## Bulletin Announcements January 15, 2023



**The Sanctuary flowers this day,** are given to the glory of God, by Keith Bridges, in gratitude for the Park Lake members and friends who volunteer throughout the year.



The **GayStraight@Park Lake** group invites their friends and allies to our new monthly luncheon at Panera Bread, 3643 East Colonial Drive, in the Orlando Fashion Square Mall. This event is a five-minute drive from the church and will take place on **January 15, 2023, from 12:30-1:30 PM**. If you have any questions, please email Howard Jaffe at <u>roses41usa@qmail.com</u>. We hope to see you there!



### Page Turners Book Club

Page Turners will meet on Thursday, January 26 to discuss <u>The Dictionary of Lost Words</u>, by Pip Williams. Koinonia Room at 10 AM. *For more information, email Anne Gardepe at annegard64@gmail.com.* 



WASHINGTON SHORES PRESBYTERIAN FOOD PANTRY Next donation day: Tuesday, January 24th 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

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 on Sundays, after worship, in the West transept, in the Sanctuary.

# Food items:

Food with pop tops: • canned corn, peas, carrots, peaches, beans, etc. Rice Crackers Peanut butter Jelly Cereal Hygiene items:

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

\*please check expiration dates on food items before donating.

### **Upcoming at Park Lake**

• Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday, Monday, January 16, church office and Child Care Center closed.



- Elder and Deacon Workshop, Saturday, January 28, 9:00 am (Struble Fellowship Hall).
- **SOUPer Bowl of Caring**, February 12, 2023 Sponsored by the Park Lake middle and high school youth, Canned food and men's clothing collection to benefit the Christian Service Center.
- Ash Wednesday Service, Wednesday, February 22, 6:00 pm, Sanctuary, West Transept.

#### **Financial Giving Directly from your IRA**

If you are 70½ or older you can donate up to \$100,000 per year from your IRA. Call your IRA provider and request a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) check payable to Park Lake Presbyterian Church. Have the check mailed to you to put in the offering plate or mailed to the church at 309 East Colonial Drive Orlando, Florida 32801 attention Financial Administrator.



The QCD is not deductible; however, it is <u>excluded from taxable income</u>, which <u>reduces your adjusted gross</u> <u>income (AGI)</u>. AGI affects Social Security benefits and Medicare premiums. You do not have to itemize to make a QCD donation. If you are 72 or older, the charitable distribution can count toward your Required Minimum Distribution.

Dick Butler, Treasurer/Finance and Stewardship



### Park Lake Children on Sundays

**Child Care** is available during the Sunday School hour (9:00 am - 10:00 am) in the Education building, located on 2nd floor (left at the 2nd floor landing) in the nursery. During the Worship service (10:30 am - 11:30 am) the nursery is located downstairs in the Sanctuary building for infants - age 3. Please see an Usher if you need assistance. Our nursery care giver is Barbara Boyce.

Following the time on the steps, children are invited to pick up a lap desk from the west side of the chancel and sit on the floor near their families. This is **PRAYground** time. They have a children's bulletin, coloring and activity pages, as well as other supplies, allowing them to continue exploring today's gospel message. A **PRAYground** "host teacher" will be available to help answer questions and provide needed supplies.



#### Friendship pad reminder:

Please sign the red friendship pad located at the end of each pew and pass it down to your neighbor in the pew. If you are a visitor or member, we would love to know that you are worshipping with us today! Please contact Carol Bookhardt at carolparklake@gmail.com if you would like to be included in our weekly Park Lake Up2Date newsletter email.

Pledged Income		Non Pledged Income		Church Staff		
Thru 11/30/22		Thru 11/30/22		Co-pastors		Dr. Helen DeBevoise
					Rev. Dr. Dan DeBevoise	
Budget	\$469,584	Budget	\$45 <i>,</i> 834	Parish Associate	Rev. Dr. Li	nda Wright Simmons
				Organist, Director I	FAVO	Will Benton
Actual	\$414,740	Actual	\$68,740	Choir Director		Robb Ross
Difference	(\$54,844)	Difference	\$22,906	Child Care Center	Director, Barbara Twachtman	
				Financial Administr	ator	Linda Castle
				Church Secretary		Carol Bookhardt
				Maintenance		Keith Bridges
Park Lake Operating Budget Thru 11/30/22				Librarian		Alice Schmidt
	Income	Expenses	Difference	Nursery Staff		Barbara Boyce
				C	naries	
Budget	\$577,221	\$584,576	(\$7,355)	Madagascar	Da	n and Elizabeth Turk
				Mozambique		Sebber Banda
Actual	\$551,052	\$551,149	(\$97)			Rev. Carlos Faquione