

Bulletin Announcements

October 3, 2021



The Sanctuary flowers on this day, are given to the glory of God,

- ◆ By Nancy Clark, in loving memory of her husband, Bob Clark, remembering him on his birthday, October 8th.
- ◆ By Carol and Mike Bookhardt, in celebration of their 35th wedding anniversary, on October 4th.

World Communion Sunday

Today, October 3, 2021



Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread. 1 Corinthians 10:17

Communion is a taste of the Kingdom of God. When we share in this common meal as a beloved family of God, this grace is an unbroken line throughout this history of the community of faith. It reminds us now as a time to come to the heavenly banquet. Whenever we take this meal, we are sharing with fellow believers around the world in unity and equality. World Communion Sunday is a reminder to call on Christ's presence always and embrace the wholeness that we are as Christ-followers.

World Communion reminds us that Christ's church is a global church. Every Lord's Day in every time zone, there are devoted Christians worshiping Father, Son and Spirit. Whether under the shade of a tree, in a rice paddy, by a creek bed, in a grand cathedral, or in storefronts, Christ-followers all over the planet are praying and singing in indigenous ways using their languages. What a glorious picture of worship in the kingdom when we grasp the fullness of the body of Christ and sing and pray with brothers and sisters around the world.

Thank you to the following folks who baked world breads for our World Communion table today:
The Bertram Connolly family, Sandy Bogner, Laura Moloney, David Simmons, Susan Frith and John Walker, Paige McRight and Vicky Nicoll.

Park Lake PW Circles - Meeting Schedule

Dorcas: Monday, October 4

1:30, via Zoom

Circle Representative

Anne Gardepe, annegard64@gmail.com

Bible Moderator

Sandy Bogner, sandybogner@cfl.rr.com

Sarah: Monday, October 4

2:00 pm, Westminster Towers, Multi Purpose Room

Circle Representative & Bible Moderator

Marian Price, marian66@cfl.rr.com

Joanna: Monday, October 4

7:00 pm, Struble Fellowship Hall

Circle Representative

Vicky Nicoll, vnicoll22@gmail.com

Bible Moderator

Helen DeBevoise, helenparklake@gmail.com

Martha: Tuesday, October 5

10:00 am, via Zoom

Circle Representative

Eleanore Kaney, eik58@cfl.rr.com

Bible Moderator

Norma Knight, norma.knight1101@gmail.com

Esther: Tuesday, October 5

7:00 pm, via Zoom

Circle Representative

Erin Cook, erincook987@gmail.com

Bible Moderator

Anne Vercheski, avercheski@cfl.rr.com



FOOD COLLECTION FOR WASHINGTON SHORES

The next food collection will be: **Tuesday, October 5 and 19**

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

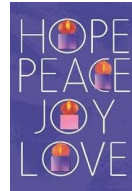
Please bring non-perishable donations to the circle drive at the West side entrance of the Sanctuary, off of Highland.

Donations may also be dropped off on Sundays before or after worship, in the West transept, in the Sanctuary.



GayStraight@ Park Lake will have a booth at the **2021 Orlando PRIDE Festival on Saturday, October 9th**. We are very grateful the Session once

again endorsed and funded PLPC's participation. At the event, we speak with many people, distribute square business cards with full PLPC information and "You are Loved" printed underneath, and share rainbow colored bracelets with the church's name and website imprinted. It requires many volunteers to staff this very enjoyable 8-hour event. If you are interested, please contact Tony Boada Davila at luis.boadadavila@gmail.com or Sue Thompson at SThomp0708@aol.com. It is a privilege to represent the Body of Christ that day. All are welcome!



God With Us In Times of Transition

Advent IS a time of Great transition for God. In Advent, we are remembering how God comes to be with us in the form of Jesus. This was a long awaited promise - the Messiah of God with God's people. What a surprise that God bridged that gap in the form of a human child!

We are looking for 5 more writers for the 2021 Advent devotion book. Please consider writing one this year. Interested? Email Helen DeBevoise at helenparklake@gmail.com to find out more.



Churchwide online survey coming soon in October!

Look for the link, in upcoming Park Lake Up2date emails, bulletin announcements.



Men's Clothing Needed

The Christian Service Center is asking for donations specifically of men's casual clothes. Shirts, long pants (jeans especially), shoes, socks, belts. If you have items to donate, please bring them on Sundays or Washington Shores collection days. There is a box in the west transept.

Pledged Income		Non Pledged Income	
Thru 08/31/21		Thru 08/31/21	
Budget	\$328,256	Budget	\$33,334
Actual	\$333,156	Actual	\$35,590
Difference	\$4,900	Difference	\$2,256

Park Lake Operating Budget Thru 08/31/21

	Income	Expenses	Difference
Budget	\$387,158	\$389,610	(\$2,452)
Actual	<u>\$398,137</u>	<u>\$382,689</u>	\$15,448

Income does not include 2021 PPP loan

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