

## Pastoral Care

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| The Session     |                 |                 | The Diaconate   |                |                 |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 2017            | 2018            | 2019            | 2017            | 2018           | 2019            |
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### Missions Supported by WPPC

Audrey Ball, *Transitions Orphan Assistance Foundation*, Ukraine  
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Steve & Sonia Dettweiler, *Wycliffe*, Nigeria  
Dr. Anne Hallum, *A.I.R. (Alliance for Reforestation)*, Guatemala

### PC(USA) World Missions

Rev. Gordon & Dorothy Gartrell, Brazil; Jenny Bent, Dominican Republic;  
Mark Hare, Haiti; Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

### Staff

The Rev. Dr. Jason T. Micheli, Senior Pastor  
The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor for Family Discipleship  
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Deniz Uz, Organist  
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# Winter Park

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

OCTOBER 22, 2017 • 10:30 A.M.  
TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



David Friedrich, Woman Before the Rising Sun, 1818

WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
400 SOUTH LAKEMONT AVENUE  
WINTER PARK, FLORIDA 32792



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## WELCOME TO WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Whether you're a guest or a long-time member, we're glad you joined us in worship this morning to celebrate the twentieth Sunday after Pentecost.

Winter Park Presbyterian Church strives to be a community where we find new life by the grace of God in Jesus Christ, through the Holy Spirit. We seek to be a people who live out of God's redeeming grace, witnessing to the new life given by God by engaging in ministries of compassion and justice.

There are many opportunities here to connect with others. It is our hope that you find this church to be a place where you feel welcomed and equipped to grow in your Christian faith.



Jason T. Micheli  
Senior Pastor

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### If You Are New Here

We invite you to write your name(s) in the red registration pad when it is passed down the pew. If you would like information on the ministries of this church, please include your contact information. Also, greeters and ushers at the entrances can provide you with information about our programs and volunteer opportunities. Please join us for refreshments and conversation in fellowship hall following the service.

### Worship Aids

Assistive hearing devices are available from an audio/visual technician at the rear of the sanctuary. Large print hymnals are available from the ushers.

### Worshiping with Children

Children are welcome to stay in the sanctuary for the entire worship service. They are invited to come forward for the Children's Moment, following which they may return to sit with their families, or (Pre-K—3rd grade) leave for Children's Church on non-communion Sundays. In addition, childcare for preschool-age children is available in our nursery, room 608, during all services.

### If You Are in Need of Prayer

Elders are available to pray with you after the service, at the front of the sanctuary. Your prayers are confidential unless you request they be shared with our Pastoral Care staff. You may also complete a prayer request card (available in the pews and at the back of the sanctuary) and give it to an usher.

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Sunday, October 22

8:15 AM to 9:00 AM Worship Service, Chapel  
9:15 AM to 10:15 AM Sunday School  
10:30 AM to 11:30 AM Worship Service, Sanctuary  
11:30 AM to 11:45 PM Congregational Meeting, Sanctuary  
11:30 AM to 1:00 PM New Members and Visitor's Luncheon, Parlor  
11:35 AM to 12:35 PM WPPC Ringers, Room 102  
3:00 PM to 4:30 PM Salt of the Earth Young Adult Group, Panera Bread, Winter Park  
5:00 PM to 7:00 PM Youth Group (Grades 6-12), Room 204, Room 202

### Monday, October 23

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM Library Open  
11:30 AM to 12:30 PM Tai Chi, Fellowship Hall  
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Boy Scouts, Room 204

### Tuesday, October 24

10:30 AM to 11:30 AM Staff Meeting, Room 301  
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM History Committee Work Groups (will meet as needed), Room 315  
4:30 PM to 5:30 PM TNT Class, Parlor  
5:30 PM to 6:30 PM TNT Dinner, Fellowship Hall  
6:30 PM to 7:30 PM TNT Classes: "Stories for Adults" - Parlor "Game Night" - Room 317  
6:30 PM to 7:15 PM Children's Choir, Room 102  
7:15 PM to 7:45 PM Youth Ensemble, Room 102

### Wednesday, October 25

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM Cooking for the Homeless, Kitchen  
12:00 PM Bulletin Materials Due  
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM Worship Planning, Room 303  
6:00 PM to 7:30 PM Westminster Ringers, Room 102  
7:15 PM to 8:45 PM Chancel Choir, Sanctuary

### Thursday, October 26

9:00 AM to 11:00 AM Cooking for the Homeless, Kitchen  
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM Library Open  
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Session Meetings, Room 301

### Friday, October 27

9:00 AM to 11:00 AM Coalition - Sandwich Prep, Kitchen  
10:00 AM to 12:00 PM Coalition - Sort Toiletries, Fellowship Hall  
11:30 AM to 12:30 PM Tai Chi, Fellowship Hall  
5:30 PM Bus to Homeless Coalition Meal

### Saturday, October 28

4:00 PM to 6:00 PM Trunk or Treat, Church Parking Lot

### Sunday, October 29, Reformation Sunday, Kirkin' of the Tartans

9:15 AM to 10:15 AM Sunday School  
10:30 AM to 11:30 AM Worship Service, Sanctuary  
11:35 AM to 12:35 PM WPPC Ringers, Room 102  
3:00 PM to 4:30 PM Salt of the Earth Young Adult Group, Panera Bread, Winter Park  
5:00 PM to 7:00 PM Youth Group (Grades 6-12), Room 204, Room 202

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Author Selina Siak Chin Yoke to Visit WPPC**

Selina Siak Chin Yoke is the author of "The Woman Who Breathed Two Worlds" and "When the Future Comes Too Soon." She is visiting WPPC Friday, December 1 at 7pm in room 301. She grew up listening to family stories and ancient legends, always knowing that one day she would write. After careers as a theoretical physicist, investment banker, and trader in London, she was diagnosed with cancer and she decided not to delay her dream of writing any longer. Join the the Abibliophobes (for those afraid of running out of reading material) at the Book Club as Selina talks about her background, her books and wherever else the discussion may take us! Her books are available on Amazon.

### **Thank You for Your Pledges**

We are grateful for the support and commitment to this church through this year's annual stewardship campaign. If you have not turned in the pledge card and would like to make a pledge, please contact Carolyn in the church office. We are excited for what God has planned for WPPC in the coming year.

### **Greeters Needed**

If you would like to help welcome members and visitors to the 10:30 church service, please call the office, (407) 647-1467, to tell them you'd like to volunteer.

### **Survey Request**

Compassion Committee is seeking your input regarding your interest in participating in volunteer service projects to help in our planning. Please give us your input on the survey forms on the information table in the narthex. Compassion committee.

### **Highlights of the Season**

- Trunk or Treat, October 28, 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, Church Parking Lot
- Kirkin' of the Tartans, Reformation Sunday, October 29, 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM, Sanctuary
- Global Market, November 11, 9:00 AM to 1:30 PM & November 12, 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Journey to Christmas, November 26, 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Christmas Bells, featuring Magic of Bronze, December 3, 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM, Fellowship Hall & Sanctuary
- Christmas Toy Drive, December 3, 8:15 AM & 10:30 AM, Fellowship Hall
- Breakfast with Santa & Holiday Shoppe, December 9, 7:00 AM to 3:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Lake Nona High School Choir, December 12, 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM, Fellowship Hall & Sanctuary
- Young at Heart Christmas Concert, December 14, 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, Fellowship Hall & Sanctuary
- Living Nativity, December 15 & 16, 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM, On the Lawn
- Christmas Eve Candlelight Services, December 24, 5:00 PM, 7:00 PM & 11:00 PM, Sanctuary

## SERVING TODAY

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| OFFICIATING MINISTER: | The Rev. Dr. Jason T. Micheli, Senior Pastor  |
| ASSISTING MINISTER:   | The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor of Family Discipleship  |
| LITURGISTS:           | Kim Vogt (8:15)<br>Syd Davis (10:30)  |
| MUSICIANS:            | Deniz Uz, Organist; WPPC Chancel Choir - Justin Chase, Director   |
| CHILDREN'S MOMENT:    | Pastor Emily  |
| CHILDREN'S CHURCH:    | Carolyn Boyle, Reta Jackson, Griffin Seel, Garsha Thomas  |
| GREETERS:             | Julie Kent and Margie Meliza (8:15)<br>Doris Anguish, Pat Brown, Wendy Jamison, Dee Mamone (10:30)  |
| USHERS:               | Julie Kent and Margie Meliza (8:15)<br>Ardyth Austin, Howard Evans, Mike Galyean, Nancy Galyean, Lloyd McGuire, Fred Murray, Ellenorr Osterhaus, Eileen Silvers (10:30) |
| ELDERS:               | Rachel Myers and Mike Galyean (10:30)   |
| AUDIO/VISUAL:         | Carole Reece, Doug Reece, Nelson Roe, Stephen Smith, Ethan Thomas (10:30)   |

## ✠ WORSHIP MATTERS ✠

**The flowers today are given to the glory of God** by Larry and Bethanne Seel in honor of their upcoming wedding anniversary on November 7.

### **Worship Resources Online**

You will find bulletins for upcoming and past worship services at [winppc.org/bulletins](http://winppc.org/bulletins). An archive of recent sermons is available at [winppc.org/sermons](http://winppc.org/sermons).

### **Bulletin Cover Image**

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### **Music Notes**

Our CCLI License number is 11184426, and our OneLicense.net number is 725233.

ORDER OF WORSHIP • TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*When the prelude begins, all are invited to enter a period of quiet reflection so that those wishing to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation may so do. Please silence all electronic devices.*

\* Please stand as you are able

† GATHERING AROUND THE WORD †

PRELUDE *Prelude in B Minor* • César Franck

ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT *Heaven is Singing for Joy (Chancel Choir)*

\* CALL TO WORSHIP Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.  
**God's steadfast love endures forever.**  
Give thanks to God for the faith we share;  
**be steadfast in hope through Jesus Christ.**  
Let us worship God.

\* HYMN 420 *God of Grace and God of Glory*

\* OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF  
CONFESSION **O Lord our God, we confess  
that we do not reflect your glory.  
You gave your law to guide us,  
but we remain enthralled by evil.  
We do the very things we claim to hate,  
and fail to do the things we say we love.  
Forgive us; restore and order our lives  
by the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ.  
From sin and death, set us free—  
free to love and serve you alone,  
to the glory of your holy name.**

*(Continue with silent confession and reflection until response is introduced)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Kirkin' o' the Tartans Celebration October 29**

Sunday, October 29, WPPC will celebrate Scotland's role in the Reformation movement that birthed the Presbyterian faith. One worship service will be held at 10:30 on this day (there will be no 8:15 service).

**Friendship Club**

Friendship Club's November 3 gathering will feature WESH 2 Meteorologist Amy Sweezey. She will be talking about what she does at WESH, balancing family life and TV life, and introducing us to her two children's books about weather. She will have the books there for you to see (and purchase). We start our meetings at 11:30am. The menu features roast pork and pumpkin pie and costs \$5. Product of the month donation to the food pantry is canned vegetables. Reservations, by noon Wednesday, Nov. 1, are essential if you wish to eat with us, or you can come at 12:15pm for the program only. Call the church office, (407) 647-1467 to make your reservation. Transportation from Westminster Winter Park and the Mayflower are available and should be reserved at the same time you make your meal reservation.

**Global Market 2017**

The Global Christmas Market hosts various non-profit vendors offering unique gifts, perfect for Christmas gifts. You will find handcrafted jewelry, ornaments, Christmas décor, scarves, soaps, beautiful plants, and much more. All sales go directly to the non-profit organizations. The event takes place in Fellowship Hall November 11, from 9am -1 30pm and November 12 from 12pm-1:30pm.

**Advent Booklet**

WPPC will again produce an Advent Booklet with devotionals for the season. The personal stories from WPPC members that fill this book have made it a treasured piece of the season each year. This year the team creating the book is seeking a few sentences (or up to a paragraph) on a scriptural passage:

- A passage from the Old Testament that foretells the coming of the Messiah
- A passage from the New Testament that speaks of Jesus Christ
- A passage that speaks of the second coming of Christ

You may write about the scripture or draw a picture - or both. Please submit by November 19. We will print in time for the Journey to Christmas event the following Sunday. Please send your contribution to Phyllis Woods at PhyllisCW@cfl.rr.com, or give it to her at church.

**Do You Live Nearby and Have a Lawn?**

We are in need of volunteers who live fairly close to the church and are willing to place a small lawn sign out four weeks before some upcoming church events: Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 28; Magic of Bronze Handbell Concert on Sunday, December 3; and the ever popular Living Nativity on Friday 15 and Saturday the 16 of December. We hope these signs will help bring awareness to the community about the wonderful events WPPC is hosting this holiday season. Signs will be available for pick-up at the church. Please confirm with the front office by calling (407) 647-1467.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Congregational Meeting TODAY**

A congregational meeting has been called for the purpose of electing church officers. The meeting will be immediately following the 10:30 worship service in the sanctuary.

### **New Members and Visitors Lunch TODAY**

WPPC invites newcomers to a lunch today in the church parlor at 11:30am. We hope you will join us to learn more about WPPC and have a chance to talk with church members about what it's like to be a member of our congregation.

### **Fourth Quarterly Offering for 2 Cents A Meal TODAY**

Today is our fourth quarterly offering for 2 Cents A Meal. Your support of P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer To Hunger) helps our partners combat hunger in many ways and in many places. These partners are Second Harvest Food Bank (distributes meals to partner feeding programs across our six-county area; Society of St. Andrew (SoSA) which coordinates gleanings events with volunteers to provide fresh, nutritious produce to local food banks; Alliance for International Reforestation (AIR) in Guatemala which plants trees to provide fruit and prevent mudslides; and Madagascar Project (Dan and Elizabeth Turk, PC (USA) Missionaries) allowing Dan to train seminary students to plant and cultivate fruit trees and Elizabeth to implement a community health program, teach AIDS awareness and advise the family planning program.

### **TNT**

Tuesday Nights Together is a fun way to come together with friends and feed your body and soul. This Tuesday will conclude our TNT season. Even if you have not yet joined us, we welcome all to come together this week. There is dinner served, classes taught, and activities for the whole family to enjoy. Childcare is provided for infants—3 years old in room 608. Kids over 3 are welcome to join in on the various activities! Pickup one of the colorful TNT flyers at the front desk. Please RSVP by Friday at noon (407) 647-1467.

Meal prices: \$6 for adults, \$3 children under 10 years of age, \$15 family rate total

### **Relationships in Action, Every Sunday at 9:15 AM in Room 301**

Next week's class is entitled, "The Making of the New Testament Canon: The Copyists Who Gave Us Scripture." One of the things that made Christianity novel in the ancient world is that it was a religion largely based on books. This session will focus on how, in the absence of Jesus and his apostles, the books of the apostles became the authoritative basis for the faith. The authenticity of those books and the decision on which books to accept as authoritative will be examined. The class will be lead by Gene Pickler.

### **Trunk or Treat**

This year we are having our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 28. WPPC is hosting a safe and family-friendly Trunk-or-Treat day for the whole community from 4-6pm. Guests will enjoy games, fall crafts, Halloween treats, face painting, food, and PJ The Clown. Invite your friends and neighbors to this great event. To ensure the day is a success, we are in need of candy. Donations may be dropped-off in the church office. All candy must be individually wrapped. We also need volunteers to decorate their trunks and hand out candy to kids! Contact Emily for more information, emilyw@winppc.org, or call (407) 647-1467.

## RESPONSE

### ***Create in Me a Clean Heart***

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God; cre - ate in me a  
clean heart, O God; cre - ate in me a clean heart, O  
God, and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.

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## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\* RESPONSE ***Gloria Patri*** - Hymnal 579

\* PEACE The peace of our Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE CONCLUDING WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread;**

**and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;**

**and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

## OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE (8:15) • **Doxology** - Hymnal 592

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**praise God, all creatures here below;**

**praise God above, ye heavenly host;**

**praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Cover Me with the Night* • Ramsey

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE (10:30) • **Doxology** - Hymnal 592 (See text at 8:15)

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† LISTENING FOR THE WORD †

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (10:30) Pre-K to 5th grade children are invited to the chancel steps for a special message. Afterward, they may rejoin their families, or PreK-3rd grade may go to Children's Church in the Library.

FIRST READING Exodus 33:12-23  
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10  
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 438 *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*

1 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.  
 2 Not the la - bors of my hands can ful - fill thy law's de - mands.  
 3 Noth - ing in my hand I bring; sim - ply to thy cross I cling;  
 4 While I draw this fleet - ing breath, when my eye - lids close in death,

Let the wa - ter and the blood from thy wound - ed side which flowed  
 Could my zeal no res - pite know, could my tears for - ev - er flow,  
 na - ked, come to thee for dress, help - less, look to thee for grace;  
 when I soar to worlds un - known, see thee on thy judg - ment throne,

be of sin the dou - ble cure, cleanse from guilt and make me pure.  
 all for sin could not a - tone. Thou must save, and thou a - lone.  
 foul, I to the foun - tain fly; wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.  
 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.

SERMON

GOD IS HERE TODAY  
The Rev. Emily Wasser

\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH • *Apostles' Creed*  
**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

† FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD †

- \* HYMN 391 *Take My Life (verses 1 and 4)*
- \* BENEDICTION *Go, My Children (Chancel Choir) (10:30)*
- CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
- \* POSTLUDE *Fugue in A Minor BWV 543 • J.S. Bach*

2017 ELDER AND DEACON NOMINEES

- ELDERS Doris Anguish, Marilyn Bryant, Rick Davis, Steve House, Arthur Ranson, Larry Seel
- DEACONS Ardyth Austin, Caroline James, Nancy Johnson, Jim McKinney, Ellenorr Osterhaus, Matt Straub