

ORDER OF WORSHIP

\* Please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE • *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* - Burkhardt (10:30)

\* CALL TO WORSHIP

Listen, O people, for the word of God,  
giving seed to the sower and bread to the hungry.  
**Listen, O people, for the word of God,**  
**growing trees in the desert and fruit in the wilderness.**  
**Listen, O People, for the word of God,**  
**planting faith in the weary and hope in the desperate.**  
**Listen, O people, for the word of God,**  
**and worship God with gladness.**  
**Let us worship God!**

\* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**Merciful God, You are our portion and our hope. Come to us this day even  
as we gather to wait for You. In this new morning, shower us with Your  
mercies once more, that we might be assured that You will never leave  
or forsake us. Amen.**

\* HYMN 39 (GTG Hymnal) • *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

CALL TO CONFESSION

Our faith may be small, but God’s power is great. Our sins may loom large,  
but God’s promise of forgiveness is sure. Trusting that God is able to do for  
us what we could never do for ourselves, let us make our confession.

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. Amen.**  
*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The grace of God is given to us in Jesus Christ. This is good news!  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

\* RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri* (GTG Hymnal 581)

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE • *Lord, Have Mercy* (GTG Hymnal 551)

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4  
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

2nd Timothy 1:1-14  
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

“O LORD, HOW LONG?” • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

\* REAFFIRMATION OF FAITH - *Adapted from the Presbyterian Church Brief Statement of Faith*

**In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus  
Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in  
the One triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and  
serve. We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. We trust in God,  
whom Jesus called Abba, Father. We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere  
the giver and renewer of life. With believers in every time and place, we  
rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God  
in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the  
Holy Spirit. Amen.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING  
OFFERTORY MUSIC *One World, One Communion* - Choplin (10:30)

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology* (GTG Hymnal 606)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE LORD’S SUPPER

THE INVITATION  
THE PRAYER OF BLESSING  
THE WORDS OF SACRAMENT

SERVING GOD’S PEOPLE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND 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.**

\* HYMN 36 (GTG Hymnal) • *For the Fruit of All Creation*

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE • *Hallelujah! Peo tsa rona!* (GTG Hymnal 538)

POSTLUDE • *Prelude and Fugue in d minor* - Bach (10:30)

✠ SERVING TODAY ✠

**OFFICIATING MINISTER:** The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor

**LITURGIST:** Pat Morgan (10:30)

**MUSICIANS:** Sandra Shafer, Piano (8:15)  
Justin Chase, Director of Music (10:30)  
Penny Walsh, Organ (10:30)

**AUDIO/VISUAL:** Carole Reece, Doug Reece, and Nelson Roe (10:30)

✠ WORSHIP MATTERS ✠

FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Nancy Galyean in  
celebration of Mike Galyean’s 80th birthday.

ANTHEM TEXT

One world, one communion, one faith in Christ, the Son. One world, one  
communion, and there is room for everyone. Wherever people gather to  
share the bread and cup, though we are many, we are one in love. So much  
we have in common, though we are miles apart, through the Holy Spirit, we  
are one in heart. Wherever bread is broken and where the cup is poured,  
brothers and sisters, we are one in the Lord. Though many things divide us,  
with great diversity, through the power of love we will find unity. There is  
room for all who come.

MUSIC

Our CCLI License number is 11184426; OneLicense.net number is 725233.  
Our CVLI License number is 505405959.

WORSHIP AIDS

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

✠ COMMUNICATION INFORMATION ✠

PASTORAL CARE

If you (or someone you know) are going through a difficult time, please  
contact us. Our Deacons and pastoral care staff are available for support,  
home and hospital visits, and prayer. Please contact Dr. Darren Bess at  
[darrenb@winppc.org](mailto:darrenb@winppc.org) or 407-647-1467 x 103. For pastoral emergencies  
when the church office is closed, call 407-647-1467 x 112.

PUBLICITY

If you have a church event that needs to be publicized in the church bulletin,  
newsletter, etc., please fill out the publicity request form located at  
<http://winppc.org/publicity-request/>.

🔗 ANNOUNCEMENTS 🔗

WELCOME

We are so glad you are here to worship with us today! Worship services are also available online. Sermons can be found at [www.winppc.org/sermons](http://www.winppc.org/sermons).

PEACEMAKING OFFERING

Today is World Communion Sunday and we will receive your Peacemaking Offering. Our partners in the Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly, will use 75% of this offering for various peacemaking projects throughout the world. The remaining 25% will be used locally to help support IDignity, which helps the disadvantaged in Central Florida to navigate the complexities of obtaining their personal identification so they can move forward with their lives. Thank you for donating to this most worthy cause. ~ Compassion Committee

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

The Preschool Book Fair will be here this week, October 10-15. This is a great time to buy books for your children, grandchildren, great-grandchild, or friends! This program enables the Preschool to buy classroom materials, furniture, and books. Volunteers will be on hand to assist with your purchase. Please call the office at 407-629-0727 to check book fair hours.

CHURCH OFFICER NOMINATIONS

Your input is critical in the selection process of officers for WPPC. Please complete a nomination form and place it in the offering plate or return it to the front office. Forms are available in the narthex and in the front office.

CONTINUED STUDY CLASS

Pastor Darren continues his study into the rest of The Revelation. The class meets on Mondays from 11:30am-12:30pm will conclude on October 17th. The class is a review of the materials covered in the recent sermon series, a survey of the remaining chapters, and an opportunity to receive the blessing God promises to those who read and hear The Revelation.

FLOWERS

If you would like to donate flowers for the weekly worship service in honor of/in memory of someone special or of a special occasion, please pick a date and put your name on the sign-up chart located in the narthex. When you sign up, please take a form and turn it into the front office with all the information filled in.

ELECTRONIC GIVING OPTION

We are pleased to have an electronic option for making regular offerings. Contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account. Our electronic giving program offers convenience for you and provides much-needed donation consistency for our congregation. An authorization form is available from the church office and can be returned to Carolyn Achenbach. You can also securely set up one-time and recurring giving on our website at [winppc.org/give](http://winppc.org/give) and clicking “Member Giving.”

🔗 NOTES 🔗



Winter Park  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
OCTOBER 2, 2022



The Session		
2022	2023	2024
Theresa Coker	Syd Davis	Mike Galyean
Bonnie Gaughan	Fred Kittinger	John Gehrig
Fran Morrissey	Malcolm MacDiarmid	Jayne Leach
Michelle Trahan	Jim McKinney	Audrey Santiago
Jay Van Hook	Dawn Sumrall	Sara Van Arsdel

The Diaconate		
2022	2023	2024
Jane Munns	Ron Ellman	Ardyth Austin
Rachel Myers	Betty Johnston	Lisa Dreasher
Christine Rich	Sevilla Morse	Jerry Fitzgerald
Meg Ball Thomas	Cynthia Nants	Nancy Galyean
Jeanne Vinci	Jyme Smith	Andy Riccio

Missions Supported by WPPC
Audrey Santiago, <i>Transitions Orphan Assistance Foundation</i> , Ukraine
Dr. Robert Gamble, <i>This Child Here</i> , Ukraine
Dennis & Susan Walters, <i>SIL</i> , Asia
Steve & Sonia Dettweiler, <i>Wycliffe</i> , Nigeria
Dr. Anne Hallum, <i>A.I.R. (Alliance for Reforestation)</i> , Guatemala
<b>PC(USA) World Missions</b>
Mark Hare & Jenny Bent, Costa Rica
Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

Staff	
The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor	Cindy Mitchum, Executive Assistant
Justin Chase, Director of Music	Barbara Hordern, Administrative Assistant
Penny Walsh, Organist	Tricia Wilson, Director of Preschool Programs
Sandra Shafer, Pianist	Kenny Lovelace, Sexton
Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant	