

**PARK LAKE  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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



January 28, 2024

**Order of Worship**

10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Mission

Souper Bowl of Caring

Park Lake Youth

Time of Silence

Prelude

Blessed Jesus at Thy Word

P. Lehenbauer

Choral Introit

The God of Heaven (Psalm 29)

Call to Worship (from Psalm 111)

Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

**Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them.**

Full of honor and majesty is God's work, whose righteousness endures forever.

God sent redemption to his people, and has commanded his covenant forever.

**Holy and awesome is God's name. God's praise endures forever.**

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

\*Hymn No. 395

Blessed Jesus, at Your Word

Scripture

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Pew Bible, OT pg. 168

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

**God our Creator, we confess that we are broken and sinful.**

**You spoke to us through the prophets, yet we have not kept your commands.**

**You give a new teaching through Jesus, yet we fail to obey your living Word.**

**Forgive us, God of grace. Set us free from the grip of sin,**

**cast out all that is evil within us, and bring us ever closer to you,**

**to follow your way of faithfulness, and to glorify you with our lives;**

**through Jesus Christ our Lord. (silent prayers of confession)**

## 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!**

\*Response No. 582    Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

\*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 PRAYground located in the east transept to work on an activity. A PRAYground "host teacher" will be available to help answer questions and provide needed supplies. Children may stay in PRAYground quietly working on their projects or take supplies and return to sit with their families.*

Hymn    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! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.***

Scripture Reading

Mark 1:21-28

pew Bible NT, pg. 33

Sermon

Is There Anything New?

Rev. Dan DeBevoise

\*Affirmation of Faith 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;  
On the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**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	The Gift of Love	arr. by Hal H. Hopson
	Ali Molnar, soloist	

\*The Doxology No. 606     Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

The Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

## **SENDING**

\*Hymn No. 307                      God of Grace and God of Glory

Charge and Benediction

Choral Response	Amen	Danish (#601)
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Postlude	Trumpet Tune	M. Ellis
	Carla Edwards, organist	

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*\*Please stand as you are able in body or in spirit.*



**The Sanctuary flowers this day**, are given to the glory of God, by Lynne Long, with sweet memories of my beloved son, Chip. 06/02/64 - 01/26/20.  
May he rest in peace in the arms of Jesus!

**Worship Leaders today are** Rev. Dr. Helen DeBevoise and Rev. Dr. Dan DeBevoise;  
Robb Ross, choir director; Will Benton, organist/pianist.  
**January Ushers:** Erin Cook, Clay Elliott, John Rogers, Lee Bessonette.  
**Greeter:** Doug Lawton



## Celebrating this Week!

### Birthdays

1/28 Will Benton  
1/30 Susan Henry  
2/1 Glenda Jo LeFever  
2/1 Sierra Vickers  
2/1 Jensen Bertram Connolly

2/2 Nancy Jones  
2/2 Casey Cox  
2/2 Sarah Walker  
2/3 Sarah Huff

### Anniversaries

2/2 Alice and Dana Schmidt  
61 years!

Pledged Income Y.T.D. Thru November 2023		Non Pledged Income Y.T.D.	
Budget	\$429,226	Budget	\$53,689
Actual	\$417,518	Actual	\$42,604
Difference	(\$11,708)	Difference	(\$11,085)
Park Lake Operating Budget Thru November 2023			
	Income	Expenses	Difference
Budget	\$563,520	\$564,474	(\$954)
Actual	\$548,324	\$560,744	(\$13,420)

### Church Staff

Co-pastors	Rev. Dr. Helen DeBevoise Rev. Dr. Dan DeBevoise
Parish Associate	Rev. 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



## PLUMBING REPAIRS TO STRUBLE HALL

Extensive plumbing repairs are continuing in Struble Hall. The repairs involve excavating through the ground floor in order to replace the cast iron drain line which serves the whole building and replace plumbing in both bathrooms and the kitchen.

**WASHINGTON SHORES  
PRESBYTERIAN FOOD PANTRY**  
Next donation day:  
Tuesday, January 30  
10:30 am - 11:30 am



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



## Souper Bowl of Caring Sunday

**TACKLE  
HUNGER**



**February 11, 2024**  
**SOUP LUNCH**  
**Struble Fellowship Hall**  
(after worship)

**What?** Soup lunch provided by the Park Lake Youth  
Valentine's Cookies provided by the Deacons!

**Cost?** Monetary donations and non-perishable food items.  
Monetary donations will be used to purchase items for the **Blessing Bag Ministry**.

Non-perishable Food items will be donated to **Washington Shores Food Pantry**.

*Thank you for supporting our community and local charities!*



**PW MODERATORS  
MEETING**  
**Monday, January 29**  
**9:45 am**  
(conference room)

**Led by Helen DeBevoise**

## STORIES TO TELL

Our January meeting will be, **Monday, January 29, 11:00 am**. Please email Meg Lelvis at [meglelvis@yahoo.com](mailto:meglelvis@yahoo.com) or Nancy Warlick at [dadab12@att.net](mailto:dadab12@att.net) for further information.



## 5 CENTS A MEAL

**Presbyterians' Answer to Hunger Program (PATH)**  
**Sunday, February 4**



Thank you to all who contributed to the 5 Cents a Meal collection in 2023. ***The total donations for 5 Cents a Meal in 2023 was \$5,249.56.*** 5 cents a meal donations are collected on the first Sunday of each month, Park Lake asks members to contribute 5 cents for each meal during the month. P.A.T.H. supports these partners: Air Guatemala, Second Harvest Food Bank, St. Andrews Society, Madagascar Fruit, Vegetable, and Environmental Education, local congregation hunger programs.

## Presbyterian Woman at Park Lake

**Sarah:** Monday, February 5  
2:00 pm, Westminster Towers,  
Multi Purpose Room  
**Circle Representative & Bible Moderator**  
Marian Price, [marian66@cfl.rr.com](mailto:marian66@cfl.rr.com)

**Dorcas:** Monday, February 5  
1:30 pm, Parlor  
**Circle Representative**  
Anne Gardepe, [annegard64@gmail.com](mailto:annegard64@gmail.com)  
**Bible Moderator**  
Sandy Bogner, [sandybogner@cfl.rr.com](mailto:sandybogner@cfl.rr.com)

**Joanna:** Monday, February 5  
7:00 pm, Struble Fellowship Hall  
**Circle Representative**  
Sherry Riley, [sheray27@gmail.com](mailto:sheray27@gmail.com)  
**Bible Moderator**  
Helen DeBevoise,  
[helenparklake@gmail.com](mailto:helenparklake@gmail.com)

**Esther:** Tuesday, February 6  
7:00 pm, Struble Fellowship hall  
**Circle Representative**  
Erin Cook, [erincook987@gmail.com](mailto:erincook987@gmail.com)  
**Bible Moderator**  
Anne Vercheski, [avercheski@cfl.rr.com](mailto:avercheski@cfl.rr.com)

## 2024 ZEBRA COALITION GIFT CARDS



The Gay Straight@Park Lake group will be collecting gift cards and monetary contributions for the Zebra Coalition as “gift of love” this Valentine’s Day . The Zebra Coalition is a network that provides services to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and all youth (LGBTQ+) ages 13 – 24. The Coalition assists young people facing homelessness, bullying, isolation from their families, and physical, sexual, and drug abuse, with individualized programs to guide them to recovery and stability.

Please consider helping our youth in the Orlando area by giving a gift of love. Needed are gift cards of \$5 and \$10 for economical meals (McDonald’s, Wendy’s, Subway, etc.) or somewhat larger amounts (\$20, \$25-\$50 ) for clothing, school supplies, and other goods (Walgreens, CVS, Target, Walmart, etc.). We can also convert your monetary gifts into gift cards. Please give or send your gift cards or cash to any member of Gay Straight@Park Lake between **Sunday, January 7 and Sunday, February 11**. Monetary contributions can also be made by sending a check to the church office or through the church website.

To learn more about the Zebra Coalition visit: <https://www.zebrayouth.org> Thank you for your continued support. Any questions please contact Howard Vincent Kurtz at [howardvincentkurtz@gmail.com](mailto:howardvincentkurtz@gmail.com)

### VISIT OUR WEBSITE



Check out the Park Lake Presbyterian Church website at **PLPC.org**. View the Church calendar, upcoming events, online giving, listen to previous worship services, connect to the upcoming worship service and more!



*Have you recently moved? Do we have your updated mailing address? Please check your address in the online Church Directory at [InstantChurchDirectory.com](https://InstantChurchDirectory.com) and notify the church office at [carolparklake@gmail.com](mailto:carolparklake@gmail.com).*

