

Declaration of Forgiveness

Our God is a loving God, full of mercy. In Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Believe in this forgiveness, be at peace, and respond in grateful service.

Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Response No. 79

Light Dawns on a Weary World

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 This I Know

***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

1 Corinthians 12:12-26

pew Bible NT, pg. 163

Sermon

A Prescription for the New Year

Rev. Helen DeBevoise

*Affirmation of Faith pg. 17 The Apostles Creed

**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;

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

Great is Thy Faithfulness
Chancel Choir

Craig Courtney

*The Doxology No. 606

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

SENDING

*Hymn No. 300

We Are One in the Spirit

Charge and Benediction

In All Things Give Him Thanks

Clair & Andy Cloninger,
Ken Barker

Postlude

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty
Will Benton, organist

arr. Kenneth Varner

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

**THE CHURCH OFFICE AND CHILD CARE CENTER
WILL BE CLOSED ON
MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 2025
IN OBSERVANCE OF THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY.**

Worship Leaders today are:

Rev. Dr. Helen DeBevoise and Rev. Dr. Dan DeBevoise, co-pastors.

Robb Ross, choir director; Will Benton, organist/pianist.

January Ushers: Erin Cook, Matt Cook, Clay Elliott, John Rogers, Doug Lawton.

Deacon at the Door: Cheryl Woods

Celebrating this Week!

Birthdays

- 20 Arya Jones
- 22 Mary Carls
- 22 Raymond Burris
- 23 Mackenzie Bertram
- 23 Campbell Bertram Connolly
- 24 Beverly Reynolds



Anniversaries

- 20 Scott and Amanda Trauger

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.



| Pledged Income Y.T.D. Thru November 30, 2024 | | Non Pledged Income Y.T.D. | |
|---|------------|------------------------------|------------|
| Budget | \$439,156 | Budget | \$41,638 |
| Actual | \$427,574 | Actual | \$68,471 |
| Difference | (\$11,582) | Difference | \$26,833 |
| Park Lake Operating Budget | | | |
| | Income | Expenses | Difference |
| Budget | \$624,923 | \$639,475 | (\$14,552) |
| Actual | \$643,991 | \$582,212 | \$61,779 |

Church Staff

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|----------------------------|--|
| 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

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| Madagascar | Dan and Elizabeth Turk |
| Mozambique | Sebber Banda |
| | Rev. Carlos Faquione |



If you requested 2025 Offering envelopes for your pledged giving - designated as quarterly, weekly or monthly offering, with your name on them, the offering envelopes have been printed. You may pick them up before or after worship on Sunday, January 19th. They are located in the west transept. Please speak to an usher if you need assistance. Please contact me at the church office if you are unable to pick them up. I will be happy to mail them to you, Carol Bookhardt at carolparklake@gmail.com.

2025 ZEBRA YOUTH GIFT CARD COLLECTION



The **Gay Straight@Park Lake** group will be collecting gift cards and monetary contributions for **Zebra Youth** (formerly known as Zebra Coalition) as a “gift of love” this Valentine’s Day. Zebra Youth is a network that provides services to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and all youth (LGBTQ+) ages 13 – 24. Zebra Youth 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 5 and Sunday, February 9**. Monetary contributions can also be made by mailing your check to the church office at Park Lake Presbyterian Church, 309 E. Colonial Dr., Orlando FL 32801. **Please make checks payable to Zebra Youth. Please write “Park Lake” on the notation line.** For more information contact Project Chairperson Howard Vincent Kurtz at howardvincentkurtz@gmail.com

You can give directly to Zebra Youth using the QR code.
Please write Park Lake on the “For What Line”.



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. The next meeting will be **Sunday, January 19, 2025, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm**. We hope to see you there! For more information, please email John Jenkins at gaystraightatparklake@gmail.com.



PAGE TURNERS BOOK CLUB, 10:00 am, Koinonia Sunday School room, downstairs in the Sanctuary Building .

- ◆ **Thursday, January 23, 2025** January selection is Big Trouble, by Dave Berry. For more information, email Sherry Riley at sherry27@gmail.com.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS! 100th YEAR ANNIVERSARY EVENTS

Saturday, March 1, 2025, Small Parking Lot, 3:00 – 5:00pm.

- Ice Cream Social & Games

Sunday, March 30, 2025, Struble Fellowship Hall, after worship.

- Fellowship Luncheon

May 2025

- Missions in May 2025 (to be announced)

Sunday, September 7, 2025, Struble Fellowship Hall, after worship.

- Fellowship Luncheon

October 2025, Sanctuary

- Art Show

Saturday, October 11, 2025

- Celebration Dinner

Sunday, October 12, 2025

- Celebration Worship Service – 10:30 am
- Celebration Reception - after worship

Please check expiration dates on food items before donating.

FOOD COLLECTION for WASHINGTON SHORES PRESBYTERIAN



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.**

Save the Date

Presbyterian Women of Central Florida Presbytery

Our Love for God's Creation



Annual Gathering ~ February 1, 2025
El Redentor Presbyterian Church
Oviedo, Florida

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| 8:45 - 9:15 | Registration and Continental Breakfast |
| 9:30 - 10:30 | Annual Meeting and Worship Service |
| 10:45 - 11:45 | Workshops |
| 12:00 - 12:45 | Lunch |
| 1:00 - 2:00 | Workshops |

Registration - \$20.00 includes light breakfast and lunch

El Redentor Presbyterian is located at 6971 Red Bug Lake Road in Oviedo

For more information contact Julie Hill at julie2025pw@gmail.com

More details coming soon!

