



**PARK LAKE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

309 East Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32801

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April 20, 2025 Order of Worship 10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Silence

Prelude

Fanfare Joyeux
Will Benton, organist

Craig Penfield

Choral Introit

Christ Arose
Chancel Choir

words and music
by Robert Lowry

Call to Worship (from the hymn "Jesus Christ is Risen Today" Glory to God, #232)

Jesus Christ is risen today!

Alleluia!

Our triumphant and holy day!

Alleluia!

Praise our God, ye heavenly host!

Alleluia!

We gather to worship our risen Lord.

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn No. 248

Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!

Scripture

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Pew Bible, N.T., page 166

Call to Confession

Nothing can separate us from the love of God in Jesus Christ, not even death.

Trusting in this good news, let us turn to God to honestly confess our sins.

Unison Prayer of Confession

**You call us to hope, Savior God, but we despair. You call us to work for peace,
but we doubt its power. You call us to be community with one another,
but we judge and shun. Transform us, Holy One, by the joy of this Easter.
Let us celebrate this day as a new beginning and a new life.**

(silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

Christ conquered death to restore us to life. Believe this good news.

Live this resurrection. Hope in God's promise, because we are forgiven in Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God!

*Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

*Response No. 250

In the Bulb There is a Flower

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 #232

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

***Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia!
our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
who did once upon the cross. Alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!***

Scripture Reading

John 20:1-18

Pew Bible, N.T., page 108

Sermon

Listening to Jesus: When the Lord Calls Your Name

Rev. Helen 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

Easter Hymn
Chancel Choir

Words by Christina Rossetti, 1830-1894
Music by David Conte, b. 1955

*The sun arises from the sea,
And all around his rays are flinging.
The flowers are opening on the lea,
The merry birds are singing.
But not alone for morning skies
Shall praise unto our God be given;*

*This day our Savior did arise
And opened the gate of heaven.
A blissful bright eternity
Bought by the rising of the Giver
To whom all praise, all honor be
Forever and forever. Alleluia.*

*The Doxology, pg. 606 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

The Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

SENDING

*Hymn No. 246

Christ Is Alive!

Charge and Benediction

Choral Response

Christ Arose
Chancel Choir

words and music by Robert Lowry

Postlude

Toccata in F, Op. 42 No.1
Will Benton, organist

Charles-Marie Widor

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

Thank you to all who have shared their gifts and talents in worship this morning.

Worship Leaders today are

Rev. Drs. Helen DeBevoise and Dan DeBevoise

Music

Robb Ross, director; Will Benton, organist/pianist

Audio/Visual

Matt Cook, John Bowers,
Andy Cale, Mike Bookhardt

Ushers

Pam Coburn, Andre Davis, Aaron Hull, John Hunter, John Jenkins,
Dan Johnson, John Rachey, Cindy Schmidt, Mark Sonderman.

Deacon at the Door:

Anne Vercheski

Flower displays on outdoor crosses

Eleanor Hummert

Guest Musicians

Mike Clemente - Trumpet

Mark Ellis - Trumpet

Kenya Earles - Trombone

Kyle Sargent - Tuba

Pledged Income Y.T.D. Thru March 25, 2025		Non Pledged Income Y.T.D.	
Budget	\$119,770	Budget	\$14,944
Actual	\$146,876	Actual	\$23,360
Difference	\$27,106	Difference	\$8,416
Park Lake Operating Budget Thru March 25, 2025			
	Income	Expenses	Difference
Budget	\$191,750	\$204,111	(\$12,261)
Actual	\$222,860	\$183,814	\$39,046

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

Celebrations!



Birthdays

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|--------------------------|---------------------|
| 21 Barbara Sayles | 23 Lisa Loucks |
| 21 Robert Stillinger, II | 24 Jonathan Aniapam |
| 22 Anne Vercheski | |

Anniversary

- 13 Karen and Tom Pinnel



**Created in God's Image:
Unpacking Sexism**
Thursday, April 24, 6 p.m.
Struble Fellowship Hall

An evening to talk and learn about sexism, using the framework of the Central Florida Pledge, presented by Gay/Straight@ParkLake.

Featuring:

- **Tiffany Sahaydak**, Head Women's Soccer Coach at UCF
- **Alex Schelle**, Youth Voice, BA in Sociology and member of Park Lake Presbyterian Church
- **Ralphetta Aker McClary**, Orange County Public Works Manager
- **Rev. Emeshe Asztalos**, Chaplain for the Lifeboat Project Ministry to Human Trafficking Victims

Light dinner (GF/Vegan options) included.

Contact: gaystraightatparklake@gmail.com for more information or go to centralfloridapledge.com

SAVE THE DATE!

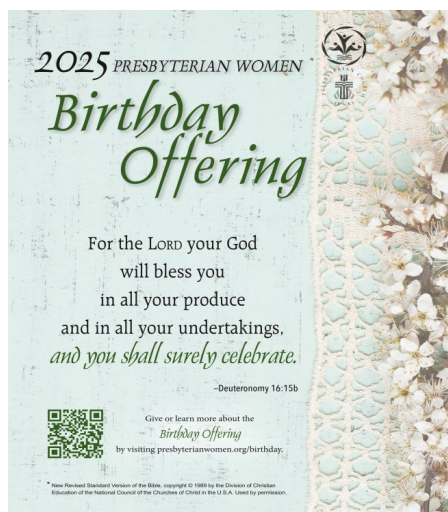
**2025 Annual PW
Birthday Luncheon
and Birthday Offering**

**Sunday, May 4th,
after worship**

(Struble Fellowship Hall)
Entrée and birthday cake (and
gluten free dessert) provided,
bring a side dish to share.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

*Give or learn more about the
Birthday Offering by visiting
presbyterianwomen.org/birthday*



100 HOURS OF SERVICE IN MAY

No Child Hungry Meal-Packing Event

Saturday, May 3

10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Struble Fellowship Hall

Please use bulletin signup slip, online through the Park Lake UP2date link or contact Dawn Neff at mslavelle1@aol.com to sign up

Please join us in taking action to fight childhood hunger. Come to Struble Hall, bring your family, friends or neighbors and help assemble 10,000 meals through No Child Hungry, nochildhungry.net. This Apopka-based organization has sent meals across the United States and Central America, Ukraine and wherever the greatest need is at the time. We need 24 people to help us assemble the meals most efficiently, so please sign up and join us in this outreach.



TEAR OFF AND PLACE IN OFFERING PLATE

No Child Hungry Meal-Packing Event

Saturday, May 3 - Space is limited

10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Struble Fellowship Hall

Please R.S.V.P to participate by April 27 (please print):

Name_____

Number of Adults Attending_____

Number of Children Attending_____

Email_____

Transportation needed to Church? _____

2025 Easter Lily Dedications

In Loving Memory of:

Andrew Shaw, Shirley and Alfred Bowers

My mother, Idamae LaVoie
Chet and Florence Burris

Richard Lee Butler and
Geneva and Buford Byrd

My husband, Gary Castle

Herbert Dunlap

Lural and Joe Dunlap
Eileen and Lloyd Johnson

David W. Foley, Sr., Lisa K. Foley

Our parents, Alvin and Marie Gantt
Cyril and Elizabeth Calley

Emma McDonald
and David Nakagawa

My parents

My husband, Thomas Kasotakis,
Sisters, Rosemarie Bakos, Penny Aldavas and Frances Schwarz

Shawn's aunt, Melinda Moloney Harless
Laura's cousin, Carol Below Bugg

Chester Burris, Jr. and Ana Pena

Betty L. Reynolds and Susan L. Reynolds

Our parents, Shirley and Warren Sparks,
Joe Riley, Helen and Lou Goodman

Dixie and Amelia Rogers, Richard Rogers

My maternal grandfather, Rev. Otto Kienker

Gary Castle and Larry Welker

Donor:

John Bowers

Becky Burris

Marie Butler and Kyle Butler

Linda Castle

Pat Dunlap and family

Jane Callahan, Pat Dunlap
and Mary Jo Dunlap

Warren Foley

Susan and Edmund Gantt

The Ingram family

Walk Jones

Jean Kasotakis

Laura and Shawn Moloney

Bonnie Pena

Woody Reynolds

Sherry and Ray Riley

Rosalyn Russell

Mark Sonderman

Kathie Uhing

In Honor of:

Our mothers, Mary Bookhardt Sikes
and Ruth P. Rogers

Children's Sunday School teachers

My wife, Nancy Jones

Helen Potter

Donor:

Carol and Mike Bookhardt

The Ingram family

Walk Jones

Kathie Uhing

Gifts in Lieu of Plants

In Loving Memory of:

Our fathers, Jesse (Jack) Bookhardt (Music fund)
and Arthur W. Heath

Our sons, Christopher Marc and
Stephen Matthew Chesser;
and my mother, Doris Grace Caton (Building fund)

Donor:

Carol and Mike Bookhardt

Angela and Marc Chesser

In Honor of:

Our family, Susan Kaney, Glynn and Katherine Kelley,
Phillip and Elyse Kelley and dear friend, Helen Potter (Building Fund)

Marguerite Reid, Hazel Weitzel
Sceney Jackson, Rosalind Yarbrough (Building Fund)

Donor:

Eleanore and Frank Kaney

Woody Reynolds

