come close to the mystery of Easter." **Look for worship and study opportunities in Park Lake Up2Date emails and on the Park Lake website at plpc.org.**



The Potter's Hand: Art and Discerning God.

For Lent 2021, Potter's Hand will be putting together "Lent at Home" kits that includes a variety of activities people of all ages can use to observe Lent, Holy Week, and Easter at home. These kits are designed to be used intergenerationally. Households of all shapes and sizes can participate. Households of singles, couples, or families with children and youth can request a kit which will include a daily devotion guide, activities for making Lenten pretzels, a Paschal candle, among other activities. Kits will be assembled February 14 and available February 16. Please email Helen DeBevoise with your interest to help assemble or to request a "Lent at Home" kit at helenparklake@gmail.com.



Sunday School Classes

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 - 8:45 am, Sunday**
- ◆ **Fellowship Sunday School Class -9:00 am, Sunday**
- ◆ **Koinonia Sunday School Class, 8:25 am, Sunday**
- ◆ **Men's Monday Bible Study - 12 pm, Monday**

- Email Anne Vercheski - avercheski@cfl.rr.com**
- Email Paula Nowell - nowellp@bellsouth.net**
- Email Anne Gardepe - annegard64@gmail.com**
- Email Dan DeBevoise - danparklake@gmail.com**



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

- To attend in-person worship, go to: plpc.org to register.
- Worship will continue to be "livestreamed" on Facebook and YouTube via the Park Lake Presbyterian Church Facebook and YouTube pages. Recorded video of worship will also be on YouTube. Links can be found on the Park Lake Presbyterian Church website.
- 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.
- 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 for more information.



As a result of the water damage to the Education Building, the Child Care Center Classrooms have been relocated to the Church office area and classrooms beneath the sanctuary.

The Child Care Center currently restricts entrance to teachers, staff, and children only.

In order to comply with the Child Care Center's operating guidelines, we will also restrict entrance to the church offices. If you need to come to the church office please call first to notify us and schedule an appointment. 407-841-6550. Entrance to the office area will be restricted to the office doors on Colonial Dr.

Church staff can be contacted via email, office phone, 407-841-6550, and personal cell phones.

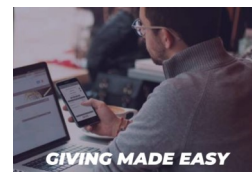
Emails

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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 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.