

**PARK LAKE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

309 East Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32801
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July 14, 2024

Order of Worship

10:30 am

Welcome and announcements
Time of Silence

Prelude

Minor, Op. 28
Will Benton, organist

F. Chopin

Call to Worship (from Psalm 24:7-10)

Lift up your heads, O gates!

**Be lifted up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in!**

Who is this King of glory?

**The Lord of hosts,
He is the King of glory.**

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn No. #93

Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates

Scripture

Psalm 24:1-6

Pew Bible, OT pg. 475

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of redeeming grace, have mercy on us as we confess our sin.

**We have been charged to travel light, but we overburden ourselves with things,
and stuff, and responsibilities. You have commissioned us to preach repentance,
but we ourselves do not change. You have cautioned us to avoid violence,
but we are quick to confront others. You have called us to be reconcilers, all the
while we create divisions. Christ calls and equips us to serve You, and we are slow
to pick up the mantle of discipleship. Forgive us.**

(silent prayers of confession)

Declaration of Forgiveness

Friends, hear God's promise of grace: "In Christ we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace that He lavished on all of us. In Him... we are marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people." (Ephesians 1:7-14)

In Christ, we are brought back into fellowship with God.

Praise be to God! Amen.

*Hymn No. 698 Take, O Take Me as I Am (sing twice)

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

Scripture Reading

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19

Pew Bible, OT pg. 238

Sermon

God Is in the House!

Rev. Helen DeBevoise

**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;
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

Man After Your Own Heart

Robb Ross, soloist by Wayne Kirkpatrick and Billy Sprague

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

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

SENDING

*Hymn No. 157

I Danced in the Morning

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

Old 100th
Will Benton, organist

arr. Kenneth D. Varner

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

Worship Leaders today are Rev. Dr. Helen DeBevoise and Rev. Dr. Dan DeBevoise, co-pastors; Robb Ross, choir director; Will Benton, organist/pianist.

July Ushers: Erin Cook, Clay Elliott, John Rogers, Matt Cook and Mike Bookhardt.

Deacon at the door: Cheri Woods

Post-Worship Prayer Time: Come pray with us after worship, all are welcome!

Nancy Warlick and Sue Thompson are convening a prayer time after Sunday worship in the East Transept from 11:45 am - 12:15 pm. We want to invite anyone who is interested to join together beyond weekly worship to pray in community. Whether praying for peace in war torn countries, famine in parts of Africa, local and/or national concerns, individuals or families, we are called to bring our concerns individually and corporately to God. We know other commitments may preclude your participation but please feel free to hand either Nancy or Sue a written prayer request.



Pledged Income Y.T.D. Thru May 2024		Non Pledged Income Y.T.D.	
Budget	\$199,616.00	Budget	\$18,926.00
Actual	\$198,089.24	Actual	\$28,402.46
Difference	(\$1,526.76)	Difference	\$9,476.46
Park Lake Operating Budget Thru May 2024			
	Income	Expenses	Difference
Budget	\$284,055	\$291,387	(\$7,332)
Actual	\$290,819	\$253,204	\$37,615

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

JULY - COMBINED ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Led by Helen and Dan DeBevoise

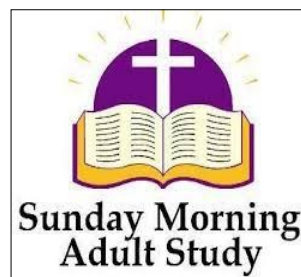
“How Shall We Pray?”

***What the Bible and Christian tradition
tells us about prayer.***

July 14, 21, 28

9:00 am - 10:00 am

Struble Fellowship Hall



Join us in **July** as all adult Sunday School Classes meet together in Struble Fellowship Hall.

All are welcome!



FOOD COLLECTION for WASHINGTON SHORES PRESBYTERIAN FOOD PANTRY

Tuesday, July 16 and 30

10:30 am - 11:30 am

**Please drop off non-perishables at
the Circle drive on drop off days or
on Sundays before worship.**

**Please check expiration dates on
food items before donating.**

Hygiene items:

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

Food items:

Fruits and vegetables (other than corn) with pop tops: peas, carrots, peaches, beans, etc.

Jelly

Cereal

Rice

Crackers

(low stock items in bold)

- ***Have you recently moved?***
- ***Do we have your updated mailing address, email or phone number?***

Please check your address in the online Church Directory to update your mailing address and contact information. Go to [Instant Church Directory.com](http://InstantChurchDirectory.com)



July Celebrations this week!



Birthdays

14 Sarah Trauger	17 Edmund Gantt
14 Meredith Hampton	18 Eleanore Kaney
14 Alyssa Hernandez	18 Sandy Bogner
14 William Abel	19 Nancy Clark
16 Barbara Martin	

Anniversaries

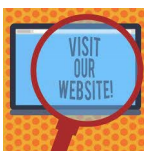
20 Carly and Dan Wray - 5 years!

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 the 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 caregiver is Barbara Boyce.

During Worship, following the time on the steps, children are invited to PRAYground located in the east transept. In PRAYground, children will be provided a lap desk, a children's bulletin, coloring and activity pages, allowing them to continue exploring today's gospel message. 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.



PLEASE 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!

CAMP FIRELIGHT FOREST LOOKING FOR GOOD HOMES



A generous member of Park Lake donated ten brand new, in the box, 9 foot fully-lit Christmas trees to use in our Camp Firelight forest. You can see them in Struble Fellowship Hall. Their retail value is approximately \$1,000.

We would like to offer these trees to good homes for a minimum donation of \$150 or make an offer! **All proceeds will go toward our Washington Shores Elementary School mission project.** Please contact the Church Office if you are interested in adopting one of these trees.

THANK YOU VBS VOLUNTEERS AND PARK LAKE FAMILY!

Thank you to everyone who helped make VBS a success! We had a great week with our Campers at Camp Firelight. Counselor Dan and his friend Lu, the firefly, taught us to trust God when we are afraid.



70 children joined us for the week, ages 4 years through 5th grade. For the first time, more children were returning than new to Park Lake's VBS which displays how much fun they have, so they want to come back.

Thank you so much for volunteering in this wonderful ministry of sharing God's Word!

BACKPACKS FOR WASHINGTON SHORES ELEMENTARY VBS MISSION PROJECT

You are invited to join the VBS mission focus as we partner with Washington Shores Elementary to provide backpacks and school supplies to students. Remember when one of the most exciting things about beginning school was getting ready? Some families cannot provide those cherished items that make starting school so special and successful. We can help! Join in the fun! We have a goal of raising enough money to purchase 70 backpacks. **You can sponsor a backpack for \$20-25.** Want to sponsor school supplies too? Please do! cash donations or actual supplies accepted. Find Washington Shores Elementary supply list link here. Thank you!



Thank You for your Support!!

