

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

\* Please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

PRELUDE • *God Himself Is Present* - Burkhardt (10:30)

\* CALL TO WORSHIP

God's glory is too much to comprehend,  
**But we see God's face among us**  
when we come together as the church.  
**Let us witness to God's glory together!**

\* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**God of creation, God of help, and God of hope: Meet us this morning as we present our whole selves to You today. Celebrate our joys, see our hurts, and set us right in all ways for Your purposes in this world; in Your holy name we pray. Amen**

\* HYMN 1 • *Holy, Holy, Holy!*

CALL TO CONFESSION

God has chosen us, but we frequently fail to choose God's will for our lives.  
Let us go before God, seeking forgiveness and peace.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of justice and truth, You ask us to give to You the things that are Yours. If we are honest, we know we hold so much back. We have promised You our obedience, but we often fulfill our own desires first. We have promised You our worship, but we give our attention to idols instead. We have promised to do Your work, in the world, but we put it last on the list of priorities. Have mercy on us and forgive us. Increase our generosity that we might give freely, grateful for all of the gifts You have given us. Amen.**  
*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The good news remains true: God has chosen us, forgives us, and walks beside us, helping us become imitators of Christ.  
**Thanks be to God, in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Alleluia!**

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

THE BAPTISM OF OLIVIA JEAN SKELTON AND THOMAS CHRISTOPHER BLUE (10:30)

STATEMENT OF BAPTISM

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

THE BAPTISM

PRAYER OF BLESSING

RESPONSE • *Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God* (Hymnal 423, verse 1)

**Create in me a clean heart, O God;  
create in me a clean heart, O God;  
create in me a clean heart, O God,  
and renew a right spirit within me.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 9:1-6

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING

John 18:28-40

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

"JESUS AND OUR DIGITAL LIFE - PART 3" • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

\* THE REAFFIRMATION 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.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *Within Us Flows a River* - Mark Miller (10:30)

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

PRAYER OF DEDICATION 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 670 • *From the Rising of the Sun*

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • *Fantasy in g minor* - J.S. Bach (10:30)

## ☞ SERVING TODAY ☞

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

**LITURGIST:** Jim Esch (8:15)  
Steve House (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, Nelson Roe, Carissa Taylor

## ☞ WORSHIP MATTERS ☞

### FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God in celebration of the marriage of Matthew & Haley Tam on October 20th.

### ANTHEM TEXT

Within us flows a river; we are trees along its banks drawing in our sustenance, giving back our thanks. Our strength is gained in stages 'til in season we bear fruit. Living water brings us life, nourishing each root, nourishing each root. The Spirit is the river; so dwells God within the soul, nourishing the fallowness, making fragments whole. The flow of love sustains us, grace and mercy make us clean; broken hearts begin to heal, new growth can be seen, new growth can be seen. God, be in the tree, in the bud and in the flow'r. May we bring forth fruit at the Spirit's chosen hour. Cultivate our faith, prune our worry and regret; drawing strength from you, may we blossom for you yet, may we blossom for you yet. Within us flows a river; we are trees along its banks drawing in our sustenance, giving back our thanks. Our strength is gained in stages 'til in season we bear fruit. Living water brings us life, nourishing each root, nourishing each root. God, be in the tree, in the bud and in the flow'r. May we bring forth fruit at the Spirit's chosen hour. Cultivate our faith, prune our worry and regret; drawing strength from you, may we blossom for you yet, may we blossom for you yet. May we blossom, may we blossom. May we blossom, may we blossom. May we blossom. Hm.

### 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 reach out to us. Our Deacons and pastoral care staff are available for support, home and hospital visits, and prayer. Please contact Dr. Darren Bess at 407-647-1467 or [darrenb@winppc.org](mailto:darrenb@winppc.org). 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 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).

**SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM**

Today we welcome the following children into our worldwide family of faith through the sacrament of baptism:

- ☞ Olivia Jean Skelton, daughter of Adam Skelton & Hillary McDonough.  
Welcome to the family, Olivia!
- ☞ Thomas Christopher Blue, son of Jeffrey & Cynthia Blue. Welcome to the family, Thomas!

**5 CENTS A MEAL—TODAY!**

If we each set aside 5 cents each time we eat a meal, that would be 15 cents per day or \$4.50 in a single month. Since we collect 5 Cents A Meal every three months, can we challenge ourselves to donate \$13.50? Today we will take the final quarterly collection for 5 Cents A Meal this year. Please continue your support for P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer to Hunger).

**CONCERT SERIES—BRAUN/SMALL DUO—TODAY AT 3PM**

Today at 3pm, Matitiahua “Mati” Braun and Holly Small will present a violin/piano program of classical music. The program will include works by Handel, Schubert, and Grieg. There is no charge for the concert, although donations will be accepted. A meet and greet reception will follow the concert. Please join us for an hour of beautiful music!

**WEDNESDAY NIGHTS TOGETHER (WNT)**

Our final WNT of the Fall will be this Wednesday. Our night kicks off with a presentation from the *Center for Health and Wellbeing* on Exercise is Medicine: Stay Active through the Ages. This presentation will be in Fellowship Hall. Dinner is potluck. Please bring a dish to share and RSVP to the front office so we can set up the tables. Following dinner our small group discussions continue in the CE Building Parlor. Thank you to everyone who has helped make this a great series!

**GLOBAL CHRISTMAS MARKET**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4: 9AM-1PM & SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5: 11:30AM-12:30PM**

Make the Global Christmas Market an event. Come with friends, shop til you drop, and then go and have lunch at one of Winter Park’s fine eateries! The Global Christmas Market features various non-profit vendors offering unique gifts for you and your family and friends. All funds collected go directly to the non-profit organizations.

**ANNUAL TOY DRIVE**

Our annual Toy Drive will be Sunday, December 10 during both services. We will deliver them to Apopka on Tuesday, December 12 after we load the bus starting at 9am. If you would like to participate in any portion of this wonderful event, please contact Rachel Myers at 407-484-7290. Suggested gifts are: bicycles; skateboards; scooters; helmets; tricycles; dolls of all colors; arts and crafts kits; play ‘pretend’ kits, jewelry & makeup; sports balls of all kinds; educational games & books; NEW socks, pajamas, play clothes, underwear for boys & girls; cars & trucks (especially medium/large vehicles); board games for children of all ages; toys, clothing & blankets for infants & toddlers; baby diapers (NB to size 5). You can also help by ordering through Amazon. Send your order to Hope Community Center, Christmas Toy Sale, 1016 N Park Ave., Apopka, FL 32712.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**HANNAH CIRCLE**

The Hannah Circle will meet on Monday, November 13 at 6pm in room 301 Please join us.

**RELATIONSHIPS IN ACTION—SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 9:15 AM IN ROOM 301**

**October 29th - WPPC’s Magnificent Reuter Pipe Organ—Jayne Leach**  
Where we were, where we are, and how we got there. A brief, but complete, journey of how we became blessed to have one of the most beautiful sounding pipe organs in Central Florida for the past 25 years.

**CHURCH OFFICER NOMINATIONS**

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 front office.

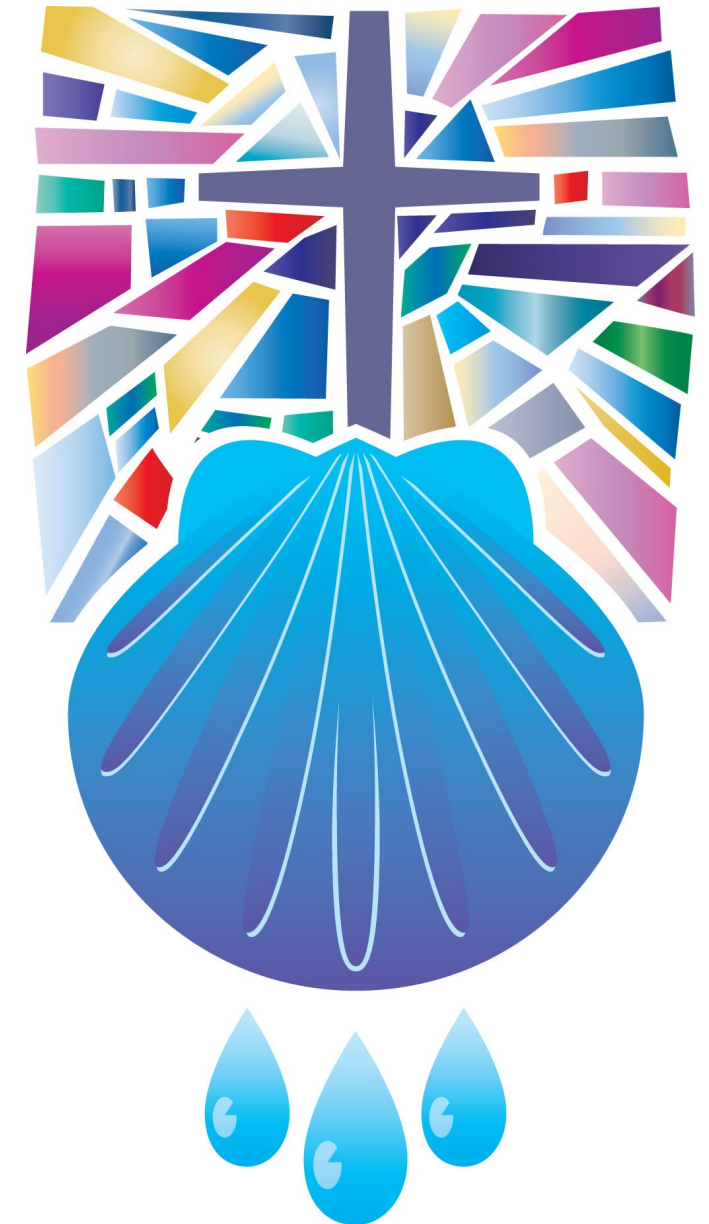
**FLOWERS**

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 front office hallway by the double doors leading to the sanctuary. When you sign up, please take a form and turn it into the front office with all the information filled in.



**Winter Park**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

OCTOBER 22, 2023  
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



The Session		
2023	2024	2025
Syd Davis	Mike Galyean	Theresa Coker
Fred Kittinger	John Gehrig	Mary Ferguson
Malcolm MacDiarmid	Jayne Leach	Cathy House
Jim McKinney	Audrey Santiago	Glenn Riccio
Dawn Sumrall	Sara Van Arsdel	Ron Thompson

The Diaconate		
2023	2024	2025
Ron Ellman	Lisa Dreasher	Meg Baldwin
Betty Johnston	Jerry Fitzgerald	Anna Caparis
Sevilla Morse	Nancy Galyean	Lynne McKnight
Cynthia Nants	Andy Riccio	Debbie Pauzar
Jyme Smith		Debby Roberts

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

PC(USA) World Missions
Mark Hare & Jenny Bent, Costa Rica
Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

Staff
The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor
The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps, Senior Adult Ministry Coordinator
Justin Chase, Director of Music
Penny Walsh, Organist
Sandra Shafer, Pianist
Scott Beck, Director of Handbells
Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant
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Barbara Hordern, Administrative Assistant
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Nicole Fye, Director of Preschool Programs
Adam Davies, Sexton