#### PARK LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

309 East Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32801 407-841-6550

### **January 22 2023**

Order of Worship 10:30 am

#### **GATHERING**

Welcome and Announcements Time of Silence

Prelude Sicilienne Maria Theresa Von Paradis

Will Benton, organist

Choral Introit Raise a Song of Gladness Jacques Berthier

Call to Worship (Is. 9:1, Psalm 27:1)

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness on them light has shined.

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

One thing I asked of the Lord, that I will seek after:

to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life,

to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to inquire in his temple.

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

\*Hymn No. 394 Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation (tune Regent Square #394)

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 1:10-18 pew Bible, NT pg. 155

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of glory, we confess that we have not sought your light.

We live focused on ourselves and fail to see the signs of your presence all around us.

We worry about everything we have to do each day,

but we spend very little time receiving each day as a gift from you.

You call us to follow Jesus, but we are afraid to walk in faith.

You call us to be one in Christ, but we continue to guarrel and fight.

We idolize what's familiar to us and fear others who differ from us.

Forgive us; give us grace to reach out to each other.

As you have sent a Savior to us, send us out as witnesses:

to show the wonder of your love in Jesus Christ our Lord. (moment of silent prayer)

#### Declaration of Forgiveness

Hear the good news! Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us.

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun.

Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

Thanks be to God! Amen.

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

#### THE WORD

#### Welcoming the Children

Following the time on the steps, children are invited to pick up a lap desk from the west side of the chancel and go sit on the floor near their families. This is PRAYground time. The children are provided with coloring and activity pages, as well as other supplies, allowing them to continue exploring today's gospel message.

Hymn No. 188

Jesus Loves Me!

Jesus loves me this I know, for the Bible tells me so, little ones to him belong they are weak but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Scripture Reading Matthew 4:12-23

pew Bible, NT pg. 3

Sermon On the Road by the Sea

Rev. Dan DeBevoise

\*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

pg. 17

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father,

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory May Your Roots Go Deep (based on Eph. 3:17-19)

and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

David Lantz III

**Chancel Choir** 

\*The Doxology, pg. 606

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn No. 721

Lord We Have Come to the Lakeshore

Charge and Benediction

Choral Response God Be With You Till We Meet Again

Glory to God pg 542

Postlude Love Divine, All Loves Excelling setting by Joel Raney

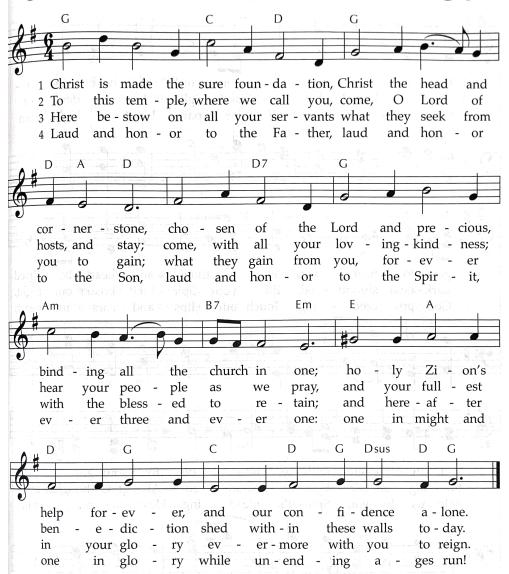
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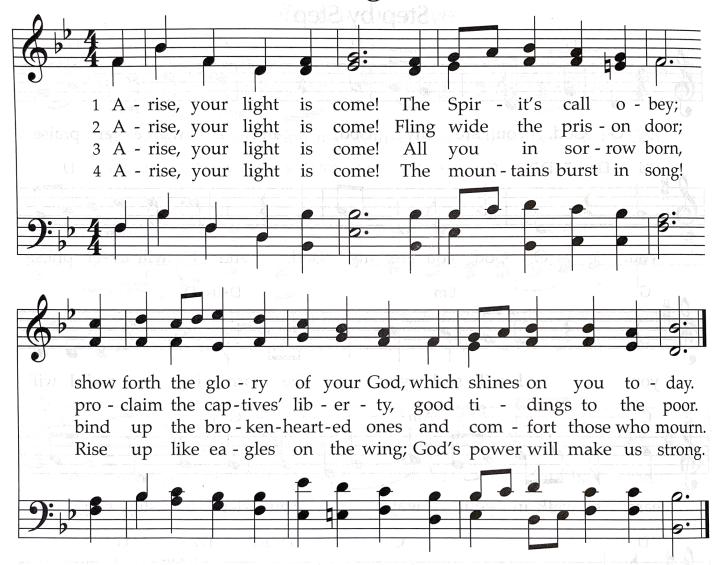
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**Worship Leaders Today**: Revs. Helen and Dan DeBevoise, co-pastors, Park Lake Presbyterian Church, Robb Ross, choir director; Will Benton, organist, Sarah Walker, Park Lake Youth, University High School.

## Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation 394



# Arise, Your Light Is Come!



Echoing imagery from Isaiah 61:1-2 and other passages, this text was created as an inclusive-language alternative to an older hymn using this late 19th-century tune. Because it is a song of encouragement rather than a song of praise, it is not directed to God but to people.

TEXT: Ruth Duck, 1974 MUSIC: William H. Walter, 1894 Text © 1992 GIA Publications, Inc. FESTAL SONG

(this tune in a lower key, 815)

## 721 Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore

