

**PARK LAKE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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



October 13, 2024

Order of Worship

10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Mission

Stewardship Testimony

Doug Lawton

Time of Silence

Prelude

Strong Deliverer

Phil Lehenbauer

Introit

Bless the Lord
Chancel Choir

Jacques Berthier

Call to Worship (Hebrews 4:14-16)

Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens,
Jesus, the Son of God,

let us hold fast to our confession.

For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our
weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet
without sin.

**Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness,
so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.**

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn No. 475

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Scripture

Hebrews 4:12-16

pew Bible, NT, pg. 206

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

Lord, we confess that we grow comfortable with our lives as they are.

We are self-confident that our best efforts match what you ask of us.

**We have faith in our goodness, and see the cause of problems in someone else's
brokenness.**

We think the challenging words you speak are always directed at someone else.

**Forgive us, God of grace, and help us to see ourselves as we really are: in need of your
grace; called by you to repentance and new life.**

In Christ we pray. *(silent prayers of confession)*

Declaration of Forgiveness

This is the promise of the Lord—that by the power of the Holy Spirit God will transform our lives and remember our sin no more.

(Hebrews 10:16–17) In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God.

*Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

*Hymn No. 735

I Need Thee Every Hour

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

Mark 10:17-31

Pew Bible, NT pg. 43

Sermon

What Are You Missing?

Rev. Dan 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

The Storm is Passing Over
Chancel Choir

Charles Albert Tindley

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

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

SENDING

*Hymn No. 697

Take My Life and Let it Be

Charge and Benediction

Choral Response

Lord, Bid Your Servant Go in Peace
Chancel Choir

James Quinn

Postlude

Love Divine
Will Benton, organist

Joel Raney

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



The Sanctuary flowers today are given to the glory of God, in memory of Patricia Stalder who joined the church triumphant on August 22, 2024, given by her loving family.

Worship Leaders today are:

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

October Ushers: John Bowers, Andre' Davis, Aaron Hull, John Hunter, Dan Johnson, Cindy Schmidt and Mark Sonderman.

Deacon at the door: Evie Park

POST-WORSHIP PRAYER TIME

Come pray with us after worship, all are welcome! Meet in the East Transept from 11:45 am - 12:15 pm.



Meeting date change to today, October 13 from October 19



The **GAYSTRAIGHT@PARK LAKE group** invites their friends and allies to our monthly luncheon at Panera Bread, 3643 East Colonial Drive, in the Orlando Fashion Square Mall. This event is a ten-minute drive from the church. We hope to see you there, today, **Sunday, October 13, 12:30-1:30 pm**. For more information, please email John Jenkins at GayStraight@ParkLake@gmail.com.

Pledged Income Y.T.D. Thru July, 2024		Non Pledged Income Y.T.D.	
Budget	\$279,463	Budget	\$26,497
Actual	\$268,997	Actual	\$40,357
Difference	\$ (10,466)	Difference	\$13,860
Park Lake Operating Budget Thru July, 2024			
	Income	Expenses	Difference
Budget	\$397,680	\$406,644	(8,964)
Actual	\$390,534	\$356,940	\$33,594

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

GUEST SPEAKER, SEBBER BANDA
Holistic Evangelism in Tete Province
THE OUTREACH FOUNDATION
Wednesday, October 16



We are excited to welcome Sebber Banda of Tete Province, Mozambique, back to Park Lake Presbyterian.

Wednesday, October 16 at 10:00 am at Westminster Towers, 70 W

Lucerne Circle, Orlando: Sebber will attend the weekly chapel service and afterward share lunch. It's open to Westminster residents as well as others. **Please R.S.V.P. to Alice Schmidt at alicerschmidt@aol.com, by Wednesday, October 9.**

Wednesday, October 16 at 6:00 pm in Struble Fellowship Hall: Please join us for a potluck dinner as Sebber catches us up on her work. We will provide the main course of fried chicken and ask that everyone bring a side dish or dessert. Also speaking will be long-time friend of Park Lake, Berry Long of the Outreach Foundation.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Go to theoutreachfoundation.org/partnerships for more information.



GAYSTRAIGHT@PARK LAKE will have a booth at the 2024 **Orlando PRIDE Festival** on October 19th. This is an 8-hour event, many volunteers are needed to fully staff the booth. During this day, we speak with many people, distribute business cards with PLPC information and a reminder that God loves everyone, share rainbow colored bracelets with the church's name and website imprinted. Please consider joining others in a fun and invigorating celebration. **All are welcome! For more information, please contact Tony Boada Davila at luis.boadadavila@gmail.com or text at 321-317-1292.**

SERVING AT THE CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER

10:45 am, 4th Tuesdays,
October 22

Park Lake continues to help serve lunch the **4th Tuesday each month** at Daily Bread at the Christian Service Center. We fill about 300 or so Styrofoam clamshells with the food that is already prepared. **10:45 am to 12:30 pm.** Please consider helping a few times a year. See John Bowers or email **jbowers4@cfl.rr.com** for all the details.



CHRISTIAN
SERVICE CENTER
40 years of faithful hands



YOU ARE INVITED TO THE PARK LAKE FAMILY TRUNK OR TREAT

Date: Saturday, October 26, 2024

Time: 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Where: Park Lake Parking lot on Highland Ave.

Park Lake Presbyterian Church

309 E. Colonial Dr.

Orlando, 32801

plpc.org / 407-841-6550

**Who: Children (ages infant to 5th grade)
Families and Friends of Park Lake!**

<https://www.foodallergy.org/resources/about-teal-pumpkin-project>

**Candy,
allergy free
treats,
non-food
treats, crafts**



2024 ADVENT DEVOTIONS

THE WONDER OF CHRISTMAS:

Experiencing Once Again the Mystery of Jesus' Birth

We expect children to hear the Christmas story in fresh ways, but there are a lot of adults for whom the incarnation is unknown. We invite you to dig into wondering this Christmas. Perhaps there is something you always wanted to know about the stories of the incarnation. Perhaps you could learn the story of Jesus' birth from a new perspective or new eyes or in a new language or from a non-Christian. Park Lake members and friends are the writers for our yearly devotions. If you would like to submit a devotion, contact Helen DeBevoise helenparklake@gmail.com

ONLINE CHURCH DIRECTORY

Keep your contact information

UPDATED



- *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**, or contact Carol Bookhardt at carolparklake@gmail.com.*



**Calling All Creatures Great and Small
Park Lake's
SECOND ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE
PETS**

Sponsored by GayStraight@Park Lake

The Second Annual Blessing of the Pets will be held on Sunday, **October 27, at 3:00 pm** in Park Lake Park (next to our small parking lot). GayStraight@ParkLake is sponsoring this event for our congregation, friends, and neighbors. All pets are welcome; they must on a leash or in a carrier. Or, if your pet doesn't travel well, bring their photo for a blessing! Stuffed animal friends are welcome, too! There will be water bowls aplenty, and each pet will receive a personalized Certificate of Blessing. To extend God's love for pets who are awaiting their "forever" homes, please bring an offering of canned dog or cat food. These will be donated to Pet Alliance of Orlando's Pet Food Pantry after the event. If you have questions or would like to volunteer, please contact John Jenkins at Gaystraightatparklake@gmail.com or Linda Simmons, lwsdmin@gmail.com.

FOOD COLLECTION for WASHINGTON SHORES PRESBYTERIAN FOOD PANTRY

Please bring non-perishable donations to the West transept entrance of the Sanctuary on Sundays before or after worship. We are no longer collecting donations on Tuesdays.



(low stock items in **bold**)

Hygiene items:

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

Food items:

- Food with pop tops
- Rice
- Canned corn
- Crackers
- Peanut butter
- Jelly
- Cereal

Please pick up a blessing bag or two to give to those in need in our community.

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

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Park Lake Presbyterian Church *turns 100 in October 2025!*

- **100th Anniversary Kickoff/Stewardship Luncheon**
Sunday, October 6
Struble Fellowship Hall after worship.
- **Architectural Tour**
Saturday, January 18, 2025, Sanctuary.
- **Ice Cream Social & Games**
Saturday, March 1, 2025
Small Parking Lot, 3:00 – 5:00pm.
- **Fellowship Luncheon**
Sunday, March 30, 2025,
Struble Fellowship Hall, after worship.
- **Mission in May 2025.**
- **Fellowship Luncheon**
Sunday, September 7, 2025
Struble Fellowship Hall, after worship.
- **Art Show**
October 2025, Sanctuary.
- **Celebration Dinner**
Saturday, October 11, 2025
- **Celebration Worship Service**
Sunday, October 12, 2025, 10:30 am
- **Sunday, 100th Year Celebration Reception**
Sunday, October 12, 2025, after worship, Struble Fellowship Hall.



A Century of
Community in
Christ!



Come help celebrate God's blessings!