

**PARK LAKE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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PLPC.org 407-841-6550

*A Century of Community in Christ
1925-2025*



October 5, 2025

Order of Worship

10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Mission

100th Year Celebration

Susan Gantt

Time of Silence

Prelude

I Danced in the Morning

setting by Douglas Wagner

Choral Introit

Holy, Holy, Holy
Chancel Choir

(GTG #595)

Call to worship

Jesus said: Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if those who hear my voice open the door, I will come in to them and eat with them, and they with me.

Happy are all who find refuge in God!

Because there is one loaf, we, many as we are, are one body;

for it is one loaf of which we all partake.

O taste and see that the Lord is good!

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn of Praise No. 509

All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly

Scripture Reading

Luke 17:5-10

N.T. page 75

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of grace, we confess that the seed of faith within us is small.

Hope is often absent. Love is frequently inconvenient.

Our sin keeps us from responding to you.

**Tend to us in mercy, so that we may grow in the ways
of faith, hope, and love, after the example of Jesus Christ.**

(time of silent prayer)

Declaration of Forgiveness

Hear the good news. "The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; God's mercies never come to an end. They are new every morning. Great is God's faithfulness! For while we were yet sinning, Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us. Friends, believe the good news.

Thanks be to God! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

*Response No. 39

Great is Thy Faithfulness

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 No. 525

Let Us Break Bread

(v.1) Let us break bread together on our knees;

Let us break bread together on our knees.

When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sin,

O Lord, have mercy on me.

(v2.) Let us drink wine together on our knees....

(v.3) Let us praise God together on our knees...

Scripture Reading

2 Timothy 1:1-14

pew Bible NT, pg. 199

Sermon

The Table Spread

Rev. Dan DeBevoise

*Affirmation of Faith pg. 17

The Apostle's Creed (ecumenical)

**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

This Do in Remembrance of Me

Judy Hunnicutt

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Invitation

Sharing of Bread and Cup

The Words of Institution

Prayer after Communion

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

SENDING

*Hymn No. 318

In Christ There Is No East or West

Choral Benediction

Bless the Lord

(GTG #544)

Postlude

Rondeau

Jean Joseph Mouret

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



The Sanctuary flowers today are given to the glory of God, wishing our sweet “baby girl”, Emma McDonald a Happy Heavenly Birthday! Miss your beautiful smile and your laughter more each day. Love, Mommy, Bubba, Aunt Erin, Uncle Matt, Grandpa and Grandma.

Worship Leaders today are:

Rev. Dr. Helen DeBevoise and Rev. Dr. Dan DeBevoise, co-pastors
Robb Ross, choir director; Will Benton, organ/piano

October Ushers: Pam Coburn, Aaron Hull, John Jenkins, Dan Johnson, Scott Peterson, Mark Sonderman.

Deacon at the Door: John Hunter

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY BREADS

Thank you to our bakers:

Park Lake's tradition of having World Breads fill the communion table continues! Thank you to Laura Moloney, Sandy Bogner, Carol Bookhardt, Erin Cook, Chris Stalder, Mackenzie Bertram, Renee Riegler and the children from the Elementary age Sunday school class.



5 CENTS A MEAL OFFERING , Sunday, October 5

Each month, Park Lake participates in an offering to support the **Presbyterians' Answer to Hunger Program (PATH)**. *To learn more about 5 Cents a*

One day = 15 cents
One week = \$1.05
One month = \$4.20

meal go to: cfpresbytery.org.

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

Pledged Income Y.T.D. Thru July 31, 2025		Non Pledged Income Y.T.D.	
Budget	\$279,463	Budget	\$34,869
Actual	\$275,804	Actual	\$51,402
Difference	(\$3,659))	Difference	\$16,533
Park Lake Operating Budget Thru July 31, 2025			
	Income	Expenses	Difference
Budget	\$447,416	\$472,588	(\$25,172)
Actual	\$492,833	\$461,021	\$31,812



LET'S CELEBRATE!

**ALL ARE WELCOME TO
OUR FINAL**

100TH YEAR CELEBRATION!

Sunday, October 12, 10:30 am

Celebration Worship Service

(Sanctuary)

and

Celebration Reception -

after worship

(Struble Fellowship Hall)



*A Century of
Community in Christ!*

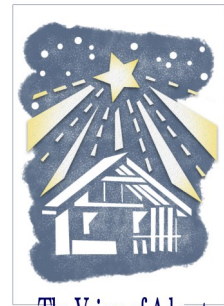


THE VOICES OF ADVENT

An Advent Devotion

The 4 weeks approaching Christmas make up the Advent Season. Advent is from the french verb "Advenir" which means "to come about," "to happen." What is happening as Christmas approaches? What do we see and hear during this most holy time in the Christian church? At Park Lake we have the tradition of members and friends writing daily devotions to accompany us in the approach to Christmas Day.

This is your invitation to think about THE VOICES OF ADVENT. That's this year's theme. Angels songs, Prophets' calls to attention, the surprise of shepherds, the greetings of magi, the humble words of Mary, the faithful response of Joseph. What are the voices that stand out to you in your own memories of Christmas? Contact Helen DeBevoise with your interest to write! helenparklake@gmail.com.



The Voices of Advent

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

2026 PARK LAKE STEWARDSHIP

"A Second Century of Community in Christ"

Stewardship Dedication Sunday

November 16

2026 Stewardship pledge cards information and materials will be distributed in **October**.



GAYSTRAIGHT@PARK LAKE will have two booths at the **2025 Orlando PRIDE Festival** on **Saturday, October 18th**. volunteers are needed. One booth we will share rainbow colored bracelets and info about Park Lake. The second booth will be for the Blessing of the Pets. Please consider joining others in a fun and invigorating celebration and sign up to volunteer. For more information, please email John Jenkins at gaystraightatparklake@gmail.com or Tony Boada Davila at luis.boadadavila@gmail.com.



PAGE TURNERS BOOK CLUB

10:00 am

Downstairs Koinonia Room, Sanctuary Building.

Our October 23 book is:

"Remarkably Bright Creatures" by Shelby Van Pelt

For more information please contact Sherry Riley at sherry27@gmail.com.



Deacon Ministry

FROM THE DEACONS' DESK

Recently, the media has been talking a lot about AI (artificial intelligence), and how AI is being used. One use is

for companionship and community, and even for talking to God.



As you know, Park Lake is celebrating a Century of Community in Christ. The Deacons want to remind the congregation that Park Lake is a community and that the Deacons are here for you, for companionship and for community. If you are unsure of who your Deacon is, the Church Directory has their name by your Directory entry.

Of course, our wonderful Co-pastors, Dan and Helen, are always available to the congregation for whatever your needs, as are the Elders.

And God is available to you personally 24-7! As we learned in Vacation Bible School this summer, from Joshua 1:9, "... do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

You are a beloved child of God, and your Co-pastors, Deacons, Elders and the Lord are here for you. Please turn to your church community for companionship and spiritual guidance instead of AI. We care about you. We want to be in community with you.



**PLEASE JOIN US IN
CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF
PARK LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!**

AN EVENING OF
FELLOWSHIP, FOOD AND FESTIVITIES

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2025
5:00 P.M. TO 8:30 P.M.

DOUBLETREE BY HILTON DOWNTOWN ORLANDO
60 S. IVANHOE BOULEVARD
ORLANDO, FLORIDA 32804

DETAILS

DINNER
\$25/ADULT MEAL
\$15/CHILD'S MEAL

PLEASE PAY BY CHECK
PAYABLE TO PLPC OR
ON THE CHURCH'S WEBSITE -
PLPC.ORG/GIVING/

PARKING IS AVAILABLE IN
THE HOTEL'S PARKING
GARAGE - COST COVERED
BY THE CHURCH - STREET
PARKING ALSO AVAILABLE

PLEASE R.S.V.P TODAY FOR THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION DINNER!

Please R.S.V.P. today if you have not already. Pay online at PLPC.org or place your check in the offering plate. Email Erin Cook at erincook987@gmail.com your names, the number in your party and if you need transportation.



CELEBRATIONS!

Birthdays

10/5 Jody Eure
10/6 Matthew Barnabee
10/7 Elizabeth Giles
10/7 Jolene Brown
10/11 Bonnie Mcknight
10/11 Liz Welker
10/11 Betty Cheek



WASHINGTON SHORES FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

Please bring non-perishable donations to the West transept entrance of the Sanctuary on Sundays before or after worship.



OCTOBER 8, 2025

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

ALL ARE WELCOME

Art Show

PARK LAKE IS CELEBRATING
100 YEARS OF FAITHFUL
PRESENCE IN ORLANDO!

JOIN PLPC, FAVO ARTISTS,
FRIENDS AND MEMBERS WHO
HAVE HONORED THIS
ANNIVERSARY MOMENT OF
CELEBRATION, REFLECTION,
AND LOOKING AHEAD
THROUGH PAINT, GLASS AND
SCULPTURE.

ART PIECES ARE NOT FOR PURCHASE
DURING THE INSTALLATION. IF YOU
ARE INTERESTED IN THE AVAILABILITY
OF A PIECE FOLLOWING THIS EVENT,
WE INVITE YOU TO CONTACT THE
ARTIST DIRECTLY.



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