Bulletin Announcements April 11, 2021



Church Chat in April Via Zoom

We are addressing the question: *What makes for a strong and vital church?* Using the **7 Marks of Vital Congregations**, we will continue to explore this question together.



In March and on April 7th, we discussed the importance of:

- 1) "Lifelong Discipleship" with Tony Boada Davila.
- 2) "Intentional Authentic Evangelism" with Susan Smey.
- 3) "Outward Incarnational Focus" with John Walker.

Please join us! Zoom link will be in the Park Lake Up to Date.

April 21, 7:00 pm

Empower Servant Leadership - led by Sue Thompson and John Walker

The church is often guilty of making leadership "the pastors' job", or handled by a few, or burning out good volunteers. Let's talk about identifying, nurturing and supporting the use of spiritual gifts of all people to serve. How might we work to hear the voices of all people, and notice when people are absent/missing?



FOOD COLLECTION FOR WASHINGTON SHORES FOOD PANTRY The next food collection will be: Tuesday, April 20 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Please bring non-perishable donations to the circle drive at the West side entrance of the Sanctuary, off of Highland.

Please pick up a blessing bag or two to give to those in need in our community.

Items Requested by Washington Shores Food Pantry

Food items:	Hygiene items:
Tuna	Socks (especially women's)
Green beans	Soap
Food with pop-tops	Diapers
Sweet peas	Disposable razors
Rice	Deodorant
Spaghetti sauce	Toilet paper
Canned fruit	Toothbrushes
	Toothpaste
	Dental floss
	Shampoo
	Sanitary supplies
	Women's Incontinence items



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

GayStraight@Park Lake



On **Thursday, April 15th**, Gay/Straight @Park Lake will host the Rev. Brian Ellison from Covenant Network of Presbyterians (CNP). Brian will join us for an informational evening about the ministry of CNP. The meeting will take place via Zoom. For more information, contact either Tony Boada Davila at <u>Luis.boadadavila@gmail.com</u> or Sue Thompson at <u>sthomp0708@aol.com</u>.

Page Turners Book Club



Page Turners will meet on **Thursday, April 22, 10:30 AM**, at the lakeside pool of Lake Pineloch Village, weather permitting, of course. We will celebrate Earth Day, with a potluck brunch and discussion of <u>American Dirt</u> by Jeanine Cummins. Please contact Anne Gardepe for more information, at annegard@gmail.com

Youth Park Lake Clean Up!

After Worship on **April 18th**, youth are invited to come together for lunch and a time of cleaning up Park Lake (the lake). Please let us know you're coming by Monday April 12th, <u>youth@plpc.org</u>.

Would Jesus Recycle? Join us as we explore this topic for "Sunday School" chats via Zoom, April 11th and April 25th @ 1:30pm.

Contact Meredith at <u>youth@plpc.org</u> for Zoom log-in.



If your child or youth has received special honors or awards at the end of the school year, please let us know!

We will publish it in the June Worship and Work Newsletter! Email Carol Bookhardt at carolparklake@gmail.com



Park Lake Financial Update

Park Lake Finances Thru February 2021

Pledged Income Thru 02/28/21

- Budget \$82,064
- Actual \$97,808
- Difference \$15,744

Non Pledged Income Thru 02/28/21

- Budget \$8,334
- Actual <u>\$11,738</u>
- Difference \$3,404

Park Lake Operating Budget Thru 02/28/21

	Budget	Actual	Difference
Income	\$96,790	\$128,230	\$31,440
Expenses	\$97 <i>,</i> 872	\$79,537	\$18,335



May Worship and Work newsletter deadline is: Monday, April 12 Please email your articles

or event dates to Carol Bookhardt at carolparklake@gmail.com

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